2020

# CRUISES ICELAND AND GREENLAND







#### Welcome Onboard!

#### LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

With more than 15 years of experience, the Iceland ProTravel Group has grown into a leading specialist for soft adventure in Iceland and Greenland.

Cruises with the OCEAN DIAMOND are personal, professional and very authentic, with shore excursions that blend warm Icelandic and Greenlandic hospitality with the region's rich Viking heritage and indigenous Inuit and European cultures.

No matter which of our itineraries you choose – a circumnavigation around Iceland, the historic Viking route across the Denmark Strait to Greenland, or a boat-coach combination tour – our experienced and knowledgeable Expedition Team helps you experience the breathtaking nature and locals ways of life.

Take a look at the various programs detailed in our new brochure. I look forward to welcoming you aboard the OCEAN DIAMOND in 2020!

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Gudmundur Kjartansson, CEO



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OCEAN DIAMOND in Greenland

# DISCOVER THE ISLAND OF CONTRASTS



#### Discover Our Iceland and Greenland

With an ice-strengthened hull and relatively small vessel size, the OCEAN DIAMOND offers an adventurous sea voyage in Arctic waters beyond the boundaries of a conventional cruise itinerary. Join us on a voyage of discovery as we share the unique nature, geology, culture and history of these big North Atlantic islands.



#### Discover Our Secret Places

Our itineraries include stops that offer excursions to places that are normally very difficult to reach and visited by only the lucky few each year. We also offer pre- and post-cruise experiences in Iceland (page 34).



# Discover Our Enthusiasm and Expertise

Members of our English-speaking Expedition Team all have one thing in common: to show you the most beautiful corners of the destinations they love and know from the inside out.



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# DISCOVER THE ISLAND OF CONTRASTS



#### Focus Iceland – Discover the local way of life

The sea voyages of Iceland ProCruises are primarily focused on the destination. With the Expedition Team, you have the opportunity to experience Iceland with real locals. Listen to opera singer Arndis Halla and her breathtaking singing of Icelandic songs or taste local craft beers at our beer tasting.



#### Discover the "Green Initiatives"

It is extremely important to us to be good stewards of the environment. As our next season progresses, look for news from us on more Green Initiatives on the OCEAN DIAMOND. Some practices include:

- Better water conservation practices
- Reducing and eliminating single use plastics
- Using biodegradable shampoos and cleaning products



# Discover our shore excursions

All of our crew members have logged many years of experience as tour guides and/or lecturers. You can look forward to them sharing their passion and expertise with you both onboard and during our many exciting shore excursions and landings.



# OUR AUTHENTIC ICELANDIC EXPERTS ON BOARD



#### **Greetings from the OCEAN DIAMOND!**

The perfect cruise needs the perfect crew!

And that's exactly what you find on the OCEAN DIAMOND – personable, cheerful and knowledgeable operation staff and expedition team members who enjoy serving and giving advice throughout the voyage. Here are some of our Icelandic crewmembers.



Hermann Gudmundsson – Expedition Leader



**Sturlaugur Dadason –** Expedition Leader



Petur Gauti Valgeirsson – Expedition Leader



Peter von Sassen – Cruise Leader



Steingrimur Gunnarsson -Lector



Arndis Halla Asgeirsdottir – Guide, Entertainment

Godafoss, the waterfall of the gods

# OUR ROUTES AT A GLANCE



F-+

DENMARK

NORTHERN

**⊀** Kangerlussuaq

Ilulissat

Eqip Gletscher

Uummannaq

Qeqertarsuaq

**Sisimiut** 

NUUK

🔎 Ikka Fjord

Narsarsuaq

| Tour  | From/To              | Date                 | Nights | Season* |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|--------|---------|
| Iceland Circumnavigation  | Reykjavik            | 11 May-20 May 2020   | 9      | В       |
| Iceland Circumnavigation  | Reykjavik            | 20 May - 29 May 2020 | 9      | В       |
| Iceland Circumnavigation  | Reykjavik            | 07 Jun -16 Jun 2020  | 9      | С       |
| Iceland Circumnavigation  | Reykjavik            | 16 Jun - 25 Jun 2020 | 9      | C       |
| Iceland Circumnavigation  | Reykjavik            | 25 Jun -04 Jul 2020  | 9      | С       |
| Iceland Circumnavigation  | Reykjavik            | 13 Jul -22 Jul 2020  | 9      | C       |
| Iceland Circumnavigation  | Reykjavik            | 22 Jul -31 Jul 2020  | 9      | C       |
| Iceland Circumnavigation  | Reykjavik            | 31 Jul -09 Aug 2020  | 9      | С       |
| Iceland and Natural Wonders of Greenland                          | Reykjavik / Keflavik | 09 Aug-20 Aug 2020   | 11     | C       |
| Natural Wonders of Greenland and Iceland                          | Keflavik / Reykjavik | 20 Aug - 31 Aug 2020 | 11     | C       |
| Iceland Circumnavigation  | Reykjavik            | 31 Aug -09 Sep 2020  | 9      | В       |
| Best of Iceland   | Reykjavik            | 09 Sep -16 Sep 2020  | 7      | А       |
| Best of Iceland   | Reykjavik            | 16 Sep -23 Sep 2020  | 7      | А       |
| Northern Lights and Whales (3 nights on ship / 3 nights in hotel) | Reykjavik            | 23 Sep - 29 Sep 2020 | 6      | А       |
| Northern Lights and Whales (3 nights in hotel/3 nights on ship)   | Reykjavik            | 23 Sep - 29 Sep 2020 | 6      | А       |

\* A: 09 Sep - 29 Sep 2020 B: 11 May - 06 Jun 2020, 31 Aug - 08 Sep 2020 C: 07 Jun - 30 Aug 2020



# ATLANTIC

Iceland Circumnavigation
 Northern Lights and Whales

 3 overnight stays on board, 3 overnight stays in hotels
 Iceland and Natural Wonders of Greenland or
 Natural Wonders of Greenland and Iceland



# The Land of Fire and Ice is one of the most fascinating places on planet Earth!

The awe-inspiring landscapes, the pristine forces of nature, the infinite and always surprising combinations of earth, water, fire and air are everywhere.

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#### The West

Fifty-five miles (90 km) long, the spectacular Snaefellsnes Peninsula is often called "Iceland in Miniature" because it boasts many different landscapes from dramatic fjords, snowcapped mountains and sandy beaches to fishing villages, historical sites and waterfalls. Even by Icelandic standards, the region's wilderness areas are incredibly pristine. The deep, narrow fjords are also an excellent place to fish for cod, halibut, wolffish, haddock, saithe and redfish.









The South

Some of the best known Icelandic sights are in this area including the Strokkur geyser, the geologically and historically interesting Thingvellir area, and the imposing Gullfoss waterfall. Also located here is the famous Eyjafjalla Glacier, which covers the caldera of an ancient volcano. The Westmans are a group of 14 volcanic islands, only one of which only "Heimaey" is inhabited. Several spectacular waterfalls and dramatic sea cliffs are also found along the south shore.



#### Hofsjokull

Myrdalsjokull

Langjokull

#### 66°33′ N POLAR CIRCLE

Vatnajokull



#### The North

Nowhere else in the world do so many whales gather in one area as the waters off northern Iceland. Observing whales in the wild is always a thrilling adventure. Iceland's second largest city, Akureyri boasts colorful architecture and an impressive botanical garden.



#### The East

The eastern coast of Iceland is dominated by narrow fjords, rugged mountains, remote homesteads and historic fishing villages. Here you find a variety of hiking trails that lead through untouched nature and spectacular scenery. Among the region's highlights are the town of Djupivogur on the Berufjordur fjord and Jokulsarlon Glacier Lagoon, full of icebergs from Breidamerkurjokull glacier.









# ICELAND CIRCUMNAVIGATION

#### **Discover the Island of Contrasts**

Experience an unforgettable journey around Iceland onboard the OCEAN DIAMOND. Discover this mystical land steeped in Viking traditions and volcanic landscapes rarely seen anywhere else on earth. This voyage reveals a diverse array of natural wonders and the Icelandic way of life. A range of exciting shore excursions offers countless ways to interact with Iceland's culture, nature, history and people.

#### DAY 1 | REYKJAVIK

Use your leisure time in Reykjavik to discover the unique charm of the world's northernmost capital. The OCEAN DIAMOND docks in Old Reykjavik Harbor in the heart of the city, a five-minute stroll from the main squares, shopping and dining. The ship departs in the evening.

#### **DAY 2** | STYKKISHOLMUR

Stykkisholmur is the starting point of our adventures on the Snaefellnes Peninsula. Often called "Iceland in Miniature" because of its diverse landscapes, the area is home to bird-rich Breidafjordur Bay and Snaefellsjokull glacier. This glacier sits atop of a 700,000-year-old dormant volcano that was featured in the Jules Verne novel *Journey to the Center of the Earth.* 

#### DAY 3 | ISAFJORDUR

Today's destination is Isafjordur, an idyllic town in the Westfjords region. This secluded peninsula is connected to the Icelandic mainland by only a narrow strip of land and includes many roadless areas where cars have never been. The landscape includes jaw-dropping views of dramatic fjords carved by ancient glaciers, sheer table mountains that plunge into the sea and pristine North Atlantic vegetation.

#### **DAY 4** | SIGLUFJORDUR/HRISEY

By morning we reach the fjord town of Siglufjordur, once the hub of the global herring industry and now enjoying a rebirth in popularity. Learn about the golden age of herring at the award-winning Herring Era Museum located on the vibrant harbor-front. In the early afternoon we head to Hrisey, the second largest island of Iceland. With only 153 inhabitants, the island is located in Eyjafjordur, about 35 kilometers north of Akureyri.

#### DAY 5 | AKUREYRI

Ranging inland from Akureyri, we visit the fascinating Lake Myvatn region, where the schizophrenic landscape looks as if "heaven and hell" have clashed. One side of the lake features rugged volcanic remnants, while the other side is blessed with lush vegetation and varied bird life.

#### DAY 6 | HUSAVIK

In the early morning hours we steam into Skjalfandi Bay and Husavik. Often called the "Whale watching capital" of Iceland, the town's offshore waters are home to 15 different whale species, as well as dolphins and 30 variety of bird.





#### DAY 7 | SEYDISFJORDUR

Iceland's East Fjords are best explored from the impossibly picturesque port of Seydisfjordur, nestled between the sea and steep mountains. Activities include seal spotting, horseback riding, and visiting the beautiful nature reserve Skalanes.

#### DAY 8 | DJUPIVOGUR

The fishing village of Djupivogur is today's starting point to explore Vatnajokull Glacier. Go on a four wheel-drive Jeep tour or take a boat trip in the Jokulsarlon Glacier Lagoon. Icebergs of all shapes and sizes are floating in the water – an unforgettable adventure.

#### DAY 9 | VESTMANNAEYJAR (WESTMAN ISLANDS)

Located off Iceland's South Coast, the Westman Islands were formed by submarine volcanic eruptions around 10,000 years ago. We go ashore on Heimaey, the only inhabited island, where half-buried houses remain from a violent 1973 eruption.

#### DAY 10 | REYKJAVIK

After breakfast we bid farewell to the OCEAN DIAMOND as we sail back into Reykjavik.

Explore inland areas like the Golden Circle and its famous Gullfoss waterfall via our Air & Ground package or other post-cruise programs. Or simply hang out in Reykjavik, a perfect city for those who want to refresh their spirit in a place that combines invigorating outdoor activities, great food and world-class entertainment.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

| Day 1   Reykjavik – Embarkation       |              |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| Check In Time: 04:00pm-06:00pm        |              |
| Iceland's capital                     | D 08:00 p.m. |
| Day 2   Stykkisholmur                 |              |
| Explore the Snaefellsnes Peninsula    |              |
| A 08:00 a.m.                          | D 07:00 p.m. |
| Day 3   Isafjordur                    |              |
| Idvilic town in the remote Westfiords |              |

A 07:00 a.m. D 05:00 p.m. Day 4 | Siglufjordur

Small fishing town in the North A 08:00 a.m D 12:00 p.m.

Day 5 | Akureyri Explore the mystical Lake Myvatn

A 12:00 a.m. D 10:30 p.m. Day 6 | Husavik

Iceland's "Whale watching capital" A 11:45 a.m. D 07:30 p.m.

Day 7 | Seydisfjordur Get to know Iceland's East Fjords

A 08:00 a.m. D 10:00 p.m. Day 8 | Djupivogur

Explore Vatnajokull Glacier A 06:00 a.m. D 06:00 p.m. Day 9 | Vestmannaeyjar

Volcanic Islands off the South Coast A 09:00 a.m. D 06:30 p.m.

**Day 10 | Reykjavik – Disembarkation** Arrival in Reykjavik **A 08:00 a.m.** 

#### A = Arrival, D = Departure

Since the arrival time in Reykjavik depends on weather conditions, we strongly recommend that you do not book your departure flights before 02:00 p.m.



#### 9 NIGHTS ICELAND CIRCUMNAVIGATION

| Date                 | <b>Onboard language</b> | Season |
|----------------------|-------------------------|--------|
| 11 May - 20 May 2020 | English / German        | В      |
| 20 May - 29 May 2020 | English / German        | В      |
| 07 Jun - 16 Jun 2020 | English / French        | C      |
| 16 Jun - 25 Jun 2020 | English / French        | С      |
| 25 Jun - 04 Jul 2020 | English / German        | C      |
| 13 Jul – 22 Jul 2020 | English                 | C      |
| 22 Jul - 31 Jul 2020 | English / German        | C      |
| 31 Jul - 09 Aug 2020 | English / German        | С      |
| 31 Aug - 09 Sep 2020 | English / German        | C      |

#### Included

Accommodation in booked cabin category All meals (breakfast, lunch and dinner) Coffee, tea and water All Zodiac excursions (weather dependent) English speaking guide All presentations from cruise staff and guest speakers Onboard entertainment program

Iceland ProCruises Windjacket

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For advice on gratuities see page 44.

