



Hurtigruten sale

HURTIGRUTEN is holding a New Year Global Expedition Sale on cruises from 2021-2023.

Along with Hurtigruten's Book with Confidence offer, guests can save up to \$1,500 per stateroom if they book now.

The sale includes Antarctica, which is all-inclusive with flights, as well as Alaska & Canada, the Northwest Passage, Norway Expeditions, the Americas, Greenland, Iceland, Svalbard, the British Isles and more.

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Cruise Weekly today

Cruise Weekly today features two pages of all the latest cruise industry news plus a full page from **Hurtigruten**.

CLIA optimistic about 2021 cruising

CRUISE Lines International Association (CLIA) says there is "reason for hope and optimism heading into 2021," citing the results of a survey last month which found almost three quarters of cruisers intend to take a voyage in the next few years.

On top of that, 66% of cruisers are willing to cruise within the next 12 months, while almost 60% of international vacationers who have never cruised are likely to take a voyage in the next few years, the poll found.

The figures were revealed in the recent *2021 State of the Cruise Industry Outlook Report*, which offers a look at the trends and analytics propelling the sector in the coming year and beyond.

CLIA President & CEO Kelly Craighead noted the reality of 2020 was a stark contrast to the 12 months prior, when the global cruise industry welcomed almost



2021 STATE OF THE CRUISE INDUSTRY OUTLOOK

30 million passengers, created jobs for 1.8 million people around the world and contributed over US\$154 billion to the international economy.

The new report highlights the progress that the industry has made over the last year and "underscores the leadership of the cruise industry and its constant drive to innovate and lead the way in responsible tourism," Craighead said.

The document showcases CLIA'S responses through the pandemic including the ongoing development of industry protocols based on the best scientific and medical advice.

It notes from early Jul through to mid-Dec initial cruising restarts involved more than 200 successful sailings, with Craighead saying "the industry is on a path to resumption".

See the report at cruising.org.au.

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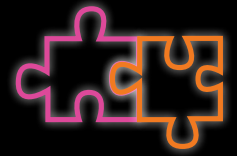
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LET'S hope this vessel hasn't been scrapped!

Great Miami Crew is looking for its missing boat, brazenly stolen from it a few days ago.

A large hole was discovered to have been cut in the fence of its storage area, with one of its safety launch boats missing.

The rowing centre said it could show up anywhere, including on the Great Miami River or in a materials recovery facility.

The boat was only a couple of years old and cost several thousand dollars - another financial strain on the club, which is being forced to relocate soon due to local construction.

The boat is about 14 feet long and made of aluminium.

Great Miami has alerted recycling centres to the serial number of the missing boat in the event someone turns the boat in for scrap metal.

Although unlikely, if you see it around Australia, let **CW** know!

Oceania around the world



OCEANIA Cruises has released a 180-day world voyage for 2023.

Opening for bookings on 28 Jan, the cruise departs San Francisco on 15 Jan 2023 aboard the 684-guest *Insignia*.

Guests will experience 96 destinations in 33 countries across four continents, and will be privy to a myriad of in-depth and immersive experiences, with multi-day stays in 20 ports of call in destinations such as South America, Africa, Asia and Alaska.

The itinerary provides access

to more than 60 UNESCO World Heritage sites, with highlights including the opportunity to witness Antarctica first-hand, with three full days cruising through Admiralty Bay, Paradise Bay, and Half Moon Island.

Guests sailing the full world voyage are able to take part in five included shoreside events, including an Argentinian Cultural Exposition in Buenos Aires, an afternoon at the Boschendal Wine Estate in Cape Town and its elaborate farmer's market, an evening at Al Maha Desert Dune in the Arabian Desert outside of Dubai, a Burmese Monk Donation Ceremony in Yangon, and a candlelit evening at Vung Duc Cave in Ha Long Bay.

All guests on the Around the World in 180 Days voyage will receive Oceania's Exclusive Prestige Package, which includes free pre-paid gratuities, free onboard medical care, free unlimited internet, free laundry service, free exclusive shoreside events, a free pre-cruise luxury hotel stay, and more.

Time to celebrate

THE steel was cut yesterday for *Carnival Celebration*, Carnival Cruise Line's next Excel-class ship, at the Meyer Turku shipyard in Finland.

Set to debut next year, *Carnival Celebration* is a sister ship to *Mardi Gras*, and is scheduled to begin sailing from PortMiami in Nov 2022 as part of Carnival Cruise Line's 50th birthday festivities.

The ceremony was attended by Carnival Senior Vice President Newbuilds Refurbishments & Product Innovation Ben Clement and Meyer Turku Chief Executive Officer Tim Meyer.

Carnival Celebration will offer year-round cruises from PortMiami's new Terminal F, which is being constructed specifically for Carnival.

Viking Au/NZ deal

VIKING'S deal of the week is a special flight credit offer on the 15-day Australia & New Zealand cruise from Auckland to Sydney or vice versa.

The cruise is now on sale, priced from \$7,995 per person through Viking's Discovery Cruise Sale, with a one-way Business class flight included up to the value of \$1,800 per couple.

Those booking before the end of the month can access Viking's Risk-Free Guarantee, providing the freedom to change plans up to 24 hours before departure.

For additional information, phone Viking on 138 747.

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