



Cruises 2018/19



Set sail and discover...



We're delighted to be launching a brand new season of cruises for 2019 aboard our small ships Saga Sapphire and Saga Pearl II. Each one has been designed to showcase why, when it comes to cruising, smaller is definitely better. It means nipping into tiny fjords and hidden harbours beyond the reach of the big ships. Not to mention a friendlier atmosphere, with more personalised service and attention to detail every step of the way. As they say, if you're going to do it, do it properly.





why small is beautiful.

LAUNCHING
**10 NEW
CRUISES**
FOR 2019!

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OR YOUR MONEY BACK*
— SEE PAGE 96

CRUISE
FROM
£499
PER PERSON

Our most exciting season of cruises yet!

A world of choice

Whether you'd like to join us as soon as possible for a cruise sailing this year, or plan a little ahead for 2018/19, this brochure is packed with unmissable itineraries. From shorter four-night trips to Europe to longer adventures around the Canaries, Med, and even South Africa, there's never been a better time to join our small ships for your first Saga cruise. All are packed with unforgettable experiences, and offer unbeatable value with so much included in the price – turn to page 13 and see for yourself.

Book now for up to 35% off

If you want to get the best deal, you need to book now. That's because our top discounts are available early. But as cabins sell, this discount will start to drop – so make sure you're an early booker! Not only will this save you money, it also means you'll have your pick of the cabins and itineraries. Our Price Promise is there to guarantee you'll never miss out on any late deals or special offers – see page 96 for more information.

See more with our overnight stays


If you think a cruise doesn't give you enough time to really explore a place in depth – think again! We moor our ships overnight in many cities and towns, so you'll often have two days to see the sights, and even spend the evening ashore, without having to rush back to the ship. Look out for the 'overnight' logo on the cruise pages.

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We come highly recommended

If you want some reassurance before you choose Saga, we've got it covered. After every cruise, we ask all guests to fill in a feedback questionnaire about the staff, food, cabin and ship overall. Not only do we score consistently high in all areas, but last year over 99% said they would recommend a Saga cruise to their friends. We've also won a host of travel awards over the past year – it's fantastic that so many British cruisers agree!





"For years the idea of cruising never appealed to me. But my husband finally persuaded me to try a cruise on Saga Sapphire. And I'm glad he did! We were picked up door-to-door, and the food and entertainment were both fantastic, as were the excursions. Why did I wait so long?"

Lynn Jung, Kent

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Brand new for 2018/19

A new season means plenty of exciting new experiences to tempt you. From fascinating festivals to themed itineraries and an exciting voyage across Africa, which one will you choose?



A fond farewell to Saga Pearl II

After almost a decade under the Saga flag, our smallest gem will gracefully retire from service in 2019, as our new ship Spirit of Discovery enters service. But we're making sure she leaves on a high, with an exciting selection of final cruises – including a real once-in-a-lifetime African farewell cruise! See page 90.





Exciting new activities

We've lined-up a new range of activities to enhance selected cruises. These include a 'Fast cars' theme offering thrilling motoring excursions across Europe (page 54), plus the chance to spend two magical nights in Marrakech on an overland trip.

Take a different view

If you want to revisit a country or region, we've added exciting new experiences so you can take a fresh look at classic cruise destinations. This includes lesser-known ports of call on Treasures of the Baltic (page 46) such as Fredericia, and even skiing lessons in Norway (pages 42-43)



One-off 'wow' experiences

Looking for a cruise with the 'wow' factor? Our Cruise Planners have tailored itineraries to coincide with special events and festivals. This includes the Feria de Abril festival in Seville (page 56), Hardanger Music Festival (page 30), Isle of Man TT (page 19), Round the Island Yacht Race (page 20), Edinburgh Fringe (page 24) and Bristol International Balloon Fiesta (page 82).



Find out more at
saga.co.uk/wherewecruise

Welcome aboard

With more than 65 years of experience in the travel industry, we know what makes an unforgettable cruise. So whether you prefer sunbathing on deck with a cocktail to hand, or seeking out the local cultures, history and wildlife, how you spend your time is always up to you.



Arrive in style and comfort

Your Saga cruise can start at your own front door, when our complimentary chauffeur collects you from home and takes you to the port, so you're relaxed and on time. They'll even load your luggage for you. So say goodbye to last-minute dashes and dragging suitcases around. Just sit back and let someone else do the driving! The VIP treatment continues when you arrive at the port and our porters transfer your luggage to your cabin. You really won't need to lift a finger, and that's how any great holiday should be.



Watch the online video at
saga.co.uk/chauffeur





Be entertained, day and night

Sail with us and there'll be no time to get bored – there's always something to see and do. We host cocktail parties, dancing and cabaret shows. All are great chances to let your hair down, meet other cruisers and show off your cultural knowledge or signature dance moves. We'll pop a Daily Programme under your door each evening, so you can see what's coming up. And if you fancy a bit of pampering, why not take yourself off to the Spa. It's your holiday, so do what makes you happy.



See more at saga.co.uk/days-at-sea

Dining perfection

If you love the occasion of dining out at top eateries, you're in for a treat. Make your way to one of our restaurants for some unforgettable fine dining. Choose from à la carte breakfasts and lunches to amazing six course dinners – you can even look forward to dressing up for the occasional formal night. Or, for something more casual, delicious fish & chips, buffets and barbecues are all on the menu too. Our chefs are some of the most experienced in the business, and with free rein to source ingredients from the local markets ashore, you'll experience something fresh and innovative every time.



Discover our cruising flavours at saga.co.uk/flavours



Feel right at home

All our cabins are designed and appointed to give you the privacy and space you could wish for; a place to come back to put your feet up after a day exploring, to enjoy a drink or your evening meal. Need some advice about which one to pick for your first voyage? Many of our agents are experienced cruisers themselves, so they'll be able to recommend cabins as well as destinations and itineraries.



Find out more at saga.co.uk/our-ships



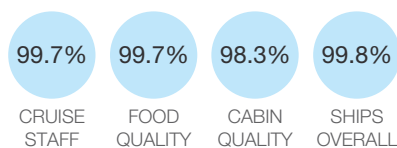
Don't just take our word for it...

"What really sets Saga apart is the attention to detail, the customer service, and the fact that you don't feel like you're being squeezed for more money at every opportunity - so much really is included!"

Carl Hides, London

Guests' feedback

A high percentage of previous guests rate our staff, food, cabins and ships overall 'excellent' or 'good'...



Based on feedback questionnaires completed between January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016.

The best value at sea

Every Saga cruise includes all this with no hidden extras...

- **A return chauffeur service to Dover, Southampton or Portsmouth†** or included car parking, coach or rail travel or UK domestic flights (subject to availability) – please call for full details.
- **Optional travel insurance** provided by Cigna Insurance Services (Europe) Limited and **additional cancellation rights**, or a reduction if not required
- **All meals, snacks and entertainment on board**, including speciality dining on Saga Sapphire
- **A choice of wines with lunch and dinner**
- **Welcome sailaway party** with complimentary drinks
- **Daily afternoon tea**
- **24-hour room service**
- **Unlimited tea, coffee and fruit juices** in selected venues
- **All on-board ‘tips’ and bar service charges**
- **Complimentary Wi-Fi**
- **Porterage of luggage** at the port
- **Free shuttle bus** at most ports^
- **Tourist visas**, if required

In addition, selected cruises are **all inclusive** – they also include Saga house-branded spirits, cocktails containing house-branded spirits, draught beer and lager, non-alcoholic cocktails, all mixers and soft drinks.

The value of Sterling

As well as offering competitive prices, our on-board shops and bars use Sterling so you don’t need to worry about exchange rates.

Love it first time – or your money back!

If you’ve never cruised with Saga before, we’re so confident you’ll love it, that we’ll give you your money back if you don’t agree!

See page 96 for full terms and conditions.