From GBP

per person

| Early Bird prices in GBP*                        |           |             |             |  |
|--|-----------|-------------|-------------|--|
| Cabin<br>Category                                | Occupancy | Season<br>B | Season<br>C |  |
| Т  | 3         | 1,820       | 1,899       |  |
| Р  | 2         | 2,699       | 2,840       |  |
| Р  | 1         | 4,699       | 4,945       |  |
| 0  | 2         | 3,790       | 3,975       |  |
| 0  | 1         | 6,599       | 6,930       |  |
| D  | 2         | 5,125       | 5,375       |  |
| D  | 1         | 8,935       | 9,380       |  |
| А  | 2         | 7,770       | 8,155       |  |
| А  | 1         | 13,565      | 14,245      |  |
| * Early Pird prices valid until 21 December 2010 |           |             |             |  |

\* Early Bird prices valid until 31 December 2019

#### Prices in GBP\*

| Cabin<br>Category | Occupancy | Season<br>B | Season<br>C |
|-------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|
| Т                 | 3         | 2,265       | 2,375       |
| Р                 | 2         | 3,375       | 3,545       |
| Р                 | 1         | 5,875       | 6,170       |
| 0                 | 2         | 4,725       | 4,960       |
| 0                 | 1         | 8,240       | 8,650       |
| D                 | 2         | 6,395       | 6,715       |
| D                 | 1         | 11,160      | 11,715      |
| А                 | 2         | 9,699       | 10,185      |
| А                 | 1         | 16,950      | 17,795      |
|                   |           |             |             |

\* Prices valid from 01 January 2020

Children's Discount: 25 % until age 12 (staying in the same cabin as parents).

**Note:** Information about our Air & Ground Packages can be found on page 46.

# **BEST OF ICELAND**

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A 07:30 a.m. D 06:00 p.m. Day 7 | Vestmannaeyjar Volcanic Islands off the South Coast A 09:00 a.m. D 06:30 p.m.

Day 8 | Reykjavik – Disembarkation Arrival in Reykjavik A 08:00 a.m.

A = Arrival, D = Departure

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#### 7 NIGHTS BEST OF ICELAND

| Date   | Onboard language                          | Season |  |  |  |  |
|--|---|--------|--|--|--|--|
| 09 Sep-16 Sep 2020                                     | English / German                          | А      |  |  |  |  |
| 16 Sep-23 Sep 2020                                     | English / German                          | А      |  |  |  |  |
| Included   |   |        |  |  |  |  |
| Accommodation in booke                                 | Accommodation in booked cabin category    |        |  |  |  |  |
| All meals (breakfast, lunc                             | All meals (breakfast, lunch and dinner)   |        |  |  |  |  |
| Coffee, tea and water                                  |   |        |  |  |  |  |
| All Zodiac excursions (wea                             | All Zodiac excursions (weather dependent) |        |  |  |  |  |
| Icelandic/English speaking guide                       |   |        |  |  |  |  |
| All presentations from cruise staff and guest speakers |   |        |  |  |  |  |
| Onboard entertainment p                                | Onboard entertainment program             |        |  |  |  |  |
| Iceland ProCruises Windia                              | cket                                      |        |  |  |  |  |

For advice on gratuities see page 44.

From GBP

per person

#### Early Bird prices in GBP\*

| Occupancy | Season A  |
|-----------|---|
| 3         | 1,485   |
| 2         | 2,199   |
| 1         | 3,850   |
| 2         | 3,095   |
| 1         | 5,395   |
| 2         | 4,185   |
| 1         | 7,299   |
| 2         | 6,355   |
| 1         | 11,095  |
|           | 3<br>2<br>1<br>2<br>1<br>2<br>1<br>2<br>1<br>2<br>1<br>2<br>2 |

\* Early Bird prices valid until 31 December 2019

#### Prices in GBP\*

| Cabin<br>Category | Occupancy | Season A |
|-------------------|-----------|----------|
| Т                 | 3         | 1,845    |
| Р                 | 2         | 2,760    |
| Р                 | 1         | 4,799    |
| 0                 | 2         | 3,860    |
| 0                 | 1         | 6,735    |
| D                 | 2         | 5,225    |
| D                 | 1         | 9,125    |
| А                 | 2         | 7,935    |
| А                 | 1         | 13,865   |
|                   |           |          |

\* Prices valid from 01 January 2020

Children's Discount: 25 % until age 12 (staying in the same cabin as parents).

# Puffin - a popular subject for photos

# NORTHERN LIGHTS AND WHALES

**Mystical Northern Lights** 

#### **Experience Iceland on Land and Sea**

Get to know the island of "Fire and Ice" in autumn on this special journey that gives the opportunity to witness Northern Lights and different species of whales. Look forward to a 3-day-cruise with shore excursions and interesting lectures with local experts, before an exciting bus tour along the Northwest coast and back to Reykjavik follows.

This voyage is also possible in reverse order (Tour 2).

#### DAY 1 | REYKJAVIK

Our optional "Air & Ground" – package provides a convenient arrival. Use your leisure time in Reykjavik in order to get to know the unique charm of the city. Your "floating hotel" awaits you. The OCEAN DIAMOND docks in the old harbor, located in the heart of town, which is a 5 minute walk to the inner city. In the evening the ship sets course for the Snaefellsnes Peninsula. Tonight you may already have a first opportunity to see the Northern Lights!

#### DAY 2 | STYKKISHOLMUR

In the morning the OCEAN DIAMOND reaches the small village of Stykkisholmur, the starting point for our exploration of the Snaefellsnes peninsula. Snae-fellsnes is also known as "Iceland in miniature" since this region contains nearly all different kind of Icelandic scenery. A dark clear sky might offer great opportunities for the Northern Lights.

#### DAY 3 | ISAFJORDUR

Today's destination is the idyllic town of Isafjordur, capital of the Westfjords region. This secluded peninsula is connected to the rest of Iceland by only a narrow strip of land. Even by Icelandic standards, the area can be described as unusually isolated. The landscape is characterized by mesas and dramatic fjords that cut deep into the landscape.



66°33' N POLAR CIRCLE Grimsey Husavik Isafjörður Stykkisholmur Langjökull REYKJAVIK Myrdalsjökull

#### DAY 4 | HUSAVIK / MYVATN

In the early morning hours we steam into Skjalfandi Bay and Husavik. After disembarkation we explore the natural beauty of the Lake Myvatn area, including the peculiar lava formations at Dimmuborgir and the pseudo craters at Skutustadir.

#### DAY 5 | AKUREYRI / WEST ICELAND

Husavik is often called the "Whale watching capital" of lceland. The town's offshore waters are home to 15 different whale species, as well as dolphins. An exciting trip with RIB boats (Rigid Inflatable Boat) to search for the gentle giants awaits you. On our way to Akureyri we visit the impressive Godafoss, "the waterfall of the Gods".

#### DAY 6 | REYKJAVIK

On our way back to Reykjavik we pass Deildartunguhver, the most powerful hot spring in the world. A stop will be made at Thingvellir National Park, the ancient site of the world's first parliament. Our journey ends after a city tour in Reykjavik.

DAY 7 | REYKJAVIK

Individual departure.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1 | Reykjavik – Embarkation Check In Time: 04:00pm-06:00pm Onboard OCEAN DIAMOND – Iceland's capital Day 2 | Stykkisholmur

Onboard OCEAN DIAMOND – Explore the Snaefellsnes Peninsula

**Day 3 | Isafjordur** Onboard OCEAN DIAMOND – Idyllic town in the remote Westfjords

Day 4 | Husavik / Myvatn Overnight stay in a hotel – Explore Lake Myvatn area

**Day 5 | Akureyri/West Iceland** Overnight stay in a hotel – Meet the "gentle giants" with a RIB boat

Day 6 | Reykjavik Overnight stay in a hotel – Visit to Thingvellir National Park Day 7 | Reykjavik

Individual departure

#### A = Arrival, D = Departure

Since the arrival time in Reykjavik depends on weather conditions, we strongly recommend that you do not book your departure flights before 02:00 p.m. (Tour 2).

**Note:** Information about our Air & Ground Packages can be found on page 46.

#### 6 NIGHTS NORTHERN LIGHTS AND WHALES

Combination boat and bus trip

| Date |                      | <b>Onboard language</b> | Route      |
|------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------|
|      | 23 Sep - 29 Sep 2020 | English / German        | (Ship/Bus) |
|      | 23 Sep - 29 Sep 2020 | English / German        | (Bus/Ship) |

#### **Included on ship**

3 nights onboard Accommodation in booked cabin category All meals (breakfast, lunch and dinner) Coffee, tea and water Zodiac excursions (weather-dependent) Icelandic/English speaking guide All presentations from cruise staff and guest speakers Onboard entertainment program Iceland ProCruises Windjacket

#### Included on coach trip

3 nights in a typical hotel room with shower/toilet

3 breakfasts, 3 lunches, 2 dinners Icelandic/English speaking guide

Whale Watching on RIB boat

All routes and excursions are provisional and subject to change as weather and sea conditions may affect the itinerary. All Zodiac excursions are weather dependent.

#### For advice on gratuities see page 44.

From GBP

**1,775** 

#### Prices in GBP\*

| Cabin<br>Category | Occupancy | Early bird<br>prices* | Normal<br>prices |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------------------|------------------|
| Т                 | 3         | 1,775                 | 1,935            |
| Р                 | 2         | 2,145                 | 2,385            |
| Р                 | 1         | 3,145                 | 3,565            |
| 0                 | 2         | 2,530                 | 2,865            |
| 0                 | 1         | 3,820                 | 4,399            |
| D                 | 2         | 2,999                 | 3,460            |
| D                 | 1         | 4,655                 | 5,445            |
| А                 | 2         | 3,950                 | 4,640            |
| А                 | 1         | 6,299                 | 7,499            |
|                   |           |                       |                  |

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# **ICELAND EXCURSIONS**

#### Discover the majesty and beauty of Icelandic nature

Enjoy a first glimpse of our 2020 shore excursions! You can look forward to many different excursion options that provide a hands-on experience with nature and a deeper look into Icelandic life.

#### **Stykkisholmur**

#### **GLACIER TOUR ON THE SNAEFELLSJOKULL**

Tour Highlights: Glacier tour in an open snowcat Difficulty level: Involves walking on the glacier Remarks: Open vehicle; warm clothes (gloves, hat etc.) required; sunglasses

#### Duration: 4-5 hours

This 4,600 feet high glacier is atop a volcano. An experienced guide will drive you by snowcat to the top of the glacier. In good weather conditions you can enjoy a fantastic view over Hellissandur and Breidafjordur Bay and on especially clear days you might even spot the far-off Westfjords. The famous novelist Jules Verne once chose Snaefells-jokull Glacier to be the entrance "to the center of the Earth".



#### BUS EXCURSION AROUND THE SNAEFELLSNES PENINSULA

**Tour Highlights:** An introduction to the history and geology of Iceland, diverse landscapes and a visit to the shark museum

**Difficulty level:** This tour involves walking (approx. 45 min) on a rugged terrain but it is also possible to stay on the coach

#### Duration: 5-6 hours

Due to its diversity of landscapes and places of national interests, Snaefellsnes Peninsula is often called "Iceland in miniature". This excursion includes a drive through beautiful sceneries, lava fields, black lava beaches and impressive glaciers. You will have a stunning view on the Snaefellsjokull Glacier, the dramatic rock formations of Snaefellsnes as well as the Londrangar rock pinnacles, which are remnants of a large volcanic crater. In the summer months a huge variety of birds can be seen. En route you also visit the small fishin village of Arnarstapi and the shark museum in Bjarnarhofn.



#### **BOAT TOUR - VIKING SUSHI**

**Tour Highlights:** Fascinating bird life, breathtaking scenery and sea food tasting

**Difficulty level:** For all guests suitable; short 10 minute walk to the pier

**Remarks:** Warm and weatherproof jacket and sunglasses; excursion boat with indoor and outdoor seats **Duration:** 2 hours and 15 min

If you have never tasted a fresh scallop straight from the sea you'll get the chance to do so on this tour. Enjoy a delicious sample of Sushi prepared the "Viking Style". Look forward to cruising past picturesque and fairytale-like landscapes as well as a huge variety of birds and terrific basaltic rock formations. With a bit of luck you can spot a majestic white-tailed eagle.



#### Isafjordur

#### BUS TOUR - DYNJANDI WATERFALL

**Tour Highlights:** Tour through harsh landscapes to the magnificent Dynjandi waterfall

**Difficulty level:** 20 minutes moderate walking to the waterfall; the waterfall can also be seen very clearly from the parking lot

**Remarks:** Clothes according to local weather

#### Duration: 5-6 hours

Discover the beauty of Iceland's mystic Westfjords which is even for Iceland a very sparsely populated area. Experience breathtaking rough nature, high summits and beautiful deep fjords. You will visit a typical Icelandic village along the way. Another highlight of this tour is the magnificent Dynjandi waterfall, the highest and most impressive waterfall in the Westfjord region. It consists of 6 different waterfalls that flow fan-shaped together and its impressive height of 328 feet and width of 196 feet make it a spectacular natural beauty.

# Dynjandi Waterfall in the Westfjords

#### Siglufjordur

#### HERRING MUSEUM WITH PERFORMANCE

Tour Highlights: The history and the key role of the Icelandic herring industry including musical performance, herring and "Brennivin" tasting Difficulty level: Easy walking for 15 min to the museum

Remarks: Clothes according to local weather Duration: 2 hours

Dive into the golden age of the herring boom at the award-winning Herring Museum. The era played an important role in the history of the Icelandic equal rights movement. Women got more opportunities to work outside of home, side by side with men on equal basis. The museum's five exhibits illustrate the history of the industry, the processing of the herring into meal and oil, a fish freezing plant and a waterfront dock area where visitors can stroll past 11 different fishing vessels on display. A live herring salting demonstration with traditional songs and dances are performed by the local "Herring Girls" where the spirit of old herring plants is revived.



#### Akureyri BUS TOUR - MYVATN

Tour Highlights: The Lake Myvatn, Godafoss Waterfall, Dimmuborgir, Myvatn Nature Baths

**Difficulty level:** Easy walking, longest walking time 20 min

**Remarks:** Clothes according to local weather; bring a bathing suit and a towel (provided by ship); entrance fee to Nature Baths included; lockers at Nature Baths available; soup included **Duration:** 7–8 hours

Enjoy one of the most beautiful areas of Northern lceland. The local unique landscape would be fascinating on its own. However, in the area around Lake Myvatn there are also countless bird species. We also stop at the impressive black lava formations of Dimmuborgir and visit the spectacular Godafoss waterfall (waterfall of the gods). In the end, a soothing bath awaits you at Myvatn Nature Baths. The thermal bath offers you a unique composition of minerals, silicates and geothermal microorganisms. The warm, soothing water is a treat for body and mind and leaves a lasting effect after this visit. Look forward to an amazing journey through an area of extreme contrasts.



