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CRUISE Weekly today features three pages of all the latest cruise industry news plus a front cover wrap from **Peregrine**.

Carnival mega sale

CARNIVAL Australia has launched its Colossal Cruise sale, offering a range of special deals on close to 1,800 cruises setting sail between Oct 2018 and Apr 2020.

The promotion runs until midnight on 09 Jul, with the offers applicable across all seven of Carnival's brands.

Peregrine 2019 brox

PEREGRINE has released its 2019 adventure cruising brochure offering savings of 15% to celebrate the launch. See **cover page** for more.

Seabourn doubles down on luxury

SEABOURN has revealed plans to build two new ultra-luxury expedition ships, signing a letter of intent with shipbuilders T.Mariotti and Damen yesterday.

The new vessels will boast a brand new design that caters specifically to the needs of the ultra-luxury expedition market.

Seabourn has slated dates for the duo's arrival with the first ship anticipated to debut in Jun 2021 and the second in May 2022.

"This is a groundbreaking moment for Seabourn and for luxury travellers, who will now find a new standard of authentic yet luxurious expedition adventures," said Seabourn president Richard Meadows.

"These new ships build on the success of our current product lineup and further demonstrates our leadership as innovators as we continue offering the finest ultra-luxury cruises available,"



Meadows added.

Setting themselves apart from the cruise line's existing fleet will be two submarines carried on board both vessels that will provide views of the world below the ocean's surface.

Both ships will also be designed to carry a number of kayaks and Zodiac inflatable boats.

Seabourn will announce further design features later in the year and specific details regarding itineraries and bookings will be released in early 2019.

The first ship is currently scheduled to sail in the Arctic in late 2021.

Pictured: The pool deck of a Seabourn vessel.

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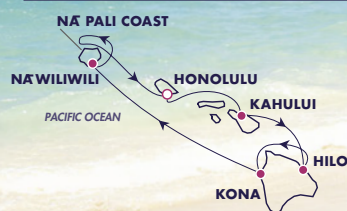
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Hop onboard Norwegian Bliss with us in the July issue of *travelBulletin*.

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On location aboard Viking Orion

Today's issue of CW is coming to you courtesy of Viking Cruises, aboard *Viking Orion* en route from Venice to Rome.

VIKING Orion is the fifth of 10 almost identical newbuilds commissioned by Viking Cruises as it continues its expansion from river to ocean cruising.

The 930-passenger vessel has a light, airy, contemporary design with inviting public areas complementing top class dining venues & a massive spa - with no kids and no casino - see facebook.com/cruiseweekly.

Viking team on deck



FOUR of Viking Cruises' Australian team are on board *Viking Orion* in Europe this week, escorting a group of key industry partners as the newly christened ship cruises on a seven-night voyage from Venice to Rome.

Orion is heading to Australian waters later this year, which will give local cruisers the opportunity to experience the Viking ocean product on their doorstep with a series of trans-Tasman voyages.

She will then relocate on a

heavily booked itinerary via Japan to the Russian Far East to explore far northern waters.

Last night some of the lucky agents on board were treated to a private dinner in Manfredi's, the on-board specialty Italian restaurant, with the Viking team **pictured** above from left: Alister Burn, commercial manager; Keira Smith, inside sales manager; Michelle Black, managing director; and Lance Andrew, cruise sales consultant.

Euro Waterways deal

HOTEL barge company European Waterways is running a last-minute promotion offering 20% off whole boat charter prices throughout its fleet when bookings are made by 31 Aug.

The company operates luxury barges with a six- to 20-person capacity and 1:2 crew ratio in France and Italy and can tailor onboard and shore experiences for individual groups and consecutive charters that extend beyond its typical one-week itineraries.

The 20% off promotion also applies to cabins on select departures.

For further information on the offer, **CLICK HERE**.

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Splendor keel laid

REGENT Seven Seas Cruises (RSSC) celebrated the keel laying ceremony for *Seven Seas Splendor* last week.