Book early for the best deal

With Saga it pays to book early, because should we ever cut our prices or bring in a new special offer later on, we’ll work out the difference and pass the value of the saving back to you.

See page 96 for full details of our Price Promise.



See what’s included at saga.co.uk/included

†Private chauffeur up to 75 miles each way; shared chauffeur service from 76-250 miles.

^Whenever possible, and when the ship is berthed at least 500 yards from the nearest town centre.

Mini cruises

Perfect for a luxury short break or as a 'taster' for your first-ever cruise, this handpicked selection of itineraries is available now at great low prices! Enjoying the excitement of the 'Round the Island' race... Monet's beautiful garden in springtime... the famed museums of Amsterdam... the energy of the Edinburgh Fringe Festival... which one will you choose?





Easter Getaway

Departing: March 28, 2018
6 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Southampton

Treat yourself to a mini-cruise and spend the Easter weekend exploring the stunning coastal scenery surrounding Falmouth, hopping across the Channel to spend the day in Guernsey and then cruising to Germany, where you can choose to visit the historic Hanseatic city of Bremen and enjoy a tour of the Meyer Werft shipyard at Papenburg, where the construction of our new ship will take place.

INCLUDED EXCURSION to Meyer Werft Shipyard

6 nights from £1,205

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.



To find out more visit
saga.co.uk/continent



Guernsey's charming capital, St Peter Port

March 28. Southampton, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. **Depart 1600. March 29. Falmouth ↴, England.** Arrive 0800.

Depart 1800. Set on the south Cornish coast, Falmouth has one of the largest natural harbours in the world and is guarded by the castles of St Mawes and Pendennis. From here you can enjoy a visit to the Eden Project, a multimillion-pound attraction housing over 100,000 plants in two huge domes. Or perhaps see more of the beautifully rugged scenery that fans of the Poldark novels by Winston Graham may recognise from the BBC series of the 1970s, or from the more recent adaptation starring Aidan Turner. **March 30. St Peter Port ↴, Guernsey, England.** Arrive 0800.

Depart 1800. The Channel Islands were the only British territories to be occupied in World War II and during your time ashore in Guernsey you can tour the atmospheric tunnels of the German Underground Hospital, view Nazi memorabilia at the Occupation Museum and admire the views from the old

gun emplacement, Pleinmont Point. If you prefer, you can spend your time exploring the charming fusion of Gallic and British influences in the quaint capital, St Peter Port.

April 1. Bremerhaven (for Bremen), Germany.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. From Bremerhaven you have the chance to continue to the historic Hanseatic city of Bremen, whose market square has been guarded by the symbolic Statue of Roland since 1404, marking the city's independence. If you choose to explore the narrow, cobbled lanes of the oldest district, the Schnoor quarter, you'll discover its petite 15th and 16th-century houses. Another highlight is the artists' quarter of Böttcherstrasse. With a whole day ashore, you might also like to see where Saga's newest ship is being built on a visit to Meyer Werft visitors' centre to see how state-of-the-art shipbuilding works. See unique exhibits, informative films, a fully-equipped show cabin and more. **April 3. Southampton, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

Up to £150 per person On Board Credit - book by July 23, 2017[^]

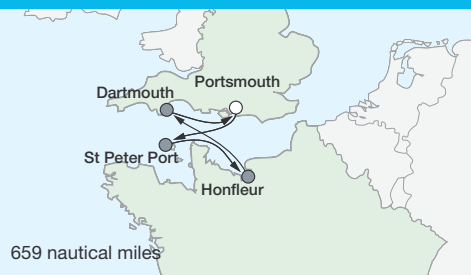
EASTER GETAWAY aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **March 28, 2018.** Duration: **6 nights.** Cruise code: **SA339.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,507	£1,205
Outside	from	£1,692	£1,269
Superior	from	£2,153	£1,507
Suites	from	£3,460	£2,249

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from		£2,074 [‡]
Superior		SOLD OUT	

[§]A reduction of £72 applies if you do not need the optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights – see page 96 for details. Fares are per person for the lowest grade available in the category shown. [‡]Based on an Outside Guarantee – see page 96 for details. All fares were correct at the time of going to print and are subject to availability and change. [^]Up to £150 per person On Board Credit when booking on or before July 23, 2017: Exact amount depends on your chosen cabin grade. Offer is not applicable to Guarantee cabins. For full details see page 96. Please see pages 92-95 for cabin guide and deck plans.

Please note: ↴ Land by launch or tender. All excursions mentioned are optional, at an additional cost, and are subject to availability and change. Some of the highlights detailed may only be seen on optional excursions or by exploring independently. Days not detailed are at sea.



Maritime Mini Cruise

Departing: April 3, 2018
4 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

Contrast the Gallic charms of Guernsey with the historic attractions of pretty Honfleur and the maritime heritage of Dartmouth on this springtime cruise. You'll also enjoy lively music from traditional shanty groups as well as special sea-themed menus on board Saga Pearl II as she cruises the Channel.

In celebration of the sea

Enjoy a form of music not often heard - the rousing, lyrical folk songs of the sea shanties. We'll be welcoming some modern-day singers of this traditional form on board to entertain you with their lyrics and mighty voices and we'll also be cooking up a treat with lots of sea themed options on the menu.

4 nights from £608

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £36 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

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April 3. Portsmouth, England.

Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1700.

April 4. St Peter Port, Guernsey.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1700.

The Channel Islands are geographically closer to France than England and are a delightful blend of Gallic and British influences. Step back in time and experience the leisurely pace of life of a bygone era with a trip on a 1954 vintage Albion Victor coach that will take you to the Guernsey Folk and Costume Museum. Alternatively take a walk along St Peter Port's quaint cobbled streets and steep lanes lined with neat rows of houses, investigate one of the fascinating museums, savour the seafood on offer or see relics of the German occupation during World War II.

April 5. Honfleur, France.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1700.

This enchanting harbourside town dates back to the 14th century and was the starting point for the Canadian discovery voyages. It has captured the imagination of many an artist thanks to local marine painter Boudin, young Monet's mentor, who encouraged others to paint here. While here, you may like to learn more about the Normandy Landings and see the beaches where Allied forces landed during Operation Overlord in World War II or perhaps visit Pegasus Bridge that was captured by British airborne forces.



Pictured clockwise from left: Devonshire's attractive coastline; The pretty Devonshire coast; Explore the quaint streets of St Peter Port Views over St Peter Port

April 6. Dartmouth J, England. Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. The small naval port of Dartmouth has been guarded by Dartmouth Castle for over 600 years, and sitting on a hill overlooking the town, the Britannia Royal Naval College has been training Naval Officers since 1863. There is a strong link between the people of Dartmouth and the sea, and you can learn more about this connection in the Dartmouth Museum. Alternatively, perhaps take a thrilling trip aboard a Brixham Trawler, an elegant wooden vessel known for its high speed, and imagine the thrill the fishermen of the 19th century felt as they dragged their haul to shore.

April 7. Portsmouth, England. Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

SAVE up to 35% off the full fares – see page 96.

MARITIME MINI CRUISE aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **April 3, 2018.** Duration: **4 nights.** Cruise code: **P2196.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£936	£608	Inside	from	£1,221	£976
Outside	from	£1,058	£793	Outside	from	£1,587	£1,269
Superior	from	£1,587	£1,190	Superior	from	£2,748	£1,786
Suites	from	£2,279	£1,481	Suites	from	£3,846	£2,499

SA reduction of £36 applies if you do not need the optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights – see page 96 for details. Fares are per person for the lowest grade available in the category shown. All fares were correct at the time of going to print and are subject to availability and change. For full details see page 96. Please see pages 92-95 for cabin guide and deck plans.