#### **BUS TOUR - ICELANDIC NATURE AND CULTURE**

Tour Highlights: Godafoss Waterfall, Eyjafjord as well as Icelandic culture and history Difficulty level: Easy walking, longest walking time

20 min

Remarks: Clothes according to local weather; entrance to the farm Laufas included Duration: 4 hours

This half-day excursion combines scenic highlights as the Eyjafjord, the mountain pass Vikurskard and

as the Eyjafjord, the mountain pass Vikurskard and one of the spectacular waterfalls in Iceland, the Godafoss, with extensive Icelandic history and culture. The well-preserved farm Laufas from 1850 is nowadays a museum and gives impressions of the living conditions during former times. This farm was built of strips of sod and turf and was home to the local priest and his attendants. It was one of the richest farms in the area.

#### FLIGHT ABOVE THE HIGHLIGHTS OF NORTHERN ICELAND

Tour Highlights: Godafoss Waterfall, Dettifoss Waterfall, Lake Myvatn and much more Difficulty level: short walking distance Remarks: Window seats only; transfer included Duration: 2 hours

This is a unique opportunity to experience Northern Iceland from a completely different perspective. Circle the waterfall of the gods, Godafoss, and be impressed by Dettifoss, the most powerful waterfall in Europe. You will be amazed by the 1,5 hours long flight above the highlights of Northern Iceland.



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#### Husavik

#### **BOATS - WHALE WATCHING ON RIB BOATS**

**Tour Highlights:** Whale watching on RIB boats (Rigid Inflatable Boat)

**Difficulty level:** Short 10-minute walk to the pier **Remarks:** Warm safety overalls included; gloves, scarf and hat recommended; not suitable for children under 7 years and passengers with heart, knee or back problems

#### Duration: approx. 2 hours

Husavik is the Whale Watching Capital of Iceland with a 99 % likelihood to see the gentle giants at close range. On this tour we will pass the Puffin Island Lundey where you can experience thousands of puffins during the nesting period (April 15th – August 20th). The speedboats are not only adventurous and fun but also more agile and maneuverable giving us the opportunity to look for whales. So look forward to an unforgettable whale watching tour!

#### **BUS TOUR – DIAMOND CIRCLE**

Tour Highlights: Europe's most powerful waterfall Dettifoss and Asbyrgi Canyon

**Difficulty level:** Moderate walking up to 1,55 miles (45 min round trip)

Duration: 7-8 hours

A number of Iceland's highlights are included in this excursion: the horseshoe shaped Asbyrgi Canyon, said to be the meeting place of the pagan gods; the Jokulsargljufur Glacial Canyon; the echoing cliffs Hljodaklettar; as well as the Dettifoss Waterfall, Europe's most powerful waterfall, which is unique and very impressive.

#### Seydisfjordur

#### HUSEY – SEALWATCHING ON HORSEBACK

Tour Highlights: Icelandic horse tour Difficulty level: Easy walking for short distances Remarks: No horseback riding experience needed; helmet and rain jackets will be provided; comfortable shoes are recommended; for guests with maximum weight of 220 lbs

#### Duration: 6 hours

The history of the Icelandic horse reaches back to the 9th and 10th centuries. Nowadays, there are approx. 80.000 Icelandic horses in Iceland. This small sized horse is considered to be intelligent, well-tempered and versatile. The farm Husey is located between two glacial rivers, 37 miles north of Egilsstadir. This two hour horseback tour offers a wonderful way to appreciate the beauty of the coast and nearby mountains as well as endless opportunities for spotting birds and seals and enjoy the wonderful nature.







#### Djupivogur

#### **BUS TOUR - GLACIER LAGOON/JOKULSARLON**

Tour Highlights: Amphibian Boat Tour on the Glacier Lagoon, dramatic landscapes Difficulty level: Easy walking

Remarks: Clothes according to local weather; hat and scarf are recommended; approx. 2,5 hours bus tour per way with photo and toilet stops; soup included

#### Duration: 7-8 hours

This tour takes you to the magnificent Glacier Lagoon of Jokulsarlon. Huge blocks of ice constantly break off the glacier Breidamerkurjokull and large icebergs float on the lagoon. The lagoon is not very wide but it is up to 750 feet deep which makes it the deepest lake in Iceland. Sail among the huge icebergs in the picturesque scenery of Jokulsarlon with a specially equipped boat for approximately 35 minutes.



#### ADVENTUROUS SUPER JEEP TOUR

Tour Highlights: 4x4 Super Jeep tour, mountains and canyons

Difficulty level: Short easy walking distances Duration: 5-6 hours

Enjoy a Super Jeep drive to the hidden gems of nature that can be discovered in the National Park Vatnajokull. On the Jeep tour we will not only cross glacier rivers but drive through spectacular mountain scenery too. And you can expect narrow and steep canyons, fierce waterfalls and dramatic mountain formations.



#### Vestmannareyjar

#### **BUS TOUR - POMPEII OF THE NORTH -**LAVA TOUR

Tour Highlights: A geologically and historically interesting bus tour, visit of the Volcano Museum Eldheimar

Difficulty level: Easy walking

Remarks: Clothes according to local weather; entrance to the Volcano Museum and transfer to the ship included

#### Duration: 3 hours

This guided coach tour around Heimaey Island includes the volcanic crater and houses half-buried from the volcanic eruption of 1973. It's a unique and fascinating landscape with diverse birdlife. The tour ends at the volcanic center, a unique museum that tells the story of the Heimaey volcanic eruption 1973, the emergence of Surtsey Island 1963 and the geology of the Westman Islands.

#### **VOLCANO HIKE**

Tour Highlights: Climbing an active volcano, visit of the Volcano Museum Eldheimar Difficulty level: 3 hours hike

Remarks: Clothes according to local weather; please bring a bottle of water with you: Entrance to the Volcano Museum included

#### Duration: 3-4 hours

Various catastrophes have befallen the island of Heimaey and its inhabitants throughout history. Probably the most tragic incident to take place on the island is the volcanic eruption in 1973. Learn more about the geology and volcanology of Iceland during this 3 hours hike upon an active volcano. After reaching the top of the volcano you can still feel the warmth of its activity. At the end of the hike, we will visit the unique volcano museum that tells the story of the Heimaey volcanic eruption in 1973. the emergence of Surtsey Island in 1963 and the geology of the Westman Islands.

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# GREENLAND



#### Immerse yourself completely in this unique world!

The world's largest island is strikingly beautiful, a land of massive ice formations, deep-blue fjords and lush pastures. Greenland is also blessed with unique flora and fauna, the midnight sun and northern lights, and the distinctive Inuit culture.



# GREENLAND



#### Uummannaq

Located 300 miles (500 km) north of the Arctic Circle, Uummannaq is one of the most beautiful towns in Greenland. The town takes its unusual name – Uummannaq means "heart shaped" in Greenlandic – from a massive mountain (3,839 feet/1,175 meters) that towers above the island. An interesting local museum features an exhibition of German climatologist and geophysicist Alfred Wegener's 18thcentury polar exploration.

#### Nuuk

Greenland's capital has around 16,000 inhabitants and combines Inuit traditions with modern European urbanity. It's also Greenland's oldest town, founded in 1728 by the Danish Norwegian missionary Hans Egede. The National Museum features 500-year-old mummies from Qilakitsoq, as well as other artifacts related to Greenland archaeology, history and art. The Katuaq Cultural Center in downtown Nuuk is the venue for concerts, exhibitions, cinema and local cuisine. The University of Greenland, the country's only university, is also located in Nuuk.



#### Narsarsuaq

Located near Greenland's southern tip, Narsasuaq lies in the heart of the region pioneered by the ancient Norse. Nearby Qassiarsuk was founded by notorious Viking Erik the Red after his banishment from Iceland. He named the area "Green Land" because of its lush, fertile valleys. During our shore stop, you can learn about the lives of the island's early Norse settlers while visiting a Viking longhouse and small peat church.

#### Sisimiut

Sisimiut has a turbulent history about the domination of the city. Heavy fighting between Dutch whalers and various European nations took place over the years. Because of the flourishing shrimp industry Sisimiut is one of the richest cities in the country.



#### PRINCE CHRISTIAN SOUND



#### Disko Bay/Eqip Glacier

Disko Bay combines incredible iceberg scenery and Inuit hospitality. Along the eastern edge of the bay is Ilulissat, the third largest town in Greenland. The name means "iceberg" in Greenlandic, a reference to its location at the mouth of the iceberg-filled Ilulissat Ice Fjord, a UNESCO World Heritage Site since 2004. Few places in Greenland are as breathtaking as Eqip Glacer, 50 miles (80 km) north of Ilulissat. With a little luck, your visit will include a close-up view of icebergs "calving" as huge chunk of ice break off and thunder into the sea.





66°33' N POLAR CIRCLE



#### **Prince Christian Sound**

The force of Greenland's massive inland icecap pushes glaciers towards the sea, where large chunks of ice break off and become floating icebergs. When we cruise the 70-mile (100-km) Prince Christian Sound – which separates the Cape Farewell islands from the mainland – we get so close to icebergs that you can almost reach out and touch them.





DENMARK STRAIT



# ICELAND AND NATURAL WONDERS OF GREENLAND

#### Zodiac transfer in Uummannag

#### From Iceland to Disko Bay

We discover the immense scenic and cultural variety of the world's largest island, from the beautiful and fertile south with its fascinating Viking history to the town of Ilulissat with its floating icebergs.

#### DAY 1 | REYKJAVIK

Use your leisure time in Reykjavik to discover the unique charm of the world's northernmost capital. The OCEAN DIAMOND departs in the evening.

#### DAY 2 | VESTMANNAEYJAR (WESTMAN ISLANDS)

Located off Iceland's South Coast, the Westman Islands were formed by submarine volcanic eruptions around 10,000 years ago. We go ashore on Heimaey, the only inhabited island, where halfburied houses remain from a violent 1973 eruption.

#### DAY 3 | DAY AT SEA / DENMARK STRAIT

Today we sail across the Denmark Strait towards Greenland, following the same maritime route used by Norse settlers more than 900 years ago.

#### DAY 4 | DAY AT SEA / PRINCE CHRISTIAN SOUND

When conditions are favorable, we cruise along the 70-mile (112-km) Prince Christian Sound. In this narrow, often ice-choked channel, we come so close to icebergs you can almost reach out and touch them.

#### DAY 5 | NARSARSUAQ

Very close to the town of Narsarsuaq lies the small settlement of Qassiarsuk, founded by the legendary Viking rebel and leader Erik the Red. He named this area "green land" because the landscape around Qassiarsuk is characterized by inviting fjords and green, fertile valleys.

#### DAY 6 | IKKA FJORD

The underwater world is like no other, it contains a forest of remarkable mineral columns growing on the seabed. The columns formed over 10,000 years ago of the extremely rare mineral lkait.

#### DAY 7 | NUUK

With 16,000 inhabitants Nuuk is both the capital and the biggest city of Greenland. It combines Arctic traditions with European urbanity. Visit the city sights on a walking tour that ends at the National Museum which exhibits the famous mummies of Qilakitsoq.

#### DAY 8 | SISIMIUT

With approx. 5,600 inhabitants, Sisimiut is the second largest town in Greenland. It is a modern settlement that maintains ancient traditions. The fishing industry still plays an important role.

#### DAY 9 | ILULISSAT / EQIP GLACIER

In the morning we reach Ilulissat village in fabled Disko Bay. Ilulissat is located beside the Ilulissat Icefjord. Delight in the thunderous spectacle when icebergs break off from the glacier and plunge into the fjord.

#### DAY 10 | UUMMANNAQ

Uummannaq is considered one of the most beautiful towns in Greenland. Located on a small island about 300 miles (483 km) north of the Arctic Circle, this tiny, picturesque village lies at the foot of a heartshaped mountain.





#### DAY 11 | DISKO BAY / QEQERTARSUAQ

The small settlement of Qeqertarsuaq is located on the South Coast of Disko Island. In 1773 the first whaling base was founded there. Whaling has been of great importance to the town over the past two centuries. Hunting and fishing are still the primary occupations for the island's inhabitants.

#### DAY 12 | KANGERLUSSUAQ

In the morning we reach the 120-mile (190 km) Kangerlussuaq Fjord and the town of the same name. It's time to say goodbye to the OCEAN DIAMOND. Charterflight back to Keflavik.

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Please check the flight details for the Charterflight from Kangerlussuaq to Keflavik with our office before booking your international flight.

**Note:** Information about our Air & Ground Packages can be found on page 46.

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1 | Reykjavik – Embarkation The OCEAN DIAMOND will depart Reykjavik harbor at 08:00 p.m. Check In Time: 04:00-06:00 p.m. Day 2 | Vestmannaeyjar (Westman Islands)

Volcanic Islands off the South Coast Day 3 | Day at Sea / Denmark Strait

Route used by Norse settlers

Day 4 | Day at Sea / Prince Christian Sound View the first icebergs

**Day 5 | Narsarsuaq** Learn more about Erik the Red

Day 6 | Ikka Fjord Underwater mineral columns

Day 7 | Nuuk Greenland's capital

Day 8 | Sisimiut

Explore the fishing town
Day 9 | Ilulissat / Egip Glacier

Enjoy the iceberg-filled Ilulissat Ice Fjord

Day 10 | Uummannaq Beautiful villages north of the Polar Circle Day 11 | Disko Bay / Qeqertarsuaq

Settlement on the Disko Island
Day 12 | Kangerlussuag – Disembarkation

Arrival in Kangerlussuaq, charter flight to Iceland **Transfer directly** to the airport or optional post tours before it is time for the charter flight to Iceland (Keflavik Airport) in afternoon / evening.

#### 11 NIGHTS ICELAND AND NATURAL WONDERS OF GREENLAND

DateOnboard languageSeason09 Aug -20 Aug 2020English / GermanC

**Included** on ship

Accommodation in booked cabin category All meals (breakfast, lunch and dinner) Coffee, tea and water Zodiac excursions (weather-dependent) Icelandic/English speaking guide All presentations from cruise staff and guest speakers Onboard entertainment program Charter flight Kangerlussuaq – Keflavik incl. transfer in Kangerlussuaq Iceland ProCruises Windjacket

For advice on gratuities see page 44.

From GBP **2,499** 

#### Prices in GBP\*

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|-------------------|-----------|-----------------------|------------------|
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| Р                 | 1         | 6,580                 | 8,225            |
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| 0                 | 1         | 9,245                 | 11,555           |
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| D                 | 1         | 12,535                | 15,670           |
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# NATURAL WONDERS OF GREENLAND & ICELAND

Uummannaq, northernmost stop of the cruise

#### From Disko Bay to Iceland

From majestic glaciers and icebergs floating in deep-blue water to the island's unique indigenous wildlife, the natural wonders of Greenland are the stars of this soft adventure voyage. Whales and seals often accompany the OCEAN DIAMOND, while musk ox graze ashore.

