



SVALBARD ADVENTURE MINI-CRUISE | SUNDAY TO FRIDAY

Embark on the ultimate Spitsbergen experience with our Sunday to Friday mini-cruise package, which not only offers an exciting voyage but also includes an extended stay in Longyearbyen after the cruise. Sail through Svalbard's breathtaking landscapes, encountering glaciers, fjords, and diverse wildlife along the way. Upon your return to Longyearbyen, enjoy an extra night to explore the town's unique charm, savour local culinary delights, and participate in land-based activities. This package gives you the perfect balance of Arctic adventure and relaxation, with a post-cruise stay that makes for a more complete and leisurely Arctic escape.



ITINERARY

Day 1: On the edge of the wilderness

Location: Longyearbyen

Summary: Arrival in Longyearbyen. Explore the town and enjoy a light dinner at a local restaurant. Overnight stay at either the Radisson Blu Polar Hotel or Funken Lodge, depending on your cabin category

Day 2: Settlements of the far North



Location: Longyearbyen and Isfjorden

Summary: Morning at leisure in Longyearbyen, followed by a guided tour, including visits to the Svalbard Museum and Camp Barentz. Embark on the MS Serenissima and sail through Isfjorden, observing Arctic wildlife and historical sites.

Day 3: Chances of seeing polar bears

Location: Magdalenefjorden, North West Corner, Møffen, and 80° North

Summary: Enter remote Arctic areas with opportunities to see polar bears, explore Magdalenefjorden with its historical whaling sites, and possibly sail above 80° North near Møffen Island, known for its walrus population.

Day 4: Fjords, glaciers, and research

Location: Kongsfjorden and Ny-Ålesund

Summary: Explore the scenic Kongsfjorden, home to glaciers and rich birdlife, followed by a visit to the research settlement of Ny-Ålesund, where you can learn about Arctic exploration history and send a postcard from the northernmost post office. Upon arrival in Ny-Ålesund, the ship will dock at the pier, and passengers can disembark directly from the ship onto the land.

Day 5: Cruising into Isfjorden

Location: Isfjorden and Longyearbyen

Summary: Sail through Isfjorden, observing its wildlife and geology. Return to Longyearbyen, with time to explore the town's unique northernmost establishments. A light lunch at the hotel is included, along with dinner in the evening.

Day 6: Say goodbye to the Arctic

Location: Longyearbyen

Summary: Departure day, with a transfer from the hotel to the airport, marking the end of the Arctic adventure.

Please note:

The day-by-day programme offers a glimpse of what you can expect during your voyage, but please remember that this itinerary is just a guide. As with any adventure, the elements are in charge, and weather conditions may lead to changes along the way.



YOUR SHIP: SERENISSIMA

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VESSEL TYPE:	Small Ship
LENGTH:	87.5 metres
PASSENGER CAPACITY:	103
BUILT/REFURBISHED:	1960 / 2019

The handsome 103-passenger MS Serenissima began her career as the Harald Jarl, cruising the Norwegian coastline and fjords. With her small size she can navigate into small, remote ports inaccessible to the big cruise ships and appears an impressive sight when moored. With her fleet of Zodiacs she is capable of both destination and expedition cruising. The cabins are attractively designed for comfort and convenience. The MS Serenissima features a range of accommodations to suit your preferences, from the luxurious Serenissima Suites to comfortable staterooms. There are 10 categories of staterooms and suites arranged over 5 decks, as well as an accessible cabin on Deck 4. With the exception of the inside cabins, all staterooms are outside facing, with either portholes or windows. Indulge in exquisite cuisine at the Venice Restaurant. You will enjoy a buffet-style breakfast and lunch, featuring a variety of sweet and savoury options. Dinner will be a delightful three-course meal, served to you. With a focus on great flavours and fresh ingredients, dining here is a highlight of your journey. The dining room features great views from all tables. Located at the back of the ship, the Andrea Lounge offers a cosy and elegant space to unwind. Enjoy a quiet moment with a book,

socialise with fellow travellers, or simply take in the stunning views through the large windows. The lounge also features a bar, where you can enjoy a refreshing drink as you relax. Situated at the front of the ship, the Harald Jarl Lounge has comfortable seating and a warm ambiance, creating a welcoming atmosphere perfect for relaxation and conversation. Its inviting setting makes it an ideal spot to gather and unwind before dinner. Explore the ship's decks, where you can enjoy panoramic views, soak up the sun, or take a leisurely stroll. The outdoor areas feature an expansive observation deck, providing guests panoramic 360-degree views of the ocean and the surrounding landscape. From this vantage point, visitors can descend to the front deck (Deck 5), which includes an open-air bar and a compact



fitness room.



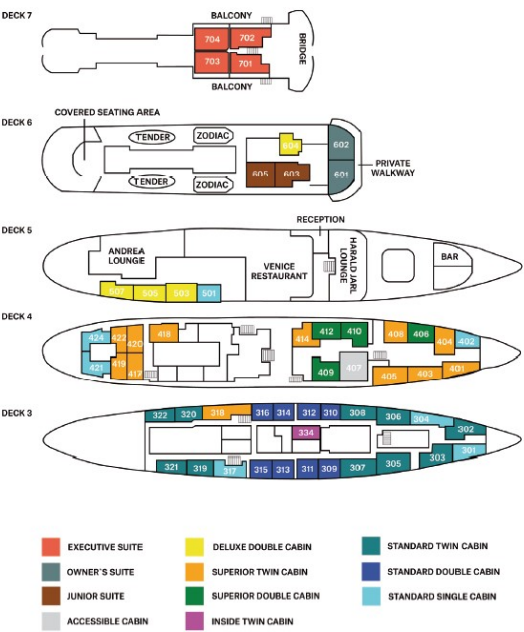
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