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Charms of the Continent

Departing: May 4, 2018
6 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Southampton

Cruise away on this short break taking in some great capitals. Treat yourself to a day in Paris, stroll beside the canals of beautiful Bruges and spend two whole days in Amsterdam. Your final port of call is Tilbury, perfectly placed for visiting London, Kent and the southeast. At the end of the day relax onboard as you enjoy the music of our fabulous party bands!

6 nights from £887

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.



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Beautiful Bruges

May 4. Southampton, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600. **May 5. Le Havre, France.** Arrive 0700. Depart 1800. The city of Le Havre is a UNESCO World Heritage Site, reflecting the importance of its post-war reconstruction. Explore the city and its architecture, or perhaps treat yourself to a visit further afield and see Monet's garden in Giverny, the beautiful town of Honfleur, or even set off for a day's visit to Paris! **May 6. Zeebrugge (for Bruges), Belgium.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1800. Zeebrugge offers an ideal opportunity to visit the historic and beautiful city of Bruges, also a UNESCO World Heritage Site. With its sublime canals, cobbled streets and historic buildings, this is one of Belgium's architectural 'jewels', not forgetting it's also famous for its chocolate! Then again, the town of Damme – known for its book shops – may tempt you, along with the 19th-century castle of Loppem, or you could take a trip to Waterloo to learn about Napoleon and the famous battle that took place here.

May 7-8. IJmuiden (for Amsterdam), Netherlands. Arrive 0800 May 7. Depart 1800 May 8. Discover Amsterdam with its famous canals, museums and art galleries. Wander through the flea market, browse the shops or treat yourself to an evening out in this great city. From a twilight canal cruise to a guided pub walk, there's so much here to tempt you. One day isn't enough to explore all it has to offer, so perhaps return the next day. Alternatively, you may prefer to join an optional excursion through the Dutch countryside to the community of Zaanse Schans famous for its windmills, and the town of Edam, which of course is best known for its cheese. **May 9. Tilbury (for London), UK.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2200. The port of Tilbury is the main port for London and only a short journey from the capital with all its attractions. From Buckingham Palace to world-famous museums and the London Eye, you'll be spoiled for choice of what to see. **May 10. Dover, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

Up to £150 per person On Board Credit - book by July 23, 2017[^]

CHARMS OF THE CONTINENT aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **May 4, 2018.** Duration: **6 nights.** Cruise code: **SA344.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,268	£887	Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£1,557	£1,012	Outside	from	£1,999	£1,594
Superior	from	£1,960	£1,274	Superior	from	£2,940	£1,911
Suites	from	£2,825	£1,836				

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Isle of Man and the TT

Departing: May 29, 2018
7 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

Sail the Celtic Sea up to St George's Channel and across the Irish Sea to discover the historic port cities and ancient islands that dot our coastal waters. Raise a glass in Dublin, celebrate the achievements of the Fab Four in Liverpool, drop anchor off the beautiful Isle of Man when the TT races are in full swing, and stop off at Portland to admire the sweeping drama of the Jurassic Coast. On board ship you can party to live bands in Dublin and Liverpool.

Go full throttle

You'll be able to get to the heart of the action at the TT races thanks to Saga Sapphire's visit. Perhaps join an optional excursion and take a prime seat on the Grandstand to watch the TT races, giving you not just a great view of sections of the course, but also the pit lane and scoreboard. Later in the day we will be celebrating over 100 years of TT champions when our VIP motorsport legend joins us on board.

7 nights from £1,383

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

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A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

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Pictured above: A coastal view from the Isle of Man; Dublin's Ha'penny Bridge; Lap speeds of 130mph are reached at the TT

May 29. Dover, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600. **May 31. Dublin, Ireland.**

Arrive 0730. Depart 1700. Explore Dublin whose literary heritage and friendly character make it one of Europe's most popular capitals. Located on the eastern side of Ireland and intersected by the Liffey, the capital is home to two cathedrals, as well as Dublin Castle and Trinity College. There's masses to do; enjoy a Guinness in a traditional bar, explore a host of museums and galleries, or take lunch at the Abbey Tavern with accompanying traditional music and dance.

June 1. Liverpool, England. Arrive 0630.

Depart 2100. The seaport city of Liverpool has an impressive waterfront dominated by the 'Three Graces': the Royal Liver Building, the Cunard Building and the Port of Liverpool Building. Renowned as the home town of the Beatles, here you can visit Strawberry Fields, Penny Lane and learn more about the Fab Four in the Beatles Story walk-through exhibition. Other cultural attractions include the Tate Liverpool and the Merseyside Maritime Museum which highlight the city's shipbuilding heritage.

June 2. Douglas, Isle of Man. Arrive 0700.

Depart 2200. With the world famous motorsport Tourist Trophy – TT – road-races taking place this week, you might like to take a place on the roadside to see competitors doing the 37 mile-plus laps at speeds approaching 120 mph! This self-governing crown dependency has a rugged coastline, and spectacular scenery so it will be an exhilarating experience. Take the opportunity to explore the capital with its sweeping Victorian promenades; perhaps take a boat trip around the island's beautiful shores; or take a ride on a heritage railway.

June 4. Portland, England. Arrive 0800.

Depart 1700. Sail into Portland Harbour, the third largest man-made harbour in the world and host venue for 2012 Olympics' sailing events. Portland lies on the the Jurassic Coast, and the island is connected to the mainland by Chesil Beach spit. Maybe join a tour to beautiful Abbotsbury Gardens, see the Benedictine ruins and visit the 600-year-old swannery – at this time of year you can walk through a colony of nesting mute swans just as the cygnets are hatching.

June 5. Dover, England. Arrive 0800.

Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

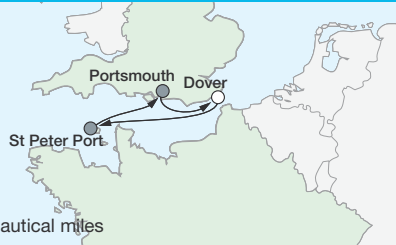
SAVE up to 25% off the full fares – see page 96.

ISLE OF MAN AND THE TT aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **May 29, 2018**. Duration: **7 nights**. Cruise code: **SA347**.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,844	£1,383	Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£2,075	£1,452	Outside	from	£2,667	£1,992
Superior	from	£2,619	£1,829	Superior	from	£3,920	£2,940
Suites	from	£3,996	£2,597				

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Round the Island Regatta

Departing: June 20, 2018
4 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

Experience the excitement of the Round the Island Yacht Race as you watch this gripping event unfold from your front row seat aboard Saga Sapphire, where a yacht style party will be taking place! You'll also have the chance to explore the secluded island of Sark, discover the Gallic charms of Guernsey, uncover the fascinating maritime heritage of Portsmouth, and look forward to tasting delicious local produce during your cruise.

4 nights from £718

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £36 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

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June 20. Dover, England.

Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600.

June 21. St Peter Port ⚓, Guernsey.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. With its mix of French and English culture, the capital of Guernsey is a fascinating port. While here you may like to visit some of the port's museums and boutiques, or perhaps take a scenic ferry trip to the neighbouring island of Sark where a horse and cart will transport you around the car-free island to see the dramatic La Coupée, a narrow isthmus that links Sark to Little Sark, and to visit La Seigneurie Gardens.

June 22-23. Portsmouth, England.

Arrive 0800 on June 22. Depart 0600 on June 23. Proud of its illustrious naval and maritime heritage, Portsmouth is centred around the restored dockyards and the modern landmark Spinnaker Tower – at 170-metres high, it's the tallest building in England outside of London. Portsmouth has the world's oldest continuously used dry dock and is home to several famous ships including Lord Nelson's flagship HMS Victory and the Mary Rose of the Tudor navy of King Henry VIII. Other attractions include the D-Day Museum, the house

Round the Island Race

This popular race has taken place every year since 1931, stopping only during World War II. The race sets off from Cowes and circumnavigates the Isle of Wight in an anti clockwise direction finishing back at Cowes. The first ever vessel to win the race was 22-foot Cornish fishing boat the 'Merry Conceit' owned by Peter Brett and Henry Trefusis who had bought the boat for £45. Due to its growing popularity the race today is easily accessible with GPS tracking and results appearing on a dedicated TV channel and website. You will however have a front row seat from the comfort of Saga Sapphire! See if you can spot the Saga sponsored yacht, which will be carrying one of our staff from head office; hear the first-hand experiences of a yacht race skipper who'll be on board Saga Sapphire; and enjoy our very own yacht club celebrations on board.