#### **DAY 1** | KANGERLUSSUAQ

Charter flight from Keflavik to Kangerlussuaq. The OCEAN DIAMOND anchors off Kangerlussuaq and embarkation is conducted via our Zodiac boats (don't forget your rain clothes). The ship departs in the evening.

#### DAY 2 | SISIMIUT

With approx. 5,600 inhabitants, Sisimiut is the second largest town in Greenland. It is a modern settlement that maintains ancient traditions. The fishing industry still plays an important role.

#### DAY 3 | ILULISSAT / EQIP GLACIER

In the morning we visit the beautiful Eqip Glacier. Our next stop is Ilulissat, which means "iceberg" in Greenlandic. And with good reason, as the town is located at the mouth of the iceberg-filled Ilulissat Ice Fjord. In the evening we visit the beautiful Eqip Glacier.

#### DAY 4 | UUMMANNAQ

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#### DAY 6 | NUUK

Nuuk is the capital of Greenland and its oldest town. Founded in 1728 by Danish-Norwegian missionary Hans Egede, the city combines Arctic traditions and European urbanity. With around 16,000 inhabitants, Nuuk is considered a modern, bustling metropolis compared to the rest of Greenland.





#### DAY 7 | IKKA FJORD

Today we visit Ikka Fjord. The underwater world is like no other, it contains a forest of remarkable mineral columns growing on the seabed. The columns formed over 10,000 years ago from the extremely rare mineral Ikait.

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#### DAY 10 | DAY AT SEA

Today we sail across the Denmark Strait towards Iceland. This route was used by Norse settlers travelling to Greenland around 900 years ago.

#### DAY 11 | VESTMANNAEYJAR (WESTMAN ISLANDS)

Located off the coast of South Iceland, the Westman Islands were formed by submarine volcanic eruptions 10,000 years ago. We go ashore on Heimaey, the only inhabited island of the archipelago.

#### DAY 12 | REYKJAVIK

In the morning we reach Reykjavik. After breakfast, it's time to say goodbye to the OCEAN DIAMOND. Want to extend your stay in Iceland? Book one of our post-tours and explore Reykjavik and the surrounding area.

#### ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Day 1 | Kangerlussuaq Charter flight from Keflavik to Kangerlussuaq in the afternoon /evening. Transfer to the OCEAN DIAMOND Day 2 | Sisimiut Explore the fishing town Day 3 | Ilulissat / Eqip Glacier Enjoy the iceberg-filled Ilulissat Ice Fjord Day 4 | Uummannaq

Beautiful villages north of the Polar Circle Day 5 | Disko Bay / Qegertarsuag Settlement on the Disko Island Day 6 | Nuuk Greenland's capital Day 7 | Ikka Fjord Underwater mineral columns Day 8 | Narsarsuaq Learn more about Erik the Red Day 9 | Day at Sea / Prince Christian Sound View the first icebergs Day 10 | Day at Sea / Denmark Strait Route used by Norse settlers Day 11 | Vestmannaeyjar (Westman Islands) Volcanic Islands off the South Coast Day 12 | Reykjavik - Disembarkation Arrival in Reykjavik

Since the arrival time in Reykjavik depends on weather conditions, we strongly recommend that you do not book your departure flights before 02:00 p.m.

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#### 11 NIGHTS NATURAL WONDERS OF GREENLAND & ICELAND

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#### **Included on ship**

| Accommodation in booked cabin category                                     |  |  |  |  |
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| All meals (breakfast, lunch and dinner)                                    |  |  |  |  |
| Coffee, tea and water  |  |  |  |  |
| Zodiac excursions (weather-dependent)                                      |  |  |  |  |
| Icelandic/English speaking guide   |  |  |  |  |
| All presentations from cruise staff and guest speakers                     |  |  |  |  |
| Onboard entertainment program  |  |  |  |  |
| Charter flight Kangerlussuaq – Keflavik incl. transfer in<br>Kangerlussuaq |  |  |  |  |
| Iceland ProCruises Windjacket  |  |  |  |  |

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#### Greenlandic dog



# **GREENLAND EXCURSIONS**

#### Explore the spectacular nature and culture of Greenland

Soft adventure is the emphasis of our shore excursions in Greenland, a combination of ground, water and air journeys that exude a rich understanding of the giant island, its unique peoples and incredible landscapes. Many of the excursions are naturally dependent on weather and ice conditions.

#### Ilulissat

#### **ICE FJORD CRUISE**

Tour Highlights: An unforgettable cruise among the icebergs of the UNESCO World Heritage Ice Fjord Difficulty Level: No walking involved

Remarks: Warm clothing recommended; excursion boat with mostly outdoor space and limited seats; it depends on the ice situation how far the excursion boat can go into the Ice Fjord

#### Duration: approx. 2 hours

Ilulissat means "icebergs" in Greenlandic and the Ilulissat Ice Fjord is impressive whether viewed from the air or the sea. Experience an unforgettable cruise to the mouth of the Ilulissat Ice Fjord, where an underwater moraine catches many of the large icebergs. The only way to cross the moraine is via pressure from behind - therefore you always see a multitude of huge icebergs directly in front of Ilulissat.

#### HIKE TO THE ICEBERGS OF SERMERMIUT

Tour Highlights: Learn more about the Inuit culture on this hike through the stunning arctic nature and see impressive icebergs

Difficulty Level: ATTENTION! This hike covers mountain terrain in all variations! Demanding 5 mile long hike

Remarks: Hiking shoes and outdoor clothing recommended; please bring a bottle of water with you; lunch boxes from OCEAN DIAMOND Duration: 5-6 hours

Hike through spectacular surroundings as we take you to "Holms Bakke" which offers great views to the Jakobshavn Ice Fjord with its many icebergs. It also leads to the Inuit ruins at Sermermiut where you can discover the culture and lifestyle of the early Inuit, the first people to settle Sermermiut around the year 2,000 BC.



You can still see the relics witnessing their presence. Hear the story about the Inuit people's life and traditions before the Europeans came to Greenland.

#### Narsarsuaq

#### **HIKE AND KAYAK TASIUSAO**

Tour Highlights: Combine a hike through the beautiful arctic landscape with the unique experience of kayaking through ice filled waters

Difficulty Level: Moderate 4.25 miles long hike on unpaved road; good physical condition for kayaking needed

Remarks: Hiking shoes and outdoor clothing recommended; kayak equipment and clothing included (raincoat, -trousers, spray skirt, rubber boots and life vest); please bring a bottle of water with you; lunch boxes from OCEAN DIAMOND Duration: 6-7 hours including transfer

In Qassiarsuk you will start your hike through stunning arctic landscapes to the remote community of Tasiusaq. The largely treeless and rocky fjord landscape of South Greenland resembles the fjords of western Norway. At the end you find sheep farms that give new meaning to the word 'remote'. It used to be the home of sheep farmers but nowadays it is abandoned. When you arrive to Tasiusaq, your local guide will give you a short introduction to the kayak equipment, before you start your extraordinary approx. 1.5 hours kayaking tour seeing glaciers and icebergs from a new and exciting perspective. At the end you will be picked up by a bus and driven back to Qassiarsuk.

#### Nuuk

#### FLIGHTSEEING

**Tour Highlights:** Exciting approx. 30 minutes helicopter flight plus 30 minutes ground stop in the mountains

Difficulty Level: No walking involved

**Remarks:** Clothes according to local weather; please note that helicopter flights are particularly weather dependent; cancellations are also frequent as the helicopter might be needed for rescue/emergency flights, if it is the only one available in this area **Duration:** approx. 1.5 hours including transfer **Min/Max:** 5/5 or 8/8 – dependent on available helicopter

Greenland's nature is by many considered the most beautiful in the world. This is your chance to see it from above. During the ground stop in between mountains you have a splendid vista over wild mountains and fjords of Nuuk. Do not miss this unique chance to experience astonishing views and bring back memories for life.



#### **CITY WALK INCL. NATIONAL MUSEUM**

**Tour Highlights:** A wonderful introduction to Greenland's capital Nuuk and a visit to the world famous mummies

**Difficulty Level:** Walking for approx. 2 hours with some steps

**Remarks:** Clothes according to local weather; please bring a bottle of water with you; entrance to the National Museum included

Duration: Approx. 2.5 hours

Nuuk is the capital of Greenland and its oldest town. Founded in 1728 by Danish–Norwegian missionary Hans Egede, Nuuk combines Arctic traditions and European urbanity.

With around 16,000 inhabitants, Nuuk is considered a bustling metropolis compared to the rest of Greenland's cities and settlements. This guided tour brings you to the old city centre and also includes a visit to the National Museum of Greenland which exhibits 500 year old Inuit-mummies discovered in Qilakitsoq 40 years ago. On the local market you can find seal, fish and musk ox.



#### Qeqertarsuaq

#### **BOTANIC TUNDRA HIKE**

**Tour Highlights:** Stunning landscapes, the "Valley of the Winds" – Blaesedal and waterfalls

**Difficulty Level:** Moderate 3 miles long hike in mountainous, uneven terrain

**Remarks:** Hiking shoes and outdoor clothing recommended; please bring a bottle of water with you **Duration:** Approx. 2.5 hours

The "Valley of the Winds" is located right outside of Qeqertarsuaq. Sometimes, a heavy wind blows on this Arctic plateau. That is where the valley Blaesedalen received its name from. But the valley also impresses with its waterfalls and large scenic variety with diversified flora and fauna. Learn more about tundra vegetation and adaptions of plants to Arctic climate on this botanic hike.



## Sisimiut

Tour Highlights: Amazing scenery and Inuit culture Difficulty Level: Approx. 2 hours hike on uneven terrain

**Remarks:** Hiking shoes and outdoor clothing recommended; please bring a bottle of water with you **Duration:** Approx. 2.5 hours

You want to know more about the Greenlandic culture? Participate on a guided hike to the place where it all started 4,000 years ago. Different Inuit cultures used the Tele–Island as hunting grounds for many years. Learn about the way they lived. From the Tele–Island you have a beautiful view over Sisimiut with the Mountain Nasaasaq in the background.



## Uummannaq

Tour Highlights: History and culture of Greenland Difficulty Level: Easy walk to the museum and church Remarks: Entrance to museum and visit of the church included

Uummannaq Museum tells fantastic stories from the region. Particularly interesting is the museum's exhibition of the extensive polar exploration that took place and Alfred Wegener's expedition on a propeller-driven sled on the Ice Sheet. Wegener became world-famous due to his theory of continental drift. His aim was to build a scientific station in the middle of the Ice Sheet. The museum also houses copies of the famous Qilaktisog mummies, which were discovered in this area in 1972. The church next door is the only stone church in Greenland and is also open for our guests to visit.



**Note:** All shore excursions are provisional and subject to change as weather, road and other conditions may affect the itinerary. Our detailed shore excursion program (with prices) is available starting in autumn 2019 on our website: www.icelandprocruises.co.uk

# OCEAN DIAMOND

# Iceland ProCruis

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#### Enjoy the breathtaking nature of Iceland and Greenland aboard the OCEAN DIAMOND

Thanks to two stabilizers that significantly reduce roll and an ice-strengthened hull, the OCEAND DIAMOND is the ideal ship for exploring the waters around Iceland and Greenland.




# Experience the personal atmosphere

The OCEAN DIAMOND has been traveling around Iceland and Greenland since 2015. The cabins have been completely renovated in 2018. You can enjoy many included services on your cruise, such as a three-course dinner menu and an entertainment program on board.







# **Cabin Features**

| Category | Туре                      | Cabin Features   | Size                              | Deck       |
|----------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|------------|
| A        | Balcony Suite             | Balcony Suites offer a double or twin beds and a private bathroom with shower.<br>A sitting area with TV, wardrobe and refrigerator makes your stay even more<br>pleasant. Additional amenities include individual temperature controls, hair dryer<br>and satellite telephone access. Enjoy the view from floor-to-ceiling windows or a<br>balcony that can be accessed via a sliding door.                                   | Ca. 30 m² <i>1</i><br>322 sq. ft. | Deck 7     |
| D        | Outside Cabin             | Outside cabins in Category D with double bed or two twin beds as well as private<br>bathroom with shower. The cabin also includes TV, wardrobe and refrigerator.<br>Further amenities include individual temperature controls, hair dryer and satellite<br>telephone access. A picture window provides great unrestricted views of the ocean<br>and landscapes. All cabins of this category were redecorated in 2017 and 2018. | Ca. 16–18 m² /<br>172–292 sq. ft. | Deck 4 + 6 |
| • 0      | Outside (Restricted View) | Outside cabins in Category O feature a double bed or two twin beds as well as<br>a private bathroom with shower. Each cabin is equipped with TV, wardrobe,<br>refrigerator, individual temperature controls, hair dryer and satellite telephone<br>access. The view through the picture window is obstructed by the ship's lifeboats.<br>All cabins of this category were redecorated in 2017.                                 | Ca. 16 m² <i> </i><br>172 sq. ft. | Deck 5 + 6 |
| P        | Outside (Porthole View)   | Outside cabins in this category feature a double bed or two twin beds and a private bathroom with shower. They are roomy and feature TV, wardrobe, refrigerator, individual temperature controls, satellite telephone access and hair dryer. All cabins of this category were redecorated in 2018.   | Ca. 17 m² /<br>185 sq. ft.        | Deck 3     |
| T        | Triple Cabin              | Outside on deck 4 with 2 lower beds and 1 upper bed and a private bathroom with<br>shower/WC. They are roomy and feature TV, wardrobe, refrigerator, individual tem-<br>perature controls, satellite telephone access and hair dryer. A picture window<br>provides great unrestricted views of the ocean and landscapes. All triple cabins in<br>category T were redecorated in 2018   | Ca. 17,5 m² /<br>189 sq. ft.      | Deck 4     |
|          |                           |  |                                   |            |





# **Ship Specification**



## Vessel:

| Flag:              | Bahamas             |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| Built/Refurbished: | 1974/1986/2012/2018 |
| Crew:              | 106                 |
| Guests: max        | 210                 |
| Ice Class:         | 1D                  |
| Length:            | 124 m               |
| Width:             | 16 m                |
| Max speed:         | 15 knots            |
| Voltage:           | 220 V               |

Thanks to two stabilizers that significantly reduce roll and an ice-strengthened hull, the OCEAN DIAMOND is the ideal ship for exploring the waters around Iceland and Greenland.

Due to its compact size, the OCEAN DIAMOND can enter fjords and bays too shallow for larger vessels. The ship features a range of modern onboard amenities and is staffed with outstanding officers and crew, as well as bilingual expedition leaders and guides.

The ship's Zodiacs are available for shore excursions. After a busy day of exploration, passengers can savor a health or beauty treatment in the onboard Spa, or enjoy views of the spectacular Arctic scenery from the Panorama Salon.

