

Dubai



Dubai is an incredible city that boasts unbelievable architecture, gourmet dining, amazing shopping, a pulsating nightlife, and so much more. Embark on a cruise that visits this unique city or consider stopping over on your way to Europe - you won't regret it!

THINGS TO SEE AND DO



Head to the top of the Burj Khalifa



Go on a desert safari



Have fun at the Atlantis Aquaventure Waterpark



Fly high with a helicopter tour

AT A GLANCE

CLIMATE

Warm year-round, temperatures can reach 40°C+ mid-year

AREA

4,114km²

LANGUAGE

Officially Arabic. English is widely spoken.

TIME ZONE

Greenwich Mean Time +4 hours (no daylight savings)

CURRENCY

AUE Dirham (AED)

EXCHANGE RATE

AUD 1.00 = AED 2.85

TELEPHONE COUNTRY CODE

+971

DUTY FREE ALLOWANCES

4L alcohol, 400 cigarettes or 50 cigars or 500g of tobacco.

POWER SOCKET TYPE

British



The first all-suite paddlewheeler on U.S. rivers

A floating, intimate masterpiece that can carry up to 166 guests through America's heartland, the *American Duchess* paddlewheeler, created from a 1995 hull, has been completely reconstructed to become one of the most luxurious river cruising vessels in the country.

Featuring 5-star main dining and entertainment venues, soaring ceilings, and all of the features guests have come to expect on other American Queen Steamboat Company cruises, *American Duchess* is sure to impress.

Her suites range from 180 to 550 square feet, allowing guests to stay in some of the largest accommodations on the rivers. Unique

to the *American Duchess* are her spacious Loft Suites. The lower level features a full bathroom, small dining area, a beautiful lounge section furnished with a queen sofa-bed and desk area, along with sliding doors to access a private balcony. The loft area upstairs is a tranquil retreat with its semi-private bedroom, a full bathroom and gracious closet space.

Featuring a single-seating schedule in the beautiful Grand Dining Room, dining onboard is an experience. Enjoy exquisite cuisine that blends local flavours and fine culinary traditions. A more casual atmosphere is offered at The River Club and Terrace, which can host over 80 guests who wish to dine at their own pace.

Combining the best of the old and the new, this beautiful lady of the river epitomizes the grace and grandeur that has made River Cruising a cherished American tradition for more than two centuries. One voyage and you'll see why.

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TRAVELLERS CHOICE CRUISING



*Conditions apply: Prices are per person twin share in AUD unless otherwise specified. Prices are based on lead-in staterooms unless otherwise stated. Prices & inclusions are correct as at 12 Apr 16, subject to change without notice & may fluctuate if surcharges, fees, taxes or currency change. Restrictions may apply. Valid for new bookings only & not combinable with any other offers. Offers valid until 30 Jun 16, unless sold out prior. Offers are subject to availability & may change or be withdrawn at any time without notice. All savings & bonus nights (if applicable) are included in the advertised price. Onboard specialty restaurants may incur a surcharge. Onboard credit is non-refundable, non-transferable, cannot be redeemed for cash or used in the casino or medical centre. Airfares are not included unless specified. Where airfares are included, price is ex city with lowest fares. Other departure cities may be available, ask for details. Where accommodation is included, early check-in &/or late check-out & additional accommodation may be required at an additional expense due to flight schedules. Included pre &/or post-cruise hotel accommodation is determined by cruise line & is subject to change without notice. Airfares & accommodation are based on dynamic (live) pricing & are subject to change daily. Transfers are not included unless specified. Gratuities are not included & are payable onboard unless otherwise specified. Hotels in certain cities must charge local government tax directly to guests upon check-in or check-out which must be paid direct to hotel & has not been included in advertised price. VENICE CANALS TO ST PETERS BASILICA: Accommodation is outside of booking date-range. Prices have been based on 2016 contracted rates to use as a guide but may change at time of booking once 2019 contracts are available. SOUTH EAST ASIA CELEBRATION: *Applicable to first 2 guests in a stateroom only. Both guests must select the same option. Please ask your agent for full offer details. GRAND CLASSICAL GREECE & BLACK SEA: *Fly Free is ex SYD/MEL/BNE/ADL/PER only. Airfare is economy class including known airfare tax at time of printing & based on specific airlines & routings. Surcharges may apply if increase in airfare tax occurs, introduction of fuel surcharge, or if different airline, routing or dates of travel are required. GREAT BARRIER REEF & BEYOND: *Includes opportunity to dine at least once in Prego & at least once in Silk Road or the Sushi Bar. Booking, credit card service & cancellation fees may apply. Further conditions apply, contact us or visit our website for full terms & conditions. Travellers Choice ATAS No. A10430.