Pictured above: Enjoy a front row view of the Round the Island yacht race; The race is on; The pretty waterfront at St Peter Port; Portsmouth has a rich maritime heritage

where Charles Dickens was born and the shoppers' paradise that is Gunwharf Quays. Saga Sapphire departs on June 23 and will anchor off the Isle of Wight for a front row view of the exciting Round the Island yacht race.

June 24. Dover, England. Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

SAVE up to 30% off the full fares – see page 96.

ROUND THE ISLAND REGATTA aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **June 20, 2018.** Duration: **4 nights.** Cruise code: **SA349.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,106	£718	Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£1,245	£809	Outside	from	£1,594	£1,275
Superior	from	£1,567	£1,018	Superior	from	£2,421	£2,057
Suites	from	£2,397	£1,558				

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Please note: ⚓ Land by launch or tender. All excursions mentioned are optional, at an additional cost, and are subject to availability and change. Some of the highlights detailed may only be seen on optional excursions or by exploring independently.



Delightful France

Departing: August 21, 2018
4 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Dover

Calling all francophiles... whether you're attracted to France by the scenery, the food, the culture or all three, this cruise aboard Saga Pearl II ticks all the boxes. Look forward to visiting the beautiful town of Honfleur, tasting the cheese and cider of the Auge region and making an overnight stop in a new port for Saga cruises, Caen, where you can soak up the typically French atmosphere, browse tempting food markets and learn more about Normandy's fascinating past.

4 nights from £657

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £36 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.



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Also on board... musicians playing a repertoire of French music to give this cruise a certain *joie de vivre*.



August 21. Dover, England.
Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1600.

August 22. Honfleur, France.
Arrive 0800. Depart 2000.

Beautiful Honfleur, a typical Normandy coastal town, dates back to the 14th century. You can choose from a variety of optional excursions here. Perhaps join a guided walking tour to discover the picturesque Old Dock, with its splendid two-storey stone dwellings, and see the largest wooden church in France – the 15th-century St Catherine's. Honfleur inspired artists such as Boudin, Monet, Dufy, Duborg and Friesz and you can see their work in the local museum. Alternatively, you may like to learn more about the Auge region, both landscape and food, with a visit to the beaches of the Côte Fleurie and the beautiful countryside beyond where cider and cheese are produced.

You'll visit Deauville, and sample Calvados – an apple brandy – at the distillery of le Château du Breuil. There's also a trip to Giverny to visit the enchanting house and gardens of French impressionist artist Monet. See the famous lily pond that inspired so many of his paintings and take a tour of the artist's pink-and-green painted house.

August 23-24. Caen, France.

Arrive 1000 on August 23.
Depart 1830 on August 24.

Today Saga Pearl II cruises into the centre of Caen, a new port for Saga cruises and one rarely frequented by the larger cruise ships. An overnight stop in one of the oldest university towns of France gives you plenty of time to experience the many attractions and soak up the atmosphere.



Pictured clockwise from left: The Church of Saint-Pierre in Caen; Explore Honfleur; The beautiful garden of Monet in Giverny; The pretty harbour at Honfleur; A scene from the Bayeux Tapestry

While here, you may like to learn more about the Normandy Landings by visiting the interactive Caen Memorial museum where moving exhibits cover every detail of the Normandy invasion, and by visiting Arromanches, where remnants of the artificial harbour used by the Allies to bring supplies ashore can still be seen. Alternatively, you could delve further back in time and explore William the Conqueror's 11th-century castle, Chateau de Caen, or perhaps head to Bayeux to see the famous 230 foot long tapestry depicting the story of the Norman conquest. The town of Caen also offers an unrivalled shopping experience with a variety of fashion boutiques and tempting food markets where you can stock up on tasty French produce.

With an overnight stop here you'll also have the opportunity to join an exclusive evening visit to a distillery, where tastings of Calvados will certainly be on the agenda.

August 25. Dover, England. Arrive 0900. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

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DELIGHTFUL FRANCE aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **August 21, 2018.** Duration: **4 nights.** Cruise code: **P2208.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£876	£657	Inside	from	£1,314	£1,116
Outside	from	£1,199	£854	Outside	from	£1,709	£1,367
Superior	from	£1,971	£1,379	Superior	from	£2,957	£1,922
Suites	from	£2,409	£1,806	Suites	from	£4,271	£2,776

£A reduction of £36 applies if you do not need the optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights

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Edinburgh Fringe at Sea

Departing: August 22, 2018
5 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

It's all about the arts on this lively cruise which calls first at Newcastle and its world-class art galleries. When you arrive in Edinburgh the famous Festival Fringe will be in full swing, so expect to find plenty of street performances, plus your visit also coincides with the final performance of the Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo!

5 nights from £976

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

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Fireworks over Edinburgh Castle

August 22. Dover, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600. **August 23-24. Newcastle, England.** Arrive 1300 on August 23. Depart 1500 on August 24. Dating from Roman times, Newcastle takes its name from a medieval keep overlooking the quayside – it was built as a replacement for an old wooden fort, and became known as the 'New Castle'. There are two vast shopping centres in the city, plus the historic 19th-century Central Arcade, so you're sure to find all your favourite high-street names and designer shops. Art aficionados can pay a visit to Laing Art Gallery and contrast it with the exhibitions of the Baltic Centre for Contemporary Art in Gateshead. Celebrate the start of your cruise by joining our live band for a host of party hits on the evening of the 23rd. **August 25. Leith (for Edinburgh), Scotland.** Arrive 0300. Depart 2330. Scotland's capital is city of distinct

quarters – Old Town is divided by the Royal Mile which connects the maze of wynds and vennels with Holyrood Palace and Edinburgh Castle, famously perched on the summit of an extinct volcano. Then there's New Town, the planned Georgian city and home to roads like Princes Street. You'll be arriving in the city in the midst of the Edinburgh Festival Fringe, the largest arts festival in the world. Every August countless artists flock to the city to perform – so whether you like comedy, dance, opera, theatre or cabaret there'll be something for you to enjoy. Perhaps catch a performance before joining an optional excursion this evening to absorb the pomp and ceremony of the final night of the Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo, complete with fireworks and a light show. **August 26. At sea. August 27. Dover, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

SAVE up to 30% off the full fares – see page 96.

EDINBURGH FRINGE AT SEA aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **August 22, 2018.** Duration: **5 nights.** Cruise code: **SA354.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,302	£976	Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£1,598	£1,038	Outside	from	£2,048	£1,740
Superior	from	£2,018	£1,308	Superior	from	£3,020	£1,963
Suites	from	£2,001	£2,320				

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Flavours of Amsterdam

Departing: November 9, 2018
4 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Southampton

Let your spirits soar with this late-autumn cruise to the Low Countries. Explore the beautiful city of Bruges, blissfully free from the madding crowds that descend in summer. Wander the cobbled streets, criss-crossed by canals, browse the shops for some pre-Christmas inspiration, and treat yourself to a beer or a sublime *chocolat chaud*. Then cruise to Amsterdam for an overnight stay to see the city at its most beautiful; leaves drift into the canals and the late autumn sun bathes the city in a soft light.

