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### Cruise Weekly today

**Cruise Weekly** today features three pages of all the latest cruise industry news and a full cover page from **Norwegian Cruise Lines**.

### Book NCL now

**NORWEGIAN** Cruise Line (NCL) is inviting travellers to book early and be rewarded, with a range of guest-agent offers available.

The Partners First promotion ends 22 Sep - head to the **front page** for more.

### Katz us outside

**JOIN** in today as Cruise Lines International Association Australasia Managing Director Joel Katz is interviewed by **Cruise Weekly** Publisher Bruce Piper at The Travel Industry Hub - **CLICK HERE** to register.

## Azamara plots 2021/22 Australasia

**AZAMARA** Cruises looks set to deploy its *Azamara Journey* (pictured) in local waters over the 2021/22 summer season, with the cruise line releasing itinerary details this week, including a full circumnavigation of New Zealand.

*Azamara Journey* will arrive in local waters from Asia late next year, cruising from Bali on a 12-night voyage to Perth which will disembark on 19 Dec 2021.

She will then undertake a 16-night Australia Intensive voyage around the country's south to Sydney over the festive season, via Albany, Kangaroo Island, Portland, Melbourne and Eden.

On 04 Jan 2022 the ship then continues on to New Zealand on a 16-night Trans-Tasman cruise, before undertaking a 16-night New Zealand Intensive voyage around the country, roundtrip from Auckland, visiting the Bay of Islands, Norfolk Island,



New Plymouth, Milford Sound, Dunedin, Akaroa, Wellington, Nelson, Picton, Napier and Tauranga.

The itinerary is expected to be popular with locals, and has been hailed by House of Travel's Jeff Leckey.

"This is just what regional New Zealand needs to help us with a

provincial tourism recovery," he said.

The 2021/22 Azamara program also includes a 16-night New Zealand and Australia golf-focused voyage ex Auckland on 05 Feb 2022, followed by a 17-night cruise up the Australian east coast from Sydney to Singapore departing on 22 Feb.

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## Silversea over the Moon



**SILVERSEA** Cruises' *Silver Moon* (pictured) successfully carried out her sea trials late last month ahead of the ship's scheduled delivery on 30 Oct.

The trials were completed during 08 and 20 Aug, carrying a reduced crew of approximately

320 on the journey between Fincantieri's shipyards in Ancona and Trieste.

*Silver Moon* will become the second ship to join Silversea's fleet this year, following the delivery of *Silver Origin* on 03 Jun (CW 09 Jun).

## WFH - work from hols



**WITH** many workers choosing (or being forced) to telecommute, Croatia specialist Sail Croatia is now offering luxury work from home options.

The new 14-day Remote Work Private Yacht Tour offers "open-planned, air-conditioned workspaces" aboard Sail Croatia's catamarans.

High-speed internet is also

available, with the two options for the cruise allowing guests to either stay in Milna or island-hop through Dalmatia.

According to Sail Croatia, "guests can start their morning with coffee at a waterfront cafe, spend the bulk of their day working in the comfort on the catamaran and explore historic towns" - **CLICK HERE** for more.

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**A LITTLE** girl has been rescued by a ferry in Greece after drifting out to sea on an inflatable unicorn.

Strong currents in the Gulf of Corinth off Antirio saw the girl ride away on the legendary creature.

The girl drifted for nearly a kilometre before her parents alerted the ferry *Salaminomachos*, with the skipper soon clapping eyes on the sight and bringing her aboard in a complicated rescue, in which the Captain claimed the girl was at risk of sinking.

The crew members made funny faces and joked with the girl to calm her and allay her fears before she was reunited with her parents.

It's not yet known whether her friends will believe her story.

## Dining afloat: Kitchen Table



**SHIPS:** Viking's ocean ships.  
**IF YOU'VE** ever wanted to see what it's like to be a chef for a day, then Viking's Kitchen Table cooking experience is for you.

An optional extra bookable as a shore excursion in small groups of up to 12, Kitchen Table is a unique opportunity to shop, cook and eat with the culinary masters of the ship.

Guests are invited to join the chef on a shore excursion where they hand pick ingredients, meet local producers and learn about



regional dishes, before gathering back on the ship in the purpose-built Kitchen Table in the evening.

Diners help the chefs prepare a three-course meal of regional dishes with hands-on guidance from the culinary staff, before enjoying a private dinner party to consume their creations.

The restaurant is a theatre-style venue with cooking demonstrations and plating instructions shown on large screens, to make sure guests get the most out of the experience.

**INCLUDED IN FARE:** An additional cost applies, with price dependent on the ship's current location.

**RESERVATIONS:** Guests must pre-book the Kitchen Table experience as an optional shore excursion.

**DRESS:** Elegant casual.

**HOURS:** Kitchen Table is open from 4pm.



### The future of cruising

AS THE industry works through how we re-start cruising in Australia, the future may well look very different and we applaud the creativity behind these plans.

Naturally, any new itineraries will be filtered through the lens of safety – what will work best for passengers and crew, but also importantly the local communities the ships will visit.

The first option might be intrastate cruising where ships are not crossing any borders, and provide in- depth itineraries. Coral Expeditions is a perfect example.

With the company's homeport in Cairns, they have been forced to cancel their usual Western Australia and Tasmania sailings and instead are now focusing on Great Barrier Reef journeys from mid-Oct.

Another opportunity being explored by cruise lines is to include multi-day shore excursions which celebrate the best of sea and shore.

While land-based tours would usually be considered as pre- or post cruise add-ons, we may now see these being seamlessly integrated into one itinerary.

APT has already announced a Jul 2021 sailing which features a nine-night cruise and four nights on land, with two at Bungle Bungle Wilderness Lodge and an exciting foodie experience with chef, Luke Nguyen.

We look forward to working with the cruise lines to support these interesting new endeavours.

## Father's Day idea?

**MURRAY** River Paddlesteamers (MRP) is inviting sons and daughters to say "thanks dad" with a gift voucher.

Redeemable on all daily and accommodated cruises, MRP's gift vouchers are valid for three years, and can be e-mailed directly into dad's inbox with a personal message.

You can also choose to select a cruise for your dad or set a dollar amount for fussier fathers.

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