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AMERICAN DUCHESS SHIP FEATURES

- REGIONALLY INSPIRED EPICUREAN CUISINE TAILORED FROM THE FINEST LOCAL INGREDIENTS
- COMPLIMENTARY WINE, BEER & SOFT DRINKS WITH DINNER
- DEDICATED FLEET OF DELUXE MOTORCOACHES
- BROADWAY-CALIBRE ENTERTAINMENT EACH EVENING
- FRIENDLY, ALL-AMERICAN STAFF

JEWELS OF THE LOWER MISSISSIPPI

8-night package *American Duchess*

Take in the sights of the famous Mississippi River from the decks then hop off to explore some of the South's most famous cities. Whilst indulging in the luxurious amenities onboard the famous *American Duchess* paddlewheeler you'll learn about the area's history and landscape. And on shore, you can experience the very best of true Southern culture.

Cruise itinerary Memphis • Helena • Vicksburg • Natchez • Baton Rouge • St Francisville • Nottoway • New Orleans

Includes Economy airfare to Memphis, returning from New Orleans • 1 night pre-cruise accommodation in Memphis • 7-night cruise • Hop-On Hop-Off shore excursions • All meals & selected beverages onboard • Broadway-style entertainment • River history with a 'Riverlorian' • Air taxes, port charges & government fees

Cruise departs 13 January 2019

Interior suite
from **\$5,459^{pp}**



AMERICAN QUEEN[™]
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SOUTH PACIFIC SIZZLER

9-night cruise *Explorer of the Seas*

Cruise itinerary Sydney • Isle of Pines • Mystery Island • Noumea • Lifou • Sydney

Includes 9-night cruise • Main meals, entertainment & gratuities onboard • Port charges & government fees

★ **US\$100^{*} onboard credit per stateroom!**

Cruise departs 07 November 2018

Balcony stateroom
from **\$1,839^{pp}**



NEW ZEALAND TASTER

13-night cruise *Golden Princess*

Cruise itinerary Melbourne • Fiordland National Park (scenic cruising) • Dunedin • Akaroa • Wellington • Gisborne • Tauranga • Auckland • Melbourne

Includes 13-night cruise • Main meals* & entertainment onboard • Port charges & government fees

★ **\$50^{*} onboard credit per stateroom!**

Cruise departs 21 November 2018

Inside stateroom
from **\$2,239^{pp}**



VENICE CANALS TO ST PETER'S BASILICA

16-night package *Pacific Princess*

Cruise itinerary Venice • Sibenik • Kotor • Corfu • Rhodes • Santorini • Athens (Piraeus) • Sicily • Salerno • Rome (Civitavecchia)

Includes 2 nights pre-cruise accommodation in Venice • Half-day Absolute Venice Walking Tour • 12-night cruise • Main meals* & entertainment onboard • 2 nights post-cruise accommodation in Rome • Half-day Classical Rome Tour • Transfers throughout • Port charges & government fees

★ **US\$85^{*} onboard credit per stateroom!**

Cruise departs 23 November 2019

Inside stateroom
from **\$4,179^{pp}**



SOUTH EAST ASIA CELEBRATION

16-night package *Celebrity Millennium*

Cruise itinerary Singapore • Bangkok (Laem Chabang) • Ho Chi Minh City (Phu My) • Hue (Da Nang) • Hanoi • Hong Kong

Includes Economy airfare to Singapore, returning from Hong Kong • 2 nights pre-cruise accommodation in Singapore • Half-day Singapore City Tour • 14-night cruise • Main meals*, entertainment & gratuities onboard • Transfers throughout • Air taxes, port charges & government fees

★ **Choose one of the following bonus offers*:** Free Classic Beverage Package, US\$300 onboard credit per stateroom, or free unlimited Xcelerate Internet onboard!

Cruise departs 08 December 2018

Oceanview stateroom
from **\$4,439^{pp}**



GRAND CLASSICAL GREECE & BLACK SEA

23-night package *Aegean Odyssey*

Cruise itinerary Athens • Santorini • Heraklion • Agios Nikolaos • Karpathos • Rhodes • Nisyros • Delos • Mykonos • Athens • Patmos • Skiathos • Volos • Lemnos • Odessa • Constanza • Varna • Athens

Includes Free return economy airfare to Athens* • 2 nights accommodation in Athens • 1 night accommodation in Delphi • 1 night accommodation in Nauplia • 19-night luxury cruise • Main meals*, entertainment & gratuities onboard • Complimentary wine, beer & soft drinks with dinner onboard • 19 tours • Expert guest speakers • Air taxes, port charges & government fees

★ **Complimentary airfares!**

Cruise departs 22 April 2019

Superior Oceanview stateroom
from **\$11,695^{pp}**



GREAT BARRIER REEF & BEYOND

21-night package *Crystal Symphony*

Cruise itinerary Sydney • Newcastle • Hardy Reef • Hamilton Island • Cairns • Port Douglas • Cooktown • Darwin • Komodo Island • Bali (Benoa) • Singapore

Includes 18-night cruise • Main meals*, entertainment & gratuities onboard • Complimentary selected fine wines, Champagne & premium spirits onboard • Complimentary Wi-Fi & internet access, speciality dining experiences*, enrichment & wellness activities • 3 nights post-cruise accommodation in Singapore • Admission to Flower Dome & Cloud Forest at Gardens by the Bay • Transfers in Singapore • Port charges & government fees

Cruise departs 08 April 2019

Picture window stateroom
from **\$12,399^{pp}**