The Green Initiatives on the OCEAN DIAMOND include: Better water conservation practices, reducing and eliminating single use plastics and using biodegradable shampoos and cleaning products.











DECK 6













# **PRACTICAL INFORMATION**

#### ALCOHOL

Bringing alcohol aboard is generally not allowed. The only exception is a small "corkage fee" charged to passengers who want to enjoy a special bottle of wine with a meal. A large variety of alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks are served on board in the restaurant and bar.

#### CABIN FEATURES

All cabins are equipped with shower/toilet, television, closet, refrigerator, hairdryer and access to satellite phone. Cabins are cleaned daily and there is turndown service.

# CHANGES TO CRUISE ITINERARY & SHORE EXCURSIONS

Due to local weather, sea and ice conditions, all of our cruise itineraries and shore excursions are subject to change. The implementation of our shore excursions also depends on reaching the minimum/ maximum number of participants for each activity. Iceland ProCruises reserves the right to change the itinerary and trip content without prior notice.

#### CHILDREN

Children must be 8 years or older (10 years or older on trips that combine Greenland and Iceland). Discounts of 25% on cruises and shore excursions are offered to children up to age 12 staying in their parents' cabin. Please note that we do not offer child-care services or children's play areas on board. Riding our Zodiacs requires a certain level of body control. Due to safety reasons, the captain reserves the right to refuse a landing with children.

#### **CRUISE CARD**

At embarkation you will receive a personal Cruise Card which you should always have with you. This card is used on board as a combination payment instrument and identity card. Shore excursions, alcoholic beverages, spa services etc. will be paid with your cruise card. At the end of the voyage you can settle your account by credit card (we accept Visa, MasterCard and American Express) or you can pay with cash (USD).

#### **DRESS CODE**

The dress code on board is casual. Leave your ties, jackets and evening dresses at home. For days at sea and ashore we recommend comfortable, breathable, waterproof and windproof clothing, plus gloves, thermal underwear and sturdy footwear. For the captain's and Farewell cocktail parties we recommend smart casual dress style.

#### GRATUITIES

Tipping is a way of showing your appreciation for a service received on board from the hotel staff or Expedition Team. The amount of the gratuity is totally at your discretion. During the voyage we hand out a flyer about the handling of tips. For your convenience, we can charge the suggested gratuity to your onboard account. If you would like to cancel or make adjustments to the gratuity posted on your account, you can do so by visiting the reception desk. Gratuities are divided amongst the hotel crew and Expedition Team.

#### **HEALTH & MEDICAL EMERGENCY**

Although we do not have an official requirement regarding personal fitness, you should be able to move on board and ashore without the help of others. At all times there is an English-speaking doctor on board. The ship is equipped with a small clinic and medications to treat certain emergencies.

**BBQ Party at the Pool Decl** 

#### INSURANCE

Repatriation costs in case of illness can be extremely high. Therefore, we strongly recommend purchasing travel/health insurance prior to your voyage, specifically policies that cover repatriation costs to your home country. This insurance is mandatory for our trips to Greenland. Information on all-inclusive insurance packages — including travel cancellation, curtailment, baggage and medical — can be found on the websites of various providers.

#### **INTERNET & PHONE**

Iceland ProCruises offers free WiFi in the public areas of Club Lounge, Observation Lounge and Library during Iceland Cruises. There is no free Wifi in those areas during Greenland Cruises. For an extra charge we offer internet access in your cabin. Mobile-phone reception should be possible in most regions along our route. For further details please contact your mobile phone operator. A telephone deposit for external phone calls as well as an internet deposit for your laptop or tablet can be purchased at the reception.Please ensure that your 'Data Roaming' feature is switched off.

#### LANGUAGE ONBOARD

English is the official language on board. Therefore all members of our Expedition Team and the reception staff speak English (as well as German). Onboard announcements are made in English and German. The daily program as well as the dining room menu are also bilingual (English and German). If you require translation, our multi-lingual Expedition Team is always at your disposal.

#### LAUNDRY

Professional laundry service is available for an additional charge.

#### **PASSPORTS & VISAS**

Each passenger is responsible for ensuring that he/ she meets the applicable passport and visa requirements for the duration of the trip. The passport is the only valid proof of identity for all trips with the OCEAN DIAMOND. An ID card is not sufficient. The passport must be valid for at least 6 months after your trip ends. Please note that each participant is responsible for obtaining all necessary documents. Costs incurred due to insufficient travel documents must be paid by the passenger.

#### **PHYSICAL DISABILITIES & ACCESSIBILITY**

Guests with physical disabilities are recommended to travel with an accompanying person. The particular processes on board should be handled without external help. The gangway can be – depending on the individual disability – a challenge. The angle of inclination of the gangway varies due to tide and different circumstances in the respective port. Please note that the guest's participation in shore excursions as well as the (dis-)embarkation by zodiac can be denied by the master or Cruise Leader due to security reasons. The instructions of the master must be followed. The ship is not suitable for wheelchairs. A medical certificate must be submitted on request by Iceland ProCruises.

#### **RESTAURANT/DINING**

Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included in your cruise price. Breakfast and lunch are buffet style; dinner is a la carte. Coffee, tea and water are free during the entire voyage; other drinks can be purchased in the restaurant or bar. If you're not on board at lunch time, we prepare a lunch box for you to take ashore. In the afternoon we offer tea and coffee in the lounge on Deck 4, which is also the venue for our late-night snack.

#### SAFETY

The ship complies with all safety requirements and is certified for travel in Arctic waters. Before departure, all passengers receive instructions in onboard safety procedures and operations including the location of lifejackets in your cabin. Familiarize yourself with the ship's evacuation plan. Special safety procedures apply to trips in the Zodiacs.

#### SMOKING

For safety reasons and to protect the health of our guests and employees, smoking is permitted only in the designated smoking area on the outside deck. Do not throw your cigarette butts overboard but use the ashtray. Smoking is strictly prohibited in all cabins, on balconies and in all other locations on the ship.

#### **SPECIAL REQUESTS DIETARY**

Please inform us about any special dietary needs (e.g. vegetarian or gluten free, diabetic food) at least two weeks before departure. In order to ensure efficient service, please re-confirm your requirements with the crew after boarding the ship.

#### VACCINATIONS

Ask your local health authorities about recommended vaccinations.

#### VOLTAGE

All cabins are equipped with 220 volt outlets (Europlug socket).

#### **ZODIAC LANDINGS**

One of our features are landings and excursions with our motorized rubber boats of the brand "Zodiac". The boat has both a low draught and a big stability. Zodiac vests are mandatory to wear. Zodiac-landings generally depend on local circumstances. In each case the master makes the final decision if the landing is realizable or not. Particular safety regulations apply on landings. All guests receive a mandatory instruction of the security guidelines.



## Recommended Packing List

For your cruise with the OCEAN DIAMOND to be enjoyable, we recommend packing the following items:

#### CLOTHES

- O Warm, weatherproof jacket
- Rainwear (jacket and trousers)
- Gloves, scarf and hat
- Waterproof walking/hiking boots (low walking shoes not suitable on some excursions)
- Bathing suit and towel
- Sunhats/caps
- Smart Casual Dress" for dinner (evening gown or suit is not necessary!)

#### **COSMETICS AND MEDICINES**

- Personal medication
- If necessary, seasickness tablets / patches
- Sunscreen
- C Lip Care
- Fly/Insect repellent
- 🔿 First Aid Kit

#### **OTHER EQUIPMENT**

- 🔘 Camera / Battery
- Replacement batteries, memory cards
- All necessary cables
- Sunglasses
- Binoculars
- Roomy daypack (for shore excursions, etc.)
- Travel Guide
- Adaptors/converters if needed (ship has 220 volt European two prong style outlets)

#### **MONEY/DOCUMENTS**

- All Iceland ProCruises travel documents incl. contact details
- Any additional Air / coach tickets that have not been booked by IPC
- A valid passport
- Copies of passport (passports are collected at embarkation and stored)
- Insurance papers
- Credit card (+ PIN)
- Some cash (USD / ISK)

# AIR & GROUND



# Use our attractive Air & Ground packages for your arrival and departure

## Air & Ground Iceland 1

Iceland Circumnavigation

### Included (four-star Hotel)

Direct economy class flights to/from Keflavik Taxes Airport transfers 1 night/day use room in a four-star Hotel in Reykjavik incl. breakfast (double occupancy) Excursion "Reykjavik City Tour" Single room supplement prices on request

Air & Ground per person from

## prices on request

#### Included (three-star Hotel)

Direct economy class flights to/from Keflavik Taxes Airport transfers 1 night/day use room in a three-star Hotel in Reykjavik incl. breakfast (double occupancy) Excursion "Reykjavik City Tour" Single room supplement prices on request

Air & Ground per person from

### prices on request

## Air & Ground Iceland 2

Northern Lights and Whales

#### Included

Direct economy class flights to/from Keflavik Taxes Airport transfers

Air & Ground per person from

prices on request

Flights from all Icelandair destinations in North America and Canada available. For best available prices please contact us.



## Air & Ground Greenland 1

Iceland and Natural Wonders of Greenland

### Included

Direct economy class flights to/from Keflavik, Taxes Airport transfers 1 night/day use room in a four-star Hotel in Reykjavik incl. breakfast (double occupancy) 1 night in a four-star Hotel in Keflavik incl. breakfast (double occupancy) Excursion "Reykjavik City Tour" Single room supplement prices on request

Air & Ground per person from

### prices on request

# Air & Ground Greenland 2

Natural Wonders of Greenland and Iceland

#### Included Direct economy class flights to/from Keflavik Taxes Airport transfers Excursion "Blue Lagoon incl. admission"

Air & Ground per person from

## prices on request

\* Prices subject to availability of Icelandair booking classes.

Upgrade Saga Class (for flights with Icelandair) Prices upon request

#### Transfers

Airport Keflavik – Harbor Reykjavik – Airport Keflavik (one way fare) Per person prices on request

Hotel Reykjavik – Harbor Reykjavik – Hotel Reykjavik (one way fare) Per person prices on request

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# HOTELS AND RENTAL CARS

# Hotels in Reykjavik

#### Three star hotels in Reykjavik available from

Double room p. p.prices on requestSingle room p. p.prices on request



Four star hotels in Reykjavik available from Double room p. p. prices on request Single room p. p. prices on request



Europcar

# Extend your stay and explore Iceland by rental car

### If you want to explore Iceland on your own.

Car rentals are available before, after and during your cruise at the following cities: Isafjordur, Akureyri, Husavik, Reykjavik and Keflavik Airport (one way rental fee on request). Details, services and additional price categories available on request.

## Price examples per day in GBP

| Category<br>Z – Type Kia Picanto,<br>Toyota Aygo | Facts                 |          | High Season<br>(15.0619.08.) | Shoulder Season<br>(01.0514.06. /<br>20.0830.09.) |
|--|-----------------------|----------|------------------------------|---|
|  | 3<br>2<br>2<br>no     |          | 90                           | 60  |
| A – Type VW Polo, Toyota Yaris<br>Suzuki Swift   | i,                    |          |                              |   |
|  | 5<br>2/3<br>2/3<br>no |          | 95                           | 65  |
| B – Type VW Golf, Kia Ceed,<br>Toyota Auris      |                       |          |                              |   |
|  | 5<br>3<br>3<br>no     |          | 105                          | 69  |
| N – Type Skoda Octavia Kombi                     |                       |          |                              |   |
|  | 5<br>5<br>5<br>no     |          | 125                          | 75  |
| Doors Persons                                    | :                     | Suitcase | e 🔏 Allowed                  | in the highlands                                  |

| <b>Category</b><br>FG – Type Dacia Duster 4x4                    | Facts                        |          | High Season<br>(15.0619.08.) | Shoulder Season<br>(01.0514.06. /<br>20.0830.09.) |
|--|------------------------------|----------|------------------------------|---|
|  | 5<br>4<br>4<br>yes           |          | 185                          | 115   |
| H1 (Automatic) – Type Kia<br>Sorento 4x4                         |                              |          |                              |   |
|  | 5<br>4<br>5<br>yes           |          | 235                          | 150   |
| I1 (Automatic) – Type Toyota l<br>cruiser, Mitsubishi Pajero 4x4 | _and-                        |          |                              |   |
|  | 5<br>5<br>5<br>yes           |          | 295                          | 180   |
| R (Automatic) Type Audi Q7 4x4                                   |                              |          |                              |   |
|  | 5<br>5-7<br>(rooftop)<br>yes |          | 355                          | 235   |
| Doors Persons  | Ê                            | Suitcase | e 🔝 Allowed                  | in the highlands                                  |

# PRE AND POST PROGRAMS

Seljalandsfoss Waterfall

# **Day Excursions**

Why not stay a little longer? Our pre- or post-cruise programs perfectly complement your voyage on the OCEAN DIAMOND. Whether it's a self-drive car trip, additional hotel nights or a helicopter tour to one of the largest waterfalls in Iceland, you design your ultimate Iceland adventure.

#### SOUTH COAST ADVENTURE

On this comfortable coach tour, we travel along Iceland's scenic south shore to Vik, a village flanked by high cliffs and black sand beaches. Along the way we stop at Skogafoss and Seljalandsfoss waterfalls, and Skogar Folk museum to see how Icelanders lived in past centuries. All day long there are stunning views of glaciers, coastlines and impressive rock formations.

Duration: Approx. 10 hrs



#### **GOLDEN CIRCLE**

This eclectic journey takes visitors to the world famous Geysir area with its active geysers, and Gullfoss waterfall, which plunges 230 feet (70 meters) in three stages into a narrow rock chasm. The journey continues into Thingvellir National Park, where Iceland's ancient parliament convened, and the hot spring of Nesjavellir. On the way back to the capital, we briefly stop at the former bishopric of Skalholt and visit the greenhouses of Fridheimar. Duration: Approx. 8 hours

#### SILVER CIRCLE HELICOPTER TOUR

Taking off from Reykjavik, the helicopter glides above Hvalfjordur Fjord and impressive Glymur waterfall, which cascades 640 feet (195 meters) down a volcanic cliff. We then fly into Thingvellir National Park (a UNESCO World Heritage Site) to get a bird's-eye-view of the rift valley that separates the North American and Eurasian tectonic plates. Finally we soar over Mt. Hengill volcano and its active geothermal field of steamy wonders and nearby geothermal power plant. Duration: Approx. 1.5 hrs

#### SUPER-JEEP SAFARI THORSMORK

With its varied vegetation and spectacular topography, Thorsmork is a paradise for hikers and nature enthusiasts. Located near the south coast, the valley is surrounded by three glaciers including the famous Eyjafjallajokull. To reach this remote area we need to cross countless rivers of various sizes in our Super-Jeep vehicle - a bonus for off-road fans! Other stops along the way include Gígjokull glacial lagoon, the Seljalandsfoss waterfall and the active volcanic area around Hengill. Good footwear is a prerequisite.