The luxury ship, set to make its debut in 2020, had three coins placed onto its keel which included an ancient Roman Empire coin, a Spanish gold "Escudo" coin from the 1700s, and a commemorative coin etched with the keel laying ceremony date in Italy.

The event also featured full-size suite display models, allowing a first glimpse of life on board the ship.

Splendor will be an all-suite, all-balcony ship with a 750 pax capacity & an inaugural 2020 Europe Collection will be announced 13 Jul.

Hurtigruten b'day

HURTIGRUTEN will mark its 125th birthday with the "world's longest plastic-free birthday party" which will extend from Seattle and Hong Kong, to Svalbard and along the Norwegian coast.

Celebrations will take place in Hurtigruten ports, destinations, ships and offices.

The event coincides with the official phasing out of single use plastics this month.

"Plastic pollution is the single biggest threat to our oceans," said Hurtigruten chief executive Daniel Skjeldam.

"What better way to tie together our past & future than celebrating by removing all unnecessary single use plastic," he added.

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Arctic earlybird

ADVENTURE Canada is offering earlybird savings of up to US\$995ppts, plus free hotel stays when booking any high Arctic expedition cruise before 15 Aug.

The 12-night High Cruise Arctic Explorer package is priced from US\$10,995 per person and departs Ottawa 05 Aug 2019.

For more info [CLICK HERE](#).

SA maps out 2020 target



THE South Australian Government has laid down ambitious new cruise targets which include hitting 100 cruise ship visits to the state's ports and anchorages by 2020.

The South Australian Cruise Ship Strategy 2020 was officially launched by the government today in a bid to drive stronger growth in the sector.

"The new strategy provides a blueprint for South Australia to continue to maximise the tourism, economic and job opportunities in this lucrative industry," said SA Minister for Trade, Tourism and Investment David Ridgway.

The plan has also mapped out the goal of injecting \$200 million into the state's economy by 2020.

Phil Hoffmann Travel managing director Phil Hoffmann welcomed the government's proactive approach to cruising.

"Employment will be stimulated both in Adelaide and in regional areas such as Kangaroo Island and Port Lincoln...local retailers and operators will see flow-on benefits too," Hoffman said.

The 2016/17 cruise season injected \$98.5 million into South Australia's economy.

Pictured: *Ovation of the Seas* docked in Adelaide.

Royal call centre

ROYAL Caribbean Cruises Australia and New Zealand has merged its trade and consumer call centre.

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Cruise Calendar

This week's port calls of cruise ships at various destinations around Australia and New Zealand.

SYDNEY	
<i>Pacific Eden</i>	04 Jul
<i>Carnival Spirit</i>	05 Jul
<i>Pacific Explorer</i>	06 Jul
<i>Carnival Spirit</i>	08 Jul
<i>Pacific Explorer</i>	09 Jul

BRISBANE	
<i>Pacific Aria</i>	06 Jul
<i>Pacific Dawn</i>	07 Jul

DARWIN	
<i>Silver Discoverer</i>	09 Jul

AUCKLAND	
<i>Pacific Jewel</i>	03 Jul



ELVIS has left the...cruise ship?

P&O Cruises Australia has announced a new "Tribute to the King" cruise in 2019 where passengers can enjoy a little less conversation and a whole lot more dancing to Elvis hits in their very brightest pair of blue suede shoes.

The tribute cruise departing 17 May 2019 indulges in all things "The King", such as his life story, music and pop influence.

"It's clear the King has never really left the building & pax enjoy the opportunity of taking their devotion to sea," said P&O president Sture Myrmell.



Silversea storytellers put pax on cloud nine

NINE renowned authors will each join one segment of Silversea's 133-day world cruise on board the newly refurbished *Silver Whisper*, departing San Francisco on 06 Jan 2019.

The 'Tale Tellers' include Saroo Brierly, whose story became the best-selling movie *Lion*, famous US chef Jeremiah Tower and British documentary maker Tahir Shah.

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