

News Release



Travel in style with NCL's exclusive excursions

London, 8 October 2008... NCL Freestyle Cruising has launched a new range of exclusive five-star shore excursions giving guests the opportunity to explore ports of call in true VIP style.

The new Ultimate Touring collection includes private boat charters in the Caribbean, floatplanes over the Alaskan fjords and full throttle speed boat experiences through the Finnish archipelagos – all for private groups of two to 18 people, enabling guests to create personalised adventures.

Stephen Park, General Manager NCL UK says, “Our guests already have the flexibility to enjoy our ships however they choose with our extensive Freestyle dining, entertainment and relaxation options, and this concept has now been extended to our tours.

“Ultimate Touring enables guests to enjoy touring the ports of call in privacy as a couple, or with a group of friends or family. We expect these excursions to especially appeal to guests staying in our luxurious suites and villas, who put great value on privacy and exclusivity.”

NCL's Suites & Villas are a range of high-end living spaces, which include the 5,750 square foot Garden Villa featuring three bedrooms, a private garden and hot tub, and Courtyard Villas which have a private balcony, a sundeck, and butler and concierge service.

A full list of Ultimate Touring and Shore Excursion options can be viewed and booked at www.ncl.com/shorex. Bookings can also be made at NCL's on board Shore Excursion desks.

Brand new Ultimate Touring options include:

Exclusive Overnight to Cairo: Day one of this spectacular two night adventure sees you visiting highlights such as the Citadel of Saladin for some incredible panoramic views of Cairo and the fascinating Alabaster Mosque of Mohamed Ali. In the evening you will enjoy an English version of 'Son et Lumiere' at the Giza Plateau followed by a sail along the Nile. Day two is an archaeology enthusiasts dream with visits to the ruins of the temple of Ptah and ancient tombs near Sakkara. It's then onto the awe-inspiring Pyramids and mystical Sphinx. All this comes with your own private vehicle with your very own tour guide, luxury suite accommodation and all meals. From \$2,450 for two people.

Tuscany on Horseback: Ride through the unforgettable 56,600 acre San Rossore National Park and marvel at the spectacular Italian countryside. The historic park stretches across the Tyrrhenian countryside from Viareggio to Livorno. From \$359 per person.

Antigua Exclusive Ocean Racing: This is an exclusive private yacht charter, providing a fully interactive experience under the watchful eye of a professional crew. You are encouraged to get involved in every single aspect of the race. You'll be welcomed to the most prestigious yacht haven the Caribbean has to offer, and have a chance to race against some of the most famous yachts in the world. From \$699 for groups of up to six people.

For high resolution, downloadable images, please log on to NCL's website at <http://www.ncl.co.uk/agents/index.htm>

ABOUT NCL

NCL Corporation Ltd. is the holding company for various subsidiary companies involved in owning and operating the ships of Norwegian Cruise Line.

NCL is building a new third generation Freestyle Cruising project known as F3, for delivery in 2010. NCL today has the youngest fleet in the industry, providing guests the opportunity to enjoy the flexibility of Freestyle Cruising on the newest, most contemporary ships at sea, and has recently added its latest new ship, the 2,400 passenger Norwegian Gem.

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