Duration: Approx. 8-10 hrs

## SUPER-JEEP SAFARI

#### HIGHLANDS REGION LANDMANNALAUGAR

This audacious tour starts with a rough and tumble ride in specially equipped 4x4 vehicles into the Thjorsa Valley to explore the colorful highland area of Landmannalaugar. Hiking trails lead into the surrounding mountains and along the banks of Ljotipollur crater lake. There's also time to enjoy a dip in one of the freshwater springs which dot this amazing landscape.

Duration: Approx. 10-12 hrs

#### **INSIDE THE VOLCANO**

Have you ever wondered what the inside of a volcano looks like? On this adventure unique to Iceland, visitors descend into the 4,000-year-old, dormant Thrihnukagigur Volcano. After a 50-minute hike along the crater floor, visitors descend via an open elevator 400 feet (192 meters) into a magma chamber once filled with glowing hot lava. Due to rough terrain, participants are advised to wear solid footwear as well as warm, waterproof clothing. Duration: Approx. 5-6 hrs

Note: Prices for our pre and post programs can be found on our website www.icelandprocruises.co.uk from autumn 2019.



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# **GOOD TO KNOW**

# Iceland

#### LAND AND ITS PEOPLE

Iceland fascinates with diversity. There are not many places on earth where you can find black-sand beaches, erupting volcanoes, lumbering glaciers and thunderous waterfalls while at the same time swimming in hot springs, betting on when geysers will erupt, and hiking across barren rocky deserts or across regions with a fascinating diversity of moss, lichen and shrubs. The inhabited coast regions form the smallest part of the island. 11% of Iceland's surface is covered by glaciers while 60% of the whole country is dominated by uninhabited highlands or deserts. These desolate regions can only be crossed by 4–wheel–drive vehicles during summer. The volcanic island offers lots of space for its inhabitants. Approx. 330.000 people live on 103.000 km<sup>2</sup> with two thirds of the population living in the capital area, located in the southwest. The peninsula Reykjanes is home to the international airport Keflavik, about 45 km from the capital. Iceland is also famous for its hospitality, which visitors can experience throughout the country.

#### CLIMATE

Although the warm Gulf Stream has a positive effect on the climate, you have to be ready for all kinds of weather. In summer temperatures vary around  $12^{\circ}$ - $15^{\circ}$  C/53-59° F, although they may rise up to  $20^{\circ}$ C/68° F. Rain showers are always possible, even if they do not last long. Temperatures in winter are around +/-  $5^{\circ}$ C/23-41° F; even though it can be very windy, it is not as cold as generally assumed.

#### CURRENCY

The currency used in Iceland is the Icelandic Krone ("krona" or ISK). The homepage of the Icelandic National Bank (www.cb.is) informs about current exchange rates. All major credit cards like Master Card, Visa, JCB, Diners and American Express are widely accepted.

**Important:** Most shops, restaurants and especially gas stations also request the PIN number of the credit card, to complete the payment.

ATMs for cash withdrawals are available in larger towns and airports.

#### LANGUAGE

The official language is Icelandic. The roots of this old language go back to the era of Norwegian Vikings. English and Danish are nowadays very common as well.

#### TIME DIFFERENCE

Iceland belongs to the time zone of GMT (Greenwich Mean Time).

# Greenland

#### LAND AND ITS PEOPLE

Greenland, an autonomous country within the Kingdom of Denmark, is home to approximately 56,000 people and has impressive surface of 2,166,086 km<sup>2</sup>. While the northern corner of the island is located only 730 km south of the North Pole, the South of Greenland lies on the same latitude as Oslo. With several climate zones Greenland offers both a diversity of scenery and a variety of wildlife. Majestic whales, musk oxen and sea eagles are only some examples of animal species which habitat in this region. During the summer, visitors encounter blankets of wildflowers which form a vibrant contrast to the icebergs floating in the nearby fjords and the massive inland ice cap. Over 1,000 years ago, Erik the Red decided to settle here and gave the unknown country its name. Today, many ruins recall the history of those early Norse settlers. The Disko Bay at the west coast is dominated by impressive icebergs in all kinds of different shapes and colors. This ever-changing display is a result of large pieces of ice "calving" (breaking off) from the outer edge of Sermeq Kualleq Glacier and floating through the Ilulissat Ice Fjord into the bay. The rich waters of Disko Bay also attract an array of whales, seabirds and other wildlife. Nuuk with 16,000 inhabitants is the biggest city in Greenland.

Ingjaldsholskirkja, Snaefellsnes penisula

#### CLIMATE

Greenland has an Arctic climate, which means that you have to be prepared for sunny days, but also for cold, fresh mornings and evenings. The average temperature reaches a maximum of +10°C/50°F during the summer months. Nevertheless you might experience days with temperatures of +15-20°C/59-68°F. Therefore it is important to bring warm as well as light clothes that you can layer.

#### CURRENCY

Greenland is an autonomous country within the Kingdom of Denmark and uses Danish Kroner (DKK) as currency. We strongly advise you to exchange money before arriving in Greenland. Most hotels and many shops accept all major credit cards, but in several places cash will be more useful as ATMs are only available in larger towns.

#### LANGUAGE

Kalaallisut (West Greenlandic) has become the sole official language. Danish is still widely used in the administration and in higher education, as well as remaining the first or only language for some people in Nuuk and the larger towns. The majority of the population speaks both Kalaallisut and Danish. Although schools in larger communities generally teach English, inhabitants of small communities usually do not speak English.

#### TIME DIFFERENCE

In summer the southwest part of Greenland is 2 hours behind GMT (Greenwich Mean Time).

# **Booking Terms and Conditions**

These Terms and Conditions, together with our privacy policy and where your hol-iday is booked via our website, our Website Terms of Use, together with any other written information we brought to your attention before we confirmed your book-ing, form the basis of your contract with Iceland ProTavel of 51 Clarkgrove Road, Sheffield Sto 2NH (hereinafter IPT, "we", "su", "our") please read them and the in-formation carefully as you will be bound by them. In these terms and conditions references to "your" and "your" include the first named person on the booking and all persons on whose behalf a booking is made or any other person to whom a booking is added or transferred.

Where you make a booking via lceland Pro Cruises GmbH, a company registered in Switzerland, with registered office address of Baarerstrasse 1, 6700 Zug, Switzer-land ("IPC"), whether that's via the IPC brochure or otherwise, IPC acts solely as an agent on behalf of Iceland ProTravel Limited. Your contract for the travel arrange-ments is with Iceland ProTravel Limited. Your contract for the travel arrange-ments is with Iceland ProTravel Limited on the terms and conditions below. IPC has no liability to you for the provision of the travel arrangements or for the acts or omissions of Iceland ProTravel, or otherwise in relation to your contract with Ice-land ProTravel Limited. land ProTravel Limited.

#### CONTRACT

Your contract is with IPT on the basis of these Terms and Conditions and the information contained in the brochure, and shall be governed by English law and the jurisdiction of the English Courts. You may however choose the law and jurisdiction of Scotland or Northern Ireland if you wish to do so.

By making a booking, the first named person on the booking agrees on behalf of all persons detailed on the booking that:

- a) he/she has read these Terms and Conditions and has the authority to and does agree to be bound by them;
- agree to be ownrd by them;
   b) helshe consents to our use of personal data in accordance with our Privacy Policy and is authorised on behalf of all persons named on the booking to disclose their personal details to us, including where applicable, special categories of data (such as information on health conditions or disabilities and dietary requirements);
- c) he/she is over 18 years of age and resident in the United Kingdom and where placing an order for services with age restrictions, declares that he/she and all members of the party are of the appropriate age to purchase those services;
- d) he/she accepts financial responsibility for payment of the booking on behalf of all persons detailed on the booking.

#### 1. BOOKING

1. BOOKING A booking is made with us when you pay us a deposit (or full payment if you are booking within 8 weeks of departure) and we issue you with a booking confirma-tion. We reserve the right to return your deposit and decline to issue a booking con-firmation a tour absolute discretion. A binding contract will come into existence between you and us as soon as we have issued you with a booking confirmation that will confirm the details of your booking and will be sent to you or your travel agent. When you book a cruise holiday you will also become responsible to pay for any additional arcanements made buy can your booking holding in the diversion of light of the your booking and buy the your book hold to your your book hold to your your book hold to your book hold to your your book hold to your book hold to be the your book hold to your b additional arrangements made by us on your behalf including international flights not included in any air package, optional excursions, travel insurance or other ar-rangements requested by you and booked.

The balance of the cost of your arrangements (including any applicable surcharge) is due not less than 8 weeks prior to schedule departure. If we do not receive this balance in full and on time, we reserve the right to treat your booking as cancelled by you, in which case the cancellation charges set out in clause 6 below will become payable.

For group bookings (parties of 10 persons or more) made less than 12 weeks before departure, full payment is required at the time of booking. If we can be accept the booking due to non-availability of services, any money paid to Iceland Pro Travel Ltd will be promptly refunded.

It will be promptly refunded. If your confirmed arrangements include a flight, we (or if you booked via an author-ized agent of ours, that agent) will send you an ATOL Certificate and a confirmation. Upon receipt, if you believe that any details on the ATOL Certificate or confirmation or any other or any other document are wrong you must contact us immediately. If you book your holiday through a travel agent all communication must be through

that agent. All monies you pay to the travel agent are held by the travel agent on our behalf at all times.

#### 2. FINANCIAL PROTECTION

2. FINANCIAL PROTECTION We hold an Air Travel Organised License granted by the Civil Aviation Authority, Gatwick Airport South, West Sussex, RH6 oYR, UK, telephone 0333 103 6350, email: claims@ccaa.co.uk, under number 7434. When you buy an ATOL protected flight or flight inclusive holiday from us you will receive an ATOL Certificate. This lists the flight, accommodation, car hire, voyage and/or other services that are financially protected, where you can get information on what this means for you and who to contact if things go wrong. In the unlikely event of our insolvency the CAA will en-sure that you are not stranded abroad if you have booked a cruise holiday from this booking. For further information visit the ATOL webite at www.atol.org.uk. The price of our flight inclusive arrangements includes the amount of £2.50 per person as part of the ATOL Protection Contribution (APC) we pay to the CAA. This charge is included in our advertised prices. Not all holiday of travel services offered and sold by us will be protected by the ATOL Scheme. ATOL protection extends primarily to customers who book and pay in the United Kingdom and European Economic Area (EEA). custor (EEA).

We, or the suppliers identified on your ATOL Certificate, will provide you with the services listed on the ATOL Certificate (or a suitable alternative). In some cases, where neither we nor the supplier are able to do so for reasons of insolvency, an alternative ATOL holder may provide you with the services you have bought (at no extra cost to you). You agree to accept that in those circumstances the alternative ATOL holder will nervice these believes and we have the alternative and attra to be able to be a ATOL holder will perform those obligations and you agree to pay any money out-standing to be paid by you under your contract to that alternative ATOL holder. However, you also agree that in some cases it will not be possible to appoint an alternative ATOL holder, in which case you will be entitled to make a claim under the ATOL Scheme (or your credit card issuer where applicable).

the ATOL Scheme (or your credit card issuer where applicable). If we, or the suppliers identified on your ATOL certificate, are unable to provide the services listed (or a suitable alternative, through an alternative ATOL holder or oth-erwise) for reasons of insolvency, the Trustees of the Air Travel Trust may make a payment to (or confer a benefit on) you under the ATOL scheme. You agree that in return for such a payment or benefit you assign absolutely to those Trustees any claims which you have or may have arising out of or relating to the non-provision of the services, including any claim against us, the travel agent (or your credit card issuer where applicable). You also agree that any such claims may be re-assigned to another body, if that other body has paid sums you have claimed under the ATOL scheme. scheme.

If you book arrangements other than an air packaged holiday from this brochure your monies are protected by our bond held with ABTA, ABTA Ltd, The Travel Asso-ciation, 30 Park Street, London SE 95Q, www.abta.co. w.k. We are also a member of the Association of British Travel Agents, tour operator class ABTA Y6096.

#### 3. PAYMENT

Iceland

The total price of the arrangements you have booked is due and payable once you have asked us to confirm your booking as follows:

A deposit of 20% is payable to secure your booking. The balance is due 8 weeks before your scheduled departure date. No second invoice will be sent. Travel docu-ments will be issued 15-30 days prior to departure.

Our preferred method of deposit payment is by bank transfer, debit - or credit card. Balance payment may be made by bank transfer, debit card or credit card (providing there is time to clear it to meet the payment schedule shown above). We do not accept payment by cheque

- you should allow 5 working days for clearance from the time we receive it

### 4. CREDIT CARD CHARGES

No charge will be made for deposits or balances paid by Debit or Credit Cards 4.a PRICES

The price of your holiday was calculated using exchange rates quoted by Lands-bankinn in Iceland on 1st of May 2019 in relation to the following currencies: USD,

All Voyage prices printed in this brochure are in pounds sterling and are per person An objage price printer in this polarity are in polarity stering and a te per person based on full occupancy of the cabin accommodation unless otherwise stated. Sin-gle/Sole occupancy of cabins with more than one berth is at our discretion as single/ sole use of multiple berth cabins will be limited. The price of your voyage arrange-ments was calculated using exchange rates quoted by Landsbanki in Iceland on 01.09.2018 in USD to British pound (GBP) 0,81. We reserve the right to amend the price of unsold holidays at any time and correct arrows in the point of confirmed holidayy. We also recome the right to increase the

rerors in the prices of confirmed holidays. We also reserve the right to increase the price of confirmed holidays solely to allow for increases which are a direct conse-quence of changes in:

- (i) the price of the carriage of passengers resulting from the cost of fuel or other power sources;
- the level of taxes or fees chargeable for services applicable to the holiday im-posed by third parties not directly involved in the performance of the holiday, including tourist taxes, landing taxes or embarkation or disembarkation fees (ii) at ports and airports: and
- (iii) the exchange rates relevant to the package.

Such variations could include but are not limited to airline cost changes which are part of our contracts with airlines (and their agents), cruise ship operators and any other transport providers.