4 nights from £549

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £36 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

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Amsterdam in the soft light of autumn

November 9. Southampton, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600. **November 10. Zeebrugge (for Bruges), Belgium.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1700. Today you can travel to the medieval city of Bruges. Visiting in late autumn, away from the crowds of the main tourist season, gives you the opportunity to get a real feel of this UNESCO-listed city. Make sure you visit the main square – *La Grand Place de Bruges* – which is encircled by Gothic buildings and overlooked by the 273-foot Belfry Tower. A canal boat ride is a great way for first-time visitors to get a relaxed view of the city, or you could take a horse-drawn carriage to see the sights from a different perspective. The compact cobbled streets are easily explored on foot and you'll find something to tempt you around every corner, including fragrant chocolatiers. If you're interested in art you may like to view miniature masterpieces from the 15th-century Flemish Primitives movement in the Groeningemuseum, one of Belgium's finest cultural establishments. Alternatively, join an optional excursion into the windmill-dotted Flemish countryside to visit the quaint village of Damme and its collection of bookshops, as well as the country-house style Castle of Loppem. There's also the chance to explore sites associated with the Great War, such as the Menin Gate Memorial to the Missing.

November 11-12. Amsterdam, Netherlands. Arrive 0800 on November 11. Depart 0800 on November 12. There is so much to see and do in Amsterdam and with an overnight stay you have plenty of time to explore. Join a coach tour of the city and see the Baroque-style Royal Palace at Dam Square, the 550-year old Nieuwe Kerk – New Church – and the fascinating Mint Tower built in 1618 over a medieval gate. If you're passionate about art you may like to head to Museum Square which houses a trio of famous establishments – the Rijksmuseum, Van Gogh Museum and the Stedelijk – which represent the city's cultural heritage and which each contain superb collections. Perhaps make a poignant visit to the Anne Frank House on an optional excursion. For some retail therapy visit the cobbled lanes of the 'Nine Streets' district to browse the quirky boutiques and antique stores. Alternatively, you may prefer to join a tour that visits Zaandam and reveals the quaint 'windmill village' of Zaanse Schans that has been restored to recreate an 18th-century Zaan community. In the evening you can join a twilight canal cruise to see this pretty city lit up at night, or even join a guided pub crawl to sample traditional Dutch beer – *proost!* **November 13. Southampton, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

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FLAVOURS OF AMSTERDAM aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **November 9, 2018.** Duration: **4 nights.** Cruise code: **SA359.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£845	£549
Outside	from	£1,097	£674
Superior	from	£1,344	£873
Suites	from	£1,882	£1,223

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,152	£921
Outside	from	£1,327	£928
Superior	from	£2,016	£1,310

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Amsterdam Escape

Departing: November 30, 2018
4 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

Calling all party lovers... If you're new to cruising this lively short cruise to the Netherlands and Belgium is the perfect introduction. Explore Amsterdam and enjoy on-board entertainment with a burlesque theme, music and late night buffets!

4 nights from £499

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £36 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

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Enjoy a twilight cruise in Amsterdam

November 30. Portsmouth, England.

Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1700.

December 1-2. IJmuiden (for Amsterdam), Netherlands.

Arrive 1500 December 1. Depart 1700 December 2. Just an hour from IJmuiden lies magical Amsterdam with its canals, museums and beautiful buildings. Join a twilight canal cruise and see the city from the water as you sail past Amsterdam's famous tall houses that flank the waterfront, and discover the maze of canals that make this city famous. You may also be tempted to join a guided pub crawl – Amsterdam is home to many craft breweries in addition to well-known ones – as well as Dutch gin known as 'genever'.

The following day why not treat yourself to another day in cosmopolitan Amsterdam, grab a map and start to explore! Apart from the joy of strolling cobbled streets beside peaceful canals,

art lovers can head for the famous Rijksmuseum, or the sublime Van Gogh Museum where the artist's history is traced through his work. Visit the house of Rembrandt, or Anne Frank, take in a museum or two, browse the flea market or just shop before enjoying some people-watching from one of the city's many charming cafes.

December 3. Zeebrugge, Belgium.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1730. Zeebrugge is well placed whether you want to hop on the shuttle bus to the nearby town of Blankenberge for a spot of shopping, or make your way to historic Bruges, with its wealth of Flemish buildings, canals and enchanting vistas. Alternatively set off to learn about a battle that brought 20 years of conflict to an end on an optional excursion that looks at the Emperor Napoleon and the Battle of Waterloo – one of Belgium's most famous battles. **December 4. Portsmouth, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

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AMSTERDAM ESCAPE aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **November 30, 2018.** Duration: **4 nights.** Cruise code: **P2215.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£760	£499	Inside	from	£1,152	£748
Outside	from	£990	£648	Outside	from	£1,497	£973
Superior	from	£1,490	£973	Superior	from	£2,592	£1,684
Suites	from	£2,112	£1,372	Suites	from	£3,629	£2,358

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Maritime Cities of the Continent

Departing: February 6, 2019
6 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

Cruise to the Continent and uncover the maritime heritage of a collection of cosmopolitan cities. Be some of the first to see our fabulous new ship, Spirit of Discovery, under construction on an exciting excursion to the Meyer Werft's visitor centre, discover the highlights of Amsterdam and visit the Red Star Line Museum in Antwerp. A maritime historian and shipbuilding expert will also be on board to give you insights into the nautical world.

6 nights from £799

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

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Pictured above: Waterfront views of historic Hamburg; Admire Amsterdam's pretty canals; Take your pick of Belgian chocolates

Inspiring experiences: See Spirit of Discovery in the making • Learn about Antwerp's mass emigration era at the Red Star Line Museum • Join a Frisian tea ceremony on board.

February 6. Dover, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600. **February 8. Hamburg, Germany.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Enjoy the scenery as Saga Sapphire sails inland along the River Elbe to moor in the heart of Hamburg. This major port blends its heritage as a free Hanseatic city with a host of modern attractions, a maritime flavour and legendary nightlife. You may choose to travel to the site of the Belsen Concentration Camp where you can see the Wall of Silence, the Obelisk, the Wall of Names and the grave of Anne Frank. **February 9. Wilhelmshaven, Germany.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. This morning you'll arrive at the naval port of Wilhelmshaven, a new port of call for Saga Sapphire. From here, take the opportunity to visit Meyer Werft's visitor centre in Papenburg for a behind-the-scenes look at our newest ship which will be under construction and which is

due to set sail in the summer of 2019. She will retain the intimacy and personal service which you'll experience on Saga Sapphire, coupled with some exciting new additions, such as balconies on every cabin. **February 10. IJmuiden (for Amsterdam), Netherlands.** Arrive 1300. Depart 2100. The fascinating capital of the Netherlands is one of Europe's great cities. Its compact layout ensures that much can be seen, even on a short visit. Perhaps join a tour that reveals some of the city's highlights such as the 17th-century Westerkerk, the baroque Royal Palace on Dam Square and the Mint Tower. **February 11. Zeebrugge (for Antwerp), Belgium.** Arrive 0900. Depart 2200. The port of Zeebrugge is the gateway to Antwerp and Bruges, a fairy tale-like city where chocolatiers nestle alongside traditional lace shops, bars and cafes. If you choose to visit Antwerp, you'll have the chance to explore the Red Star Line Museum where the personal stories of those who risked it all to embark on a life-changing voyage across the Atlantic are documented. **February 12. Dover, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

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MARITIME CITIES OF THE CONTINENT aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **February 6, 2019.** Duration: **6 nights.**
Cruise code: **SA364.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,230	£799
Outside	from	£1,691	£1,099
Superior	from	£2,196	£1,427
Suites	from	£3,165	£2,057

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,890	£1,228
Outside	from	£2,214	£1,439
Superior	from	£3,294	£2,141

SA reduction of £72 applies if you do not need the optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights

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Northern Europe

Saga's small ships get you closer and show you more of this spectacular region. See iconic sights such as Hardangerfjord, Sognefjord and Pulpit Rock, and step ashore for unforgettable experiences such as taking fjordside seats at the Hardanger Music Festival, discovering the meaning of 'hygge' in the wilds of Danish Skagen, a spring visit to the Renaissance rose gardens in Rosendal and the spectacle of Voningfoss waterfall plunging 600-feet into the valley below.