We will absorb and you will not be charged for any increase equivalent to 2% of the price of your travel arrangements, which excludes insurance premiums and any amendment charges and/or additional services or travel arrangements. You will be charged for the amount over and above that.

charged for the amount over and above that. However, if this means that you have to pay an increase of more than 8% of the price of your confirmed ruise holiday (excluding any insurance premiums, amend-ment charges and/or additional services or travel arrangements), you will have the option of accepting a change to another holiday if we are able to offer one (if this is of equivalent or higher quality you will not have to pay more but if it is of lower quality you will be refunded the difference in price), or cancelling and receiving a full refund of all monies paid to us, except for any insurance premiums and any amendment charges and/or additional services or travel arrangements. Should you deride to cared for this coron, you much vergerice your inblt to do con within 7 days. decide to cancel for this reason, you must exercise your right to do so within 7 days from the issue date printed on your final invoice.

Should the price of your holiday go down due to the changes mentioned above, then any refund due will be paid to you less an administrative fee of f per person. However, please note that travel arrangements are not always purchased in local currency and some apparent changes have no impact on the price of your travel due to contractual and other protection in place. There will be no change made to the price of your confirmed holiday within 20 days

of your departure nor will refunds be paid during this period.

4.b OCEAN DIAMOND CRUISE PRICES DO NOT INCLUDE

#### Travel Insurance

Luggage Handling

Gratuities

International Flights except flights included in the Air and Ground Package Optional Excursions

Optional excursions booked before you travel or local excursions or other activities that you may choose to book and pay for whilst on holiday are not part of your cruise provided by us nor are we agents for the provider of the service. For any ex-cursion or other activity you book before departure or with which you are assisted in arranging whilst on holiday, your contract will solely be with the supplier of the excursion or activity and not with IPT. We are not responsible for anything that happens during the course of its provision by the supplier nor for the provision of your excursion or activity.

#### 5. CHANGES & TRANSFERS OF YOUR BOOKING MADE BY YOU

If you wish to change your travel arrangements after they have been confirmed we will do our utmost to help but it may not always be possible. Any request for chang-es to be made must be in writing by the person who made the booking or your travel agent. You will be asked to pay an administration charge of £55 per person and any further cost we incur in making this alteration. NB: most airlines will charge for for title chapper. Cost may increase the done to the doportion date that the angle of the doport of the most arrange the done to the doportion date that the set of the doport of the most arrange the done to the doportion date that the done of the doport of the most arrange the done to the doportion date that the done of the doport of the doport of the done of the doport of t a fee for ticket changes. Costs may increase the closer to the departure date that changes are made.

If you change the number of people in your party, the price of the arrangements will be recalculated for the new party size, this may mean that accommodation is un-der-occupied and each member of the party may have to pay an increased price. Where we are unable to assist you and you do not wish to proceed with the original booking and we will treat this as a cancellation by you. A cancellation fee may be payable in accordance with clause 6.

#### Transfer of Booking:

If you or any member of your party is prevented from travelling, that person(s) may transfer their place to someone else, subject to the following conditions:

- a. that person is introduced by you and satisfies all the conditions applicable to the holiday:
- b. we are notified not less than 7 days before departure;
- c. you pay any outstanding balance payment, an amendment fee of £50 per per-son transferring, as well as any additional fees, charges or other costs arising from the transfer: and
- d. the transferee agrees to these booking conditions and all other terms of th contract between us.

You and the transferee remain jointly and severally liable for payment of all sums. If you are unable to find a replacement, cancellation charges as set out in clause 6 will apply in order to cover our estimated costs. Otherwise, no refunds will be given for passengers not travelling or for unused services.

#### 6. CANCELLATION BY YOU BEFORE DEPARTURE

6. CARCELLATION BY YOU BEFORE DEPARTURE You, or any member of your party, may cancel your travel arrangements at any time. Written notification from the person who made the booking or your travel agent must be received at our offices. We recommend 'Recorded Delivery'. Cancellation takes effect the day we receive your letter or email. Since we incur corsts in relation to your arrangements from the time we confirm your booking you will have to pay the applicable cancellation charges as shown in the table below (which also applies if we cancel because you have failed to make payments on time - see "Payment" section) together with the cost of any air fare for which we have had to pay at the time of the booking and will be payable immediately on cancellation.

Should one or more member of a party cancel, it may increase the per person holi-day price of those still travelling and you will be liable to pay this increase. Number of days prior to departure:

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CANCELLATION FEES IN PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL BOOKING

| lore than 90 days before: | Administrative Fees of GBP 100 pp |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 90–61 days before         | 20%                               |
| 42-60 days before         | 30%                               |
| 28-41 days before         | 60%                               |
| 14–27 days before         | 90%                               |
| Less than 14 days before  | 100%                              |
|                           |                                   |

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# Important Note: Certain Arrangements may not be amended after they have been confirmed and any alteration or cancellation could incur a cancellation charge of up to 100% of that part of the arrangements in addition to the charge above.

If the reason for your cancellation is covered under the terms of your insurance policy, you may be able to reclaim these charges.

Where possible, we will deduct the cancellation charge(s) from any monies you have already paid to us.

have already paid to us. Cancellation by You due to Unavoidable & Extraordinary Circumstances: You have the right to cancel your confirmed holiday before departure without pay-ing a cancellation charge in the event of "unavoidable and extraordinary circum-stances" occurring at your holiday destination or its immediate vicinity and signif-icantly affecting the performance of the holiday or significantly affecting the ransport arrangements to the destination. In these circumstances, we shall pro-vide you with a full refund of the monies you have paid but we will not be liable to pay you any additional compensation. Please note that your right to cancel in these circumstances willowed by the the Foreign and Commonwealth Office advises against travel to your destination or its immediate vicinity. For the purposes of this clause, "unavoidable and extraordinary circumstances" means warfare, acts of terrorism, significant risks to human health such as the outbreak of serious disease at the travel destination or natural disasters such as floods, earthquakes or weath-er conditions which make it impossible to travel safely to the travel destination. This clause 6 outlines the rights you have fiyou wish to cancel your booking. Please

This clause 6 outlines the right you have if you wish to cancel your booking. Please note that there is no automatic statutory right of cancellation under the Consumer Contracts (Information, Cancellation and Additional Charges) Regulations 2013 (Directive 2018/3/EU).

#### 7. CHANGES OR CANCELLATION BY US

As we plan your holiday arrangements many months in advance we may occasion-ally have to make changes or cancel your booking and we reserve the right to do so at any time.

Changes: If we make a minor change to your holiday, we will make reasonable Changes: If We make a minor change to your holiday, we will make reasonable efforts to inform you or your travel agent as soon as reasonably possible if there is time before your departure but we will have no liability to you. Examples of minor changes include alteration of your outward/return flights by less than 12 hours, changes to aircraft type, change of accommodation to another of the same or high-erstandard, changes of carriers. Please note that carriers such as airlines used in the brochure may be subject to change.

occasionally we may have to make a significant change to your confirmed arrange-ments. Examples of "significant changes" include the following, when made before departure:

- (a) A change of accommodation area for the whole or a significant part of your time away.
- (b) A change of accommodation to that of a lower standard or classification for the whole or a significant part of your time away.
- (c) A change of outward departure time or overall length of your arrangements by more than 12 hours.
- (d) A change of UK departure airport except between:
- The London airports: Gatwick, Heathrow, Luton, Stansted, London City and Southend ١.
- The South Coast airports: Southampton, Bournemouth and Exeter Ш.
- Ш. The South Western airports: Cardiff and Bristol
- The Midlands airports: Birmingham, East Midlands and Doncaster Sheffield IV.
- The Northern airports: Liverpool, Manchester and Leeds Bradford The North Eastern airports: Newcastle and Teesside V
- VI.
- VII. The Scottish airports: Edinburgh, Glasgow, Prestwick and Aberdeen

A significant change to your itinerary, missing out one or more destination entirely. (c) Paginital relations (b) and the set of the set o

If we have to make a significant change or cancel, we will tell you as soon as possi-ble and if there is time to do so before departure, we will offer you the choice of: i (for significant changes) accepting the changed arrangements; or

- having a refund of all monies paid; or
- accepting an offer of alternative travel arrangements of a comparable or high-er standard from us, if available (at no extra cost); or iii
- if available, accepting an offer of alternative arrangements of a lower stand-ard, with a refund of the price difference between the original arrangements and the alternative arrangements.

You must notify us of your choice within 7 days of our offer. If we do not hear from you within 7 days, we will contact you again to request notification of your choice. If you fail to respond again, we will assume that you have chosen to accept the change or alternative booking arrangements.

#### Compensation

In addition to a full refund of all monies paid by you, we will pay you compensation as detailed below, in the following circumstances:
 (a) If, where we make a significant change, you do not accept the changed ar-intervention of conclusion buy tooking.

rangements and cancel your booking;

(b) If we cancel your booking and no alternative arrangements are available. The compensation that we offer does not exclude you from claiming more if you are entitled to do so

| ng<br>he | Period before departure<br>in which we notify you | Compensation payable per person booking |
|----------|---|---|
|          | 62 days or more                                   | NII                                     |

| 62 days or more                      | NIL |
|--------------------------------------|-----|
| 61 – 42 days prior to departure      | £10 |
| 41 – 28 days prior to departure      | £20 |
| 27 – 14 days prior to departure      | £30 |
| Less than 14 days prior to departure | £40 |

\*IMPORTANT NOTE: We will not pay you compensation in the following circumstances:

where we make a minor change;

- where we make a significant change or cancel your arrangements more than [60 days] before departure;
- where we make a significant change and you accept those changed arrange-ments or you accept an offer of alternative travel arrangements; (c)
- where we have to cancel your arrangements as a result of your failure to make full payment on time; (d)
- where the change or cancellation by us arises out of alterations to the con-firmed booking requested by you; (e) where we are forced to cancel or change your arrangements due to Force Ma-jeure (see clause 8). (f)

If we become unable to provide a significant proportion of the arrangements that you have booked with us after you have departed, we will, if possible, make alter-native arrangements for you at no extra charge and where those alternative ar-rangements are of a lower standard, provide you with an appropriate price reduc-tion.

Please note: We reserve the right to substitute another vessel for the scheduled one whether or not owned or operated by IPC. Any part of the travel arrangements and the voyage is subject to cancellation, delay, modification, or island/mainland visit cancellation for any reason, including medical disembarkation of crew or pas-sengers or any other circumstances beyond our or our suppliers' control. You there-fore acknowledge and agree that the scheduled itinerary for the voyage and the announced departure and arrival times are not guaranteed and we shall not be li-able to passengers for any damages or other claims in the event of any delay, changes in itinerary or inability to perform services by reason of any event or events beyond our or our suppliers' control. beyond our or our suppliers' control.

#### 8. FORCE MAJEURE

OF ONCE PRAFEMES Except where otherwise expressly stated in these Terms and Conditions we will not be liable or pay you compensation if our contractual obligations to you are affected by "Force Majeure". For the purposes of these Terms and Conditions, Force Majeure means any event beyond our or our supplier's control, the consequences of which could not have been avoided even if all reasonable measures had been taken. Ex-amples include warfare and acts of terrorism (and threat threend), civil sirile, signif-icant risks to human health such as the outbreak of serious disease at the travel destination or natural dicatars such as floods. earthouskes or weather conditions taint insk to minimal nearing such as the ductorear to schoos observe at the traver destination or natural disasters such as floods, earthquakes or weather conditions which make it impossible to travel safely to the travel destination or remain at the travel destination, the act of any government or other national or local authority including port or river authorities, industrial dispute, labour strikes, lock closure, natural or nuclear disaster, fire, chemical or biological disaster, unavoidable tech-nical problems with transport and all similar events outside our or the supplier(s) robustices to the supplication of concerned's control.

Brexit Implications: please note that certain travel arrangements may be affected as a result of the United Kingdom's decision to leave the European Union. This could include an unavailability of certain fight routes, access to certain ports and airports and changes to the visa requirements of British citizens travelling to, within or through the EU. Please rest assured that this is something we will continue to mom-itor and will advise our customers as soon as possible I we become aware of any comfirmed bookings that will be affected. However, since this is something which is completely unprecedented and outside our control we would treat any such completely unprecedented and outside our control, we would treat any such changes as Force Majeure, and whilst we will endeavour to provide suitable altercompensation.

#### 9. COMPLAINTS

9. COMPLAINTS If you have a problem during your holiday concerning any service we have con-firmed you must inform the local supplier, e.g. your hotelier, or our local represent-ative or agent immediately to enable them to try to resolve the matter. During high season (ist May – 30th September) we operate a 24/7 emergency number + 354 869 6663. You are also obliged to act in a way so as to minimize any loss. If the issue cannot be resolved locally it is necessary that you notify our head office in writing, guoting the booking reference number, at the earliest opportunity and no later than 28 days after your return, to enable any complaint to be investigated. Please contact memo@icelandprotravel.co.uk or write to lceland Pro Travel Ltd, FAO Direc-tor, 51 Clarkgrove Road, Sheffield Sto 2NH. It is strongly recommended that you communicate any complaint to the supplier of the services in guestion without delay and obtain a writen report. If you fail to follow this procedure we will have been deprived of the opportunity to investigate and rectify your complaint at the time and this may affect your rights under this contract. Any accident resulting in personal injury. Joss of, or damage to Jugeage must be re-solved to the sonal prime yous of the services in the set of the services in the suppler of the services in the set of the se

time and this may affect your rights under this contract. Any accident resulting in personal injury, loss of, or damage to luggage must be re-ported to a ship's officer or airline official immediately and written confirmation obtained. We are unable to accept liability for the contents of DVDs, videos, litera-ture, or websites produced by our suppliers/hoteliers. In the unikely event that any complaint cannot be settled between us you may if you wish be referred to arbitra-tion. This special scheme, by arrangement with ABTA is administered by (EDR Solve. It applies if your claim is for not more than 55,000 per person or £25,000 per booking and does not involve physical injury or illness. The scheme provides for a simple and inexpensive method of arbitration conducted privately based on written documen-tation and evidence with limited customer liability on costs. Full details are available on request or from ABTA Ltd, 30 Park Street, London SE1 9EQ, www.abta.com.