Scandinavian Cities

Departing: May 10, 2018
10 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

Step aboard Saga Sapphire for a cruise through the Skagerrak strait to visit a trio of chic Scandinavian cities: Copenhagen, Oslo and Aarhus. In city break style, overnight stops at Copenhagen and Oslo will give you the chance to experience their nightlife, but there'll be some great entertainment on Saga Sapphire too, with live music from the 60s and 70s to dance the night away to.

10 nights from £2,048

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

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And more – see page 13 for details.



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Pictured above: Copenhagen's historic Nyhavn district; Views over Oslo; Aarhus Canal runs through the lively town centre

May 10. Dover, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600. **May 12-13. Oslo, Norway.** Arrive 1400 on May 12. Depart 1300 on May 13. Located at the head of Oslo Fjord and surrounded by hills and forests, Oslo has much to see and do during your overnight stay. There are over 50 museums to explore, as well as galleries, a sculpture park and a Royal Palace. In the evening you'll have the chance to visit the Oslo Ice Bar where the bar, walls and even the furniture have been carved from ice. Sip from an ice glass and admire the frozen artwork. It gives a new meaning to having a drink on the rocks! **May 14-15. Copenhagen, Denmark.** Arrive 1300 on May 14. Depart 2200 on May 15. A skyline of spires will greet you on your arrival at the Danish capital. Discover the city sights on a cruise along the criss-crossing waterways, tour 17th-century Frederiksborg Castle or perhaps take a RIB boat trip around the Øresund strait, which separates Denmark and Sweden – from this unique waterside perspective you'll see the Øresund bridge, the Middelgrund, Flakfortet island fortress, and the Middelgrund Windmill park. **May 16. Aarhus, Denmark.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800.

Regarded by many as the country's cultural capital, Aarhus was established in Viking times. With its sheltered bay and harbour dating back to the 15th century, the city has long been an important centre for trade with Germany and the Baltic countries. To experience what life was like here in the 19th century you may like to visit Den Gamle By, an award-winning open air museum. Having just celebrated a year of being a European Capital of Culture, Aarhus is sure to delight you with its array of art galleries and museums, attractive waterfront and beautiful botanical gardens. **May 17-18. Kiel, Germany.** Arrive 0800 on May 17. Depart 0700 May 18. With its strategic position at the entrance to the Baltic and the Kiel canal it's no surprise that the city of Kiel has a rich maritime history and shipbuilding tradition. Its most popular attractions include Kiel Botanical Gardens, 13th-century St Nicholas' Church and a small maritime museum documenting the city's seafaring past. Saga Sapphire sets sail early on May 17 and will make a daytime transit along the Kiel Canal. **May 20. Dover, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

Up to £200 per person On Board Credit - book by July 23, 2017[^]

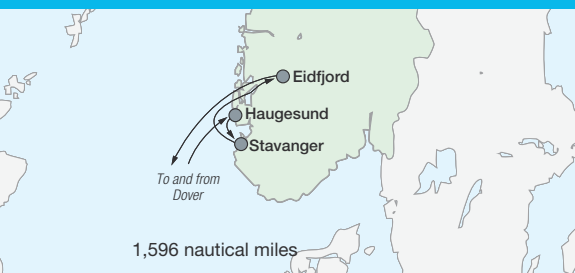
SCANDINAVIAN CITIES aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: May 10, 2018. Duration: 10 nights. Cruise code: SA345.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS	Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from £2,791	£2,048
Outside	from £3,073	£2,304
Superior	from £3,869	£2,708
Suites	from £5,576	£3,624

SINGLE CABINS	Full fare	Current fare
Inside	SOLD OUT	
Outside	SOLD OUT	
Superior	from £5,804	£4,643

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Norwegian Notes

Departing: May 15, 2018
7 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Dover

An incomparable collection of fjords and mountains, remote villages and maritime ports makes Norway the perfect cruise destination. Take the chance to enjoy memorable performances of classical chamber music at the Hardanger Music Festival, and explore the Norwegian cities of Eidfjord, Haugesund and Stavanger on this cruise that will keep the party going into each night, with live music from a variety of bands and late-night buffets to sustain you!

7 nights from £1,268

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

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May 15. Dover, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1700.

May 16. At sea.

May 17. Haugesund, Norway. Arrive 0900. Depart 1800. You arrive in Haugesund on a national public holiday, as Norway celebrates its Constitution Day. This small but vibrant port combines the bustle of city life with the relative wilderness of the surrounding countryside. See the pink neo-classical city hall, or venture further afield to seek out the mighty waterfalls of Langfoss and Svandalsfossen. Alternatively, trace the legacy of Harald Hårfagre – the Viking who united Norway and became its first king over 1,000 years ago. His burial mound is a now a national monument that

depicts scenes of his life, as told by the sagas of old.

May 18. Stavanger, Norway.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. In this picturesque fjordland port, the old quarter of cobbled streets and white 18th-century wooden houses contrasts vividly with the cosmopolitan centre of stylish shops and restaurants. The cathedral, which stands amid streets lit by gas lamps, is small and intimate, and especially well preserved. To see truly amazing fjordland scenery, you may like to enjoy a boat trip along the scenic Lysefjord, which will take you past the massive cliffs of Pulpit Rock. Rising vertically to almost 2,000 feet, it's an impressive sight.



The Hardanger Music Festival

Hardangerfjord's majestic scenery has inspired musicians for centuries, including Edvard Grieg, Norway's best-known composer. The region's musical legacy lives on at the annual Hardanger Music Festival, a week-long celebration of chamber music and folk songs. A series of performances by up-and-coming musicians are held in a variety of beautiful settings with the breathtaking mountains and spring foliage elevating the experience to a whole new level. The air of festivity will continue on board with special classical concerts and live music throughout the voyage.



Pictured clockwise from left: Pulpit Rock hangs over Lysefjord; The Hardanger Music Festival has a magical setting; An open air performance at the Hardanger Music Festival; Explore the cobbled streets of Stavanger; Sunset over Hardangerfjord

May 19-20. Eidfjord, Norway. Arrive 0800 on May 19. Depart 0700 on May 20. Nestling at the head of a fjord, Eidfjord is surrounded by spectacular scenery of cascading waterfalls and towering mountains. During the daytime you may like to explore the Hardanger Nature Centre, where you'll see exhibitions depicting local wildlife, before heading to the thundering Vøringfoss Waterfall. You will also have the opportunity to attend the Hardanger Music Festival, which takes place in a different scenic fjordside setting every year. Top class musicians will entertain you during special classical concerts, and we'll have an expert on board to speak about the history of this festival too.

May 21. At sea.

May 22. Dover, England. Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

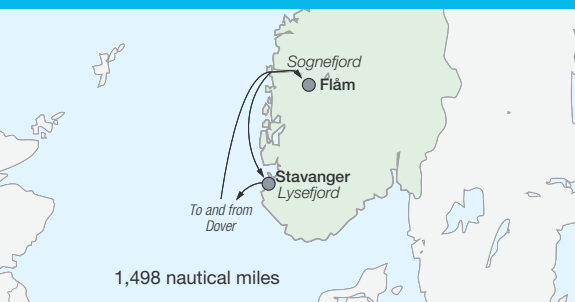
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NORWEGIAN NOTES aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **May 15, 2018.** Duration: **7 nights.** Cruise code: **P2200.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,691	£1,268	Inside	from	£2,537	£1,902
Outside	from	£2,498	£1,538	Outside	from	£3,297	£2,637
Superior	from	£3,551	£2,663	Superior	from	£5,708	£3,710
Suites	from	£4,735	£3,077	Suites	from	£7,991	£5,194

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Scenic Summer Fjords

Departing: July 6, 2018
6 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Dover

Norway's picture-perfect landscapes await you on this week-long, summertime cruise. World-famous fjords, quaint villages and impressive soaring mountains will be some of the sights to greet you as Saga Pearl II cruises across Norway's most impressive fjord and pauses at Flåm and Stavanger. The only question is, how will you choose to explore... on foot, by boat, by train or by helicopter?

6 nights from £1,152

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

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July 6. Dover, England.

Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 0800.

July 7. At sea.

July 8-9. Flåm, Norway.

Arrive 1400 on July 8.

Depart 0700 on July 9. The pretty village of Flåm is tucked away on the shores of a branch of Sognefjord, Norway's largest and best known fjord. The picturesque surroundings of meadows, orchards and fields of greenery that creep up the sides of the imposing mountains attract visitors from all over the world. The best way to enjoy the scenery is to ride the famous Flåm Railway. This locomotive marvel ventures 2,850 feet up mountain gorges and stops at all the best sights, including the mighty Kjosfossen Waterfall,

which cascades 738 feet over the mountainside. If you're feeling energetic, a hike through Flåm Valley brings you even closer to the scenery and you'll pass meadows, brooks and waterfalls before arriving in Berekvam Halt. Alternatively, you may like to head to the traditional fjordland village of Aurland, which is set around a 13th-century church and provides a gateway to the amazing Stegastein viewpoint, a lookout platform offering magnificent views over Aurlandsfjord.

July 9. Scenic cruising. Saga Pearl II departs Flåm early this morning so that you can enjoy a daytime cruise across the dramatic Sognefjord giving you a chance to admire the scenery and capture some impressive holiday snaps.



Pictured clockwise from left: A bird's-eye view of Pulpit Rock; See amazing views over Aurlandsfjord from the Stegastein viewpoint; Stavanger's lively waterfront; The famous Flåm railway

July 10. Stavanger, Norway. Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Stavanger is a city of two halves, where white 18th-century wooden houses and cobblestone streets contrast vividly with the stylish shops and cafes of its cosmopolitan centre, which is compact and easily explored on foot. From here you may like to take a boat trip across the Lysefjord, past the spectacular 1,968 feet high cliffs of Pulpit Rock, you could hop on board a helicopter for a breathtaking 'flightseeing' tour, or you may like to join a sightseeing tour of Stavanger and see the monument commemorating the unification of Norway in 872AD, during the Viking Age. You can also learn more about the occupation of Stavanger during World War II with visits to

Eiganes Cemetery, the Rogaland War Museum and the Fly Historisk Museum, which houses a number of vintage aircraft.

July 11. At sea.

July 12. Dover, England. Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

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SCENIC SUMMER FJORDS aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **July 6, 2018.** Duration: **6 nights.** Cruise code: **P2204.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,537	£1,152	Inside	from	£2,306	£1,960
Outside	from	£1,998	£1,498	Outside	from	£2,997	£2,397
Superior	from	£3,228	£2,098	Superior	from	£5,187	£3,371
Suites	from	£4,304	£2,797	Suites	from	£7,263	£4,720

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Islands of Bothnia

Departing: June 5, 2018
14 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Dover

Sail around the Scandinavian Peninsula as spring transforms these magical lands. Cruise into the heart of a Norwegian fjord. Discover a German island resort that was tucked behind the Iron Curtain. Voyage into the Gulf of Bothnia, just 100 kilometres south of the Arctic Circle, and visit the lands of the midnight sun.

14 nights from £3,495

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]


A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

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24-hour room service

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A view of Umeå

June 5. Dover, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1600. **June 7. Arendal, Norway.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Sail into Galtesund fjord in southern Norway to the heart of the beautifully located city of Arendal. Here the coastline and islands are dotted with picturesque wooden houses. Wander through the charming old town – *Tyholmen* – or visit idyllic Merdø Island to take in the scenery and see the coastal farm museum. **June 9. Sassnitz, Germany.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1600. The pretty resort town of Sassnitz lies on Rügen, Germany's largest island, which was tucked behind the Iron Curtain for 50 years. The island boasts a mass of white-sandy beaches, chalk cliffs and beautiful scenery – Jasmund National Park is UNESCO-listed. You might like a ride on the narrow gauge steam train *Rasende Roland*, stroll the *prom-prom-prom* at Binz, or visit Prora, a vast concrete seaside resort built by Hitler as part of the Kraft Durch Freude – Strength Through Joy – programme. **June 11. Örnsköldsvik, Sweden.** Arrive 0900. Depart 2000. The scenery around Örnsköldsvik is exceptionally lovely and worth exploring. Perhaps head for the UNESCO-listed region of Höga Kusten – high coast – to see the tallest and steepest coastline of the Baltic region. If you've a head for heights take a ski-lift to the top of Skuleberget mountain for breathtaking views. **June 12. Umeå, Sweden.**

Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. The city of Umeå lies 275 miles below the Arctic Circle and was European Capital of Culture in 2014. Explore the city and visit the Gammlia open-air museum to see traditional buildings, or head out to see the Glass Church and visit an elk farm where elk milk is used to make cheese, the only one of its kind in the world. **June 13. Luleå, Sweden.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Explore this pretty town and see the 19th-century cathedral which is still the tallest building. The port here is ice-bound until the end of May, and from here you can head into the Arctic Circle to see how the long hours of daylight transform the landscape and learn about the Sami, or reindeer people, who live here. You also have the opportunity to visit Boden Fortress, one of Sweden's largest military constructions. **June 15. Mariehamn, Finland.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Mariehamn, the town of a thousand Linden trees, is the capital of the Åland archipelago. Learn about the island history, see the pretty wooden houses from the late-19th century, the waterfront, and the museum ship. You might like to visit the Stallhagen Brewery to sample Ålandic beer, or join a guided hike of the hills of Getaberget for fabulous coastal views. **June 17. Kiel Canal, Germany.** Cruise the Kiel Canal in daylight. **June 19. Dover, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

ISLANDS OF BOTHNIA aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: June 5, 2018. Duration: 14 nights. Cruise code: P2202.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS				SINGLE CABINS			
		Full fare	Current fare			Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,369	£3,495	Inside	from	£6,554	£6,226
Outside	from	£4,939	£4,445	Outside	from	£8,150	£7,742
Superior	from	£8,548	£6,838	Superior		SOLD OUT	
Suites	from	£10,637	£7,977	Suites	from	£18,521	£12,964

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Adventure to the North Cape

Departing: June 24, 2018
15 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

Experience the ethereal glow of the midnight sun on this cruise across the Arctic Circle. Not only will you have the chance to visit the North Cape, but you can explore the cities of Tromsø, Hammerfest and Bodø – where you can go on a RIB safari in search of sea eagles and learn about Norway's Viking heritage.


Cruise like a Viking

Get to grips with Viking culture – often misrepresented as lots of horned helmets and shouting! – with a special programme of enriching lectures and exhibitions on board. Indulge in a Viking-themed banquet, plus take part in a Viking jewellery-making workshop.

15 nights from £3,384

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The midnight sun in the sky

Calling at... Dover, England • Lerwick, Shetland Islands • Tromsø, Norway • Hammerfest, Norway • Honningsvåg, Norway • Cruising the North Cape • Bodø, Norway • Seydisfjörður, Iceland • Dover, England.

Also on board... you'll be joined by representatives from ORCA, the foremost whale and dolphin conservation charity, who'll be holding regular whale-spotting sessions on deck.