#### 10. LIABILITY

- We will accept responsibility for the arrangements we agree to provide or ar-(1) We will accept responsibility for the arrangements we agree to provide or ar-range for you as an "organiser" under the Package Travel and Linked Travel Arrangements Regulations 2018 as set out below, and as such we are responsi-ble for the proper provision of all travel services included in your package, as set out in your confirmation invoice. Subject to these booking conditions, if we or our suppliers negligently perform or arrange those services and we don't remedy or resolve your complaint within a reasonable period of time, and this has affected the enjoyment of your package holiday you may be entitled to an appropriate price reduction and/or reasonable compensation. The level of such compensation will be calculated taking into consideration all relevant factors. appropriate price reduction and/on reasonable compensation. The revel of such compensation will be calculated taking into consideration all relevant factors such as but not limited to, following the complaints procedure as described in these conditions and the extent to which ours or our employees' or suppliers' negligence affected the overall enjoyment of your holiday. Please note that it is your responsibility to show that we or our supplier(s) have been negligent if you wish to make a claim argingt us you wish to make a claim against us.
- We will not be responsible for any injury, illness, death, loss (including loss of possessions and loss of enjoyment), damage, expense, cost or other sum or claim of any description whatsoever which results from any of the following: (2)
- the act(s) and/or omission(s) of the person(s) affected or any member(s) of their party b.
- the act(s) and/or omission(s) of a third party not connected with the provision of your holiday and which were unavoidable and extraordinary; or "Force majeure" as defined in clause 8 above.
- (3) Please note we cannot accept responsibility for any services which do not form part of our contract. This includes, for example, any additional services or fa-cilities which your hotel or any other supplier agrees to provide for you where the services or facilities are not advertised in our brochure or on our website and we have not agreed to arrange them as part of our contract and any excur-sion you purchase during your holiday. Please also see clause 19 "Excursions, Activities and Brochure/Website Information".
- We limit the amount of compensation we may have to pay you if we are found liable under this clause as follows: (4)
- (a) Loss of and/or damage to any luggage or personal possessions and money: The maximum amount we will have to pay you in respect of these claims is an amount equivalent to the excess on your insurance policy which applies to this type of loss per person in total because you are required to have adequate in-surance in place to cover any losses of this kind.
- (b) Claims not falling under (a) above and which don't involve injury, illness or death:

The maximum amount we will have to pay you in respect of these claims is up to three times the price paid by or on behalf of the person(s) affected in total. This maximum amount will only be payable where everything has gone wrong and you or your party has not received any benefit at all from your booking. Claims in respect of international travel by air and rail, or any stay in a

- (c) hotel:
- The extent of our liability will in all cases be limited as if we were carriers under (i) The extent of our liability will in all cases be limited as if we were carriers under the appropriate Conventions, which include The Warsaw/Montreal Convention (international travel by air); The Berne/Cotif Convention (with respect to rail travel) and The Paris Convention (with respect to hotel arrangements). You can ask for copies of these Conventions from our offices. In addition, you agree that the operating carrier or transport company's own 'Conditions of Carriage' will apply to you on that journey. When arranging transportation for you, we rely on the terms and conditions contained within these international conventions and those 'Conditions of Carriage'. You acknowledge that all of the terms and conditions contained in those 'Conditions of Carriage' Conditions of Carriage' shall be deemed to be included by reference into this contract.

- (ii) In any circumstances in which a carrier is liable to you by virtue of the Denied Boarding Regulation 2004, any liability we may have to you under our contract with you, arising out of the same facts, is limited to the remedies provided under the Regulation as if (for this purpose only) we were a carrier.
- When making any payment, we are entitled to deduct any money which you have received or are entitled to receive from the transport provider or hotelier for the complaint or claim in question.

#### (d) Claims in respect of international travel by sea or inland waterway

Travel by sea is governed by the provisions of the Convention Relating to the Carriage of Passengers and their Luggage by Sea 1974, as amended in 1976 (the Athens Convention) and, where applicable, EU Regulation 392/2009 relating to the Liability of carriers of passengers by sea in the event of accidents. The ex-tent of our liability will in all cases be limited as if we were the Contracting Carriers under the Athens Convention and/or EU Regulation 392/2009.

The Athens Convention and EU Regulation 392/2009 limit the carriers' liability for death or personal injury or loss or damage to luggage and makes special provision for valuables. It's presumed that luggage has been delivered to you undamaged unless written notice is given to us and/or the carrier; in the case of apparent damage, before or at the time of disembarkation or

- a. redelivery; or
- in the case of damage which is not apparent or of loss, within 15 days from the date of disembarkation or redelivery or from the time when such redelivery should have taken place.

Damages for cabin luggage payable by the carrier are limited up to the Athens Con-vention limit of 833 Special Drawing Rights ("SDRs") or 2250 SDRs if EU Regulation 392/2009 applies.

39270009 applies. Any liability in respect of death and personal injury and loss of and damage to luggage which we may incur to you shall always be subject to the limits of liability contained in the Athens Convention or EU Regulation 392/2009 for death/personal injury of 46,666 Special Drawing Rights (SDR) or 300,000 SDR under Athens Conven-tion or 400,000 SDRs under EU Regulation 392/2009 except in the case of liability for war or terrorism 250,000 SDRs.

We are not liable for valuables, monies or other securities including jewelry and watches. If they have been deposited with the reception desk on the ship for safe keeping and a receipt issued, then in those limited circumstances the Carriers liabil-It will be as set out in the Athens Convention or EU Regulation 392/2009. The use of safes onboard a Vessel is not a deposit with the ship or with the company under the Athens Convention or EU Regulation 392/2009 or otherwise. The limits are 1200 SDRs pursuant to Athens or 3,375 SDRs pursuant to EU Regulation 392/2009.

ger and by the maximum deductible specified in Article 8 (4) of the Athens Conven-Where carriage is performed on inland waterways, and the vessel does not go to sea

Where can age is performed on thinking waterways, and the vessel does not go to sea the liability provisions relating to sea going vessels do not apply to the cruise. In those cases the liability of the Carrier to customers shall be determined in accord-ance with English law (the Merchant Shipping Act) and The Convention on Limita-tion of Liability for Maritime Claims 1996 (LLMC 96) as amended by SI 1998/1258, a copy of which will be provided by on request or can be found at:

https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/1998/1258/contents/made.

The limits for non-sea going passenger vessels is  $r_{75,000}$  SDRs per passenger limit. Liability for property claims will be at least 1,000,000 SDR's under S1 1998/1258 ( $\omega_{1}(b)$  (i)). The Strasbourg Convention on the limitation of Liability of Owners of Inland Navigation Vessels, referred to as the "Strasbourg Convention" with protocols and amendments, applies to vessels sailing on waterways located in the territory of a state party subject to (i) the "Revised Convention relating to the Navigation of the Maelle" (Article 15() of the Strasbourg Convention: https:// www.ivr-eu.com/expertises/legal/lang=en). If the Strasbourg Convention in the Silve state leaves of the limits for customer claims are 60,000 SDRs per customer subject to a minimum of 6,000,000 SDR's (see Article 7). The Carrier's liability for death, injury, illness, damage, delay or other loss to person or property of any kind suffered by customer subject to in a minimum or in any further's liability therefore shall not exceed those limitations provided by the said LLMC 1996 and S1 1998/1258 or where applicable Strasbourg Convention in any further revisions, protocols and/or amendments thereto a shall become applicable. Where the LLMC 1996 or If applicable Strasbourg Convention or in any further revisions, protocols and/or amendments thereto a shall become applicable. Where the LLMC 1996 or If applicable Strasbourg Convention premits the Carrier to apply a deductible, the Carrier May apply that deductible. SDRs are a monetary unit of the International Monetary Fund and current exchange The limits for non-sea going passenger vessels is 175,000 SDRs per passenger limit SDRs are a monetary unit of the International Monetary Fund and current exchange rate can be found in major financial newspapers.

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  (5) Please note, we cannot accept any liability for any damage, loss, expense or other sum(5) of any nature or description (a) which on the basis of the information given to us by you concerning your booking prior to our accepting it, we could not have foreseen you would suffer or incur if we breached our contract with you or (b) which did not result from any breach of contract or other fault by ourselves or our employees or, where we are responsible for them, our suppliers. Additionally, we cannot accept liability for any business losses or expenses including, without limitation, self-employed loss of earnings.
- penses including, without limitation, self-employed loss of earnings. Where it is impossible for you to return to your departure point as per the agreed return date of your package, due to "unavoidable and extraordinary circumstances", we shall provide you with any necessary accommodable, (where possible, of a comparable standard) for a period not exceeding three nights per person. Please note that the 3 night cap does not apply to persons with reduced mobility, pregnant women or unaccompanied minors, nor to persons needing specific medical assistance, provided we have been notified of these particular needs in advance. For the purposes of this clause, "unavoid-able and extraordinary circumstances" mean warfare, acts of terrorism, signif-icant risks to human health such as the outbreak of serious disease at travel desting unavoing disasters such as floods, earthquakes or weather conditions which make it impossible to travel safely back to your departure point. **VINE BELANDE** (6)

#### **11. YOUR BEHAVIOUR**

You accept responsibility for the proper conduct of yourself and your party, when You accept responsibility for the proper conduct of yourself and your party, when you book arrangements with us. If your actions or omissions cause damage to any property in the provision of the contracted arrangements, cause delay or diversion to any flight or other means of transportation, or causes or is likely to cause distress, danger and annoyance to any other customers or any third party, we reserve the right to terminate your booking with us immediately. In the event of such termina-tion, our liability to you and/or your party will case and you and/or your party will be required to leave your accommodation or the arrangements immediately. No refunds of lost accommodation or any other arrangements will be made and we will not pay any expenses or costs incurred as a result of termination. You and/or your party may also be required to have for any loss and/or damage raised by woir. your party may also be required to pay for any loss and/or damage caused by your actions and we will hold each member of your party jointly and individually liable for any damage or losses caused by you or any member of your party. You also agree to fully indemnify us against any claim arising from your conduct (including professonal fees and legal costs) made against us by or on behalf of the owner of such property or the operator of the flight or other means of transportation. The (aptain of an aircraft or Master of a ship has authority over the aircraft/ship and passengers at all times when they are boarding or when they are on board.

at all times when they are boarding or when they are on board. For Cruise bookings, at any port or place we may refuse to embark or may disembark any passenger who, in the opinion of the ship's authorised personnel, might be excluded from landing at further destinations by local authorities or whose pres-ence may be detrimental to the wellbeing of passengers or crew or witho may be suffering from any contagious or infectious disease. In cases of quarantine of the ship, or individual passengers (passengers may be required to remain in their cabin or as instructed by authorised personnel on board if they or any other occupant of the accommodation presents any symptoms or may be considered to put other pas-sengers at risk) we will not be liable for expenses thus caused and in such cases as above there will be no entitlement to any refund or compensation and we will have no liability for costs incurred as a result. no liability for costs incurred as a result.

#### **12. DISABILITIES AND MEDICAL PROBLEMS**

Each passenger warrants that they are fit to travel. IPT reserves the right to require Each passenger warrants that they are fit to travel. IPT reserves the right to require any passenger to produce evidence of the same and cannot accept liability for any situation arising out of a failure to disclose any pre-existing condition or disability. Passengers with physical or mental disabilities or other conditions which may re-quire special assistance, e.g. use of a wheelchair or scooter, or service animal, must advise us in writing before a booking is made. Passengers who use wheelchairs or who may require special assistance must be accompanied by someone who is able to assist them on shore and at sea. We are not a specialist disabled company but we will do our utmost to cater for any special requirements you may have. Please pro-vide us with uld datile hefore your make your booking or that we can try to advise will do du difficie date no any special requirements you nay nave, rease pro-vide us with full details before you make your booking so that we can try to advise you as to the suitability of your chosen arrangements. Acting reasonably, if we are unable to properly accommodate the needs of the person(s) concerned, we will not confirm your booking or if you did not give us full details at the time of booking, we will cancel it and impose applicable cancellation charges when we become aware of these datails. of these details.

#### 13. PASSPORT, VISA AND IMMIGRATION REQUIREMENTS

Your specific passport and visa requirements and other immigration requirements are your responsibility and you should confirm these with the relevant Embassies and/or Consulates... For further information contact the Passport Office on 0870 5210410 or visit: https://www.gov.uk/browse/citizenship/passports.

For European holidays you should obtain a completed and issued form EHIC prior to departure. Up to date travel advice can be obtained from the Foreign and Common-

wealth Office, visit https://www.gov.ukt/ravelaware. We do not accept any responsibility if you cannot travel, or incur any other loss because you have not complied with any passport, visa, immigration requirements or health formalities. You agree to reimburse us in relation to any fines or other losses which we incur as a result of your failure to comply with any passport, visa, immigration requirements or health formalities.

#### 14 INSURANCE

14. INSURANCE It is a condition of the contract with us that you and every member of the booking has travel insurance in force for the entire duration of the holiday, covering at least the cancellation of the booking and providing medical cover for illness or injury and repatriation while overseas. Please provide us with the name of your insurance company, together with their 24-hour emergency number with your booking or as soon as possible.

#### **15. BROCHURE AND HOMEPAGE VALIDITY**

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In order to process your booking and ensure your travel arrangements run smoothly In order to process your booking and ensure your travel arrangements run smoothly and meet your requirements we, IPT need to use the information you provide such as name, address, any special needs/dietary requirements etc. We take full respon-sibility for ensuring that proper security measures are in place to protect your infor-mation. We must pass the information on to the relevant suppliers of your travel arrangements such as airlines, ships, hotels, transport companies etc. The informa-tion may also be provided to security or credit checking companies, public authori-ties such as customs/immigration if required by them, or as required by law. Please refer to our Privacy Policy for further information on how we use your personal data.

#### **17. PROMPT ASSISTANCE**

If, whilst you are on holiday, you find yourself in difficulty for any reason, we will If, whilst you are on holiday, you find yourself in difficulty for any reason, we will offer you such prompt assistance as is appropriate in the circumstances. In particu-lar, we will provide you with appropriate information on health services, local authorities and consult assistance, and assistance with distance communications and finding alternative travel arrangements. Where you require assistance which is not owing to any failure by us, our employees or sub-contractors we will iable for the costs of any alternative travel arrangements or other such assistance you require. Any supplier, airline or other transport supplier may however pay for or provide refreshments and/or appropriate accommodation and you should make a claim directly to them. Subject to the other terms of these Booking Conditions, we will not he blab for any cract fease or charge you into the above circumstance. will not be liable for any costs, fees or charges you incur in the above circumstances, if you fail to obtain our prior authorisation before making your own travel arrange-ments. Furthermore, we reserve the right to charge you a fee for our assistance in the event that the difficulty is caused intentionally by you or a member of your party, or otherwise through your or your party's negligence.

#### 18. DELAYS, MISSED TRANSPORT ARRANGEMENTS AND OTHER TRAVEL INFORMATION

If you or any member of your party misses your flight or other transport arrange-ment, it is cancelled or you are subject to a delay of over 3 hours for any reason, you must contact us and the airline or other transport supplier concerned immediately. For cruise bookings where you have made independent travel arrangements, you accept for joining the ship in good time, regardless of any change to the sailing time or date, or to the itinerary. We are not able to refund monies paid to us, or any third party acting on our or your behalf, or make compensation or other payments where, for whatever reason, you fail to join the ship. Passengers going ashore are responsible for re-boarding the ship prior to departure from port.

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