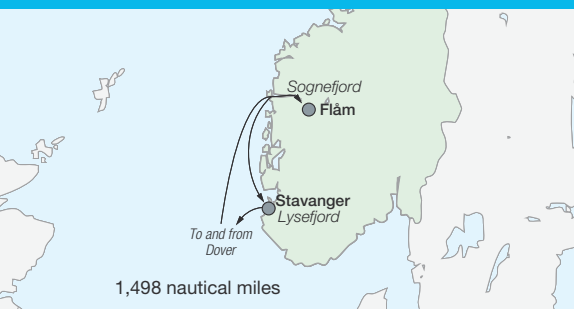
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ADVENTURE TO THE NORTH CAPE aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **June 24, 2018**. Duration: **15 nights**. Cruise code: **SA350**.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,230	£3,384	Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£5,191	£3,893	Outside	from	£7,787	£7,008
Superior	from	£6,729	£5,046	Superior	from	£9,886	£7,844
Suites	from	£9,997	£6,498				

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6 nights from £1,152

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OVERNIGHT
STAY

Pictured above: The famous Flåm railway; See amazing views over Aurlandsfjord from the Stegastein viewpoint; Stavanger's lively waterfront



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SCENIC SUMMER FJORDS aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **July 6, 2018.** Duration: **6 nights.** Cruise code: **P2204.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,537	£1,152	Inside	from	£2,306	£1,960
Outside	from	£1,998	£1,498	Outside	from	£2,997	£2,397
Superior	from	£3,228	£2,098	Superior	from	£5,187	£3,371
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Icelandic Discovery

Departing: July 12, 2018
16 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Dover

Discover a fantastical land as you cruise north to the rugged and remote Shetland Islands then navigate the frigid waters of Iceland, where you can reinvigorate yourself in the nutrient-rich waters of geothermal hot springs, and explore edgy, artful cities.

16 nights from £3,699

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Also on board... you'll be joined by representatives from ORCA, the foremost European whale and dolphin conservation charity, who'll be holding regular whale-watching sessions on board.



Take a dip in the Blue Lagoon

July 12. Dover, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1600. **July 14. Kirkwall, Orkney Islands.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. A handsome city with an ancient legacy, Kirkwall is your gateway to Neolithic villages and mysterious stone circles. Perhaps discover the unique Italian Chapel, built by Italian prisoners of war. **July 15. Lerwick, Shetland Islands.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. See the rugged side of the Shetland Islands with an optional cruise around uninhabited Mousa Island, home only to sheep, seals and seabirds – you might even see endangered harbour porpoises. **July 17. Eskifjörður, Iceland.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Eskifjörður has a spectacular setting on the edge of a fjord beside a jagged mountain. **July 18. Akureyri, Iceland.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Iceland's cultural hub is filled with trendy cafes, fancy restaurants, art galleries and colourful gardens. While here perhaps take a rejuvenating dip in the Myvatn Nature Baths – the geothermal waters are thought to be good for the skin, joints and lungs! **July 19. Isafjörður, Iceland.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1700. Isafjörður is located in Iceland's Westfjords region, a harsh but beautiful place home to Arctic foxes, seals and whales – learn more with a visit to the Arctic Fox Research Centre.

July 20. Grundarfjörður, Iceland. Arrive 0800. Depart 2200. Grundarfjörður is set on the Snaefellsnes Peninsula. Go hiking in search of waterfalls and puffins, or take a scenic ferry ride around the peninsula. **July 21. Reykjavik, Iceland.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. The world's most northerly capital is filled with edgy art galleries, fabulous eateries and some frankly bizarre museums. You'll have the chance to go whale watching, or unwind with a dip in the rejuvenating waters of the Blue Lagoon. **July 24. Lisahally (for Derry/Londonderry), Northern Ireland.** Arrive 0700. Depart 1800. Compact and easy to explore, Londonderry, or Derry, is encircled by sturdy 17th-century walls that divide the historic streets from the hills beyond. **July 25. Dublin, Ireland.** Arrive 1030. Depart 1945. Characterful and lively, Dublin's fine Georgian architecture gives it an elegant, cosmopolitan feel. As well as two grand cathedrals, the city is home to the General Post Office, a symbolic building which was the headquarters for the leaders of the Easter Rising in 1916. **July 28. Dover, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

ICELANDIC DISCOVERY aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **July 12, 2018.** Duration: **16 nights.** Cruise code: **P2205.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,352	£3,699	Inside	from	£6,520	£5,875
Outside	from	£5,411	£4,599	Outside	SOLD OUT		
Superior	from	£8,514	£6,811	Superior	from	£12,771	£9,578
Suites	from	£10,595	£7,416	Suites	from	£17,800	£11,622

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Scandinavian Seascapes

Departing: September 13, 2018
7 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

Cruise to Norway, Sweden and Denmark and learn about Scandinavian design and living. From architecture and cars to Danish hygge and 'Scandi' style, discover this popular culture as you visit four cities and cruise the waters where Vikings once roamed.

'Scandi style'

Scandinavian design came to prominence in the 1950s and still remains popular today, its influences ranging from design style to lifestyle. Visit Scandinavia on this special cruise and enjoy visits and talks, plus an insight into Scandinavian interior design and perhaps a little Danish 'hygge'...

7 nights from £1,569

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Pictured clockwise from top: Breathtaking Stavanger Lysefjord in Norway; Coastline at Gothenburg; Traditional buildings at Gothenburg harbour

September 13. Dover, England.

Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600.

September 15. Stavanger, Norway. Arrive 0800.

Depart 1700. Lying in southern Norway, Stavanger is a city of two parts, its modern high-rise centre contrasting with a 12th-century cathedral and cobbled streets flanked by wooden houses. Enjoy time to explore the city, or perhaps visit a traditional home and meet the locals – the perfect opportunity to learn about Scandinavian home style and family life. The city also has a choice of museums, including the Petroleum Museum reflecting the city's main industry of North Sea oil which you might like to visit independently. **September 16. Kristiansand, Norway.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Named after King Christian IV who founded the city in 1641, Kristiansand's enchanting old town area of Posebyen with its early wooden houses is laid out on a grid-plan. The city is a popular holiday choice for Norwegians and with its sandy beach, lively Fish Quay, museums, two marinas and old fortress, there's lots to discover. Further afield lies the Vest-Agder County Museum, home to 30 reconstructed houses, and the beautiful

town of Lillesand with its harbour and maritime heritage, which you can visit on optional excursions. **September 17. Gothenburg, Sweden.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2200. Step out into southern Sweden and the cosmopolitan city of Gothenburg! With its canals, fascinating architecture, trams and art, this is one of Sweden's trendiest cities. Soak up the Scandi atmosphere as you stroll along the waterfront or through the 'Haga' – the city's old quarter. Alternatively, perhaps take a tour to the Volvo Museum and discover more about Sweden's most iconic brand. **September 18. Skagen, Denmark.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Lying in the north of Jutland, the red-roofed town of Skagen is known for its beautiful and wild landscape that inspired many 19th century artists. Perhaps visit the Art Museum here or treat yourself to a trip to Grenen where the North Sea meets the Baltic. With its sandy beaches, museums, nature centre and eateries, Skagen is also the perfect place for experiencing a little Danish 'hygge'! **September 20. Dover, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

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SCANDINAVIAN SEASCAPES aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: September 13, 2018. Duration: 7 nights. Cruise code: SA356.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,962	£1,569
Outside	from	£2,373	£1,661
Superior	from	£3,033	£1,971
Suites	from	£4,371	£2,841

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£3,085	£2,468
Superior	from	£4,550	£3,640

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Norway and Iceland Exploration

Departing: September 16, 2018
16 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Dover

Embark on a voyage to Northern lands. See towns and ports established by the Hanseatic League in Germany and Norway. Curve north-east to Iceland to look for wildlife such as Arctic foxes, seals and whales. Then loop south to the Isle of Mull, into Scotland's Holy Loch, and cross the Irish Sea to Belfast.

16 nights from **£3,260**

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Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required*

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Hengifoss waterfall

September 16. Dover, England.

Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 2130.

September 18. Bremerhaven (for Bremen), Germany. Arrive 0800. Depart 2100. Explore the historic Hanseatic city of Bremen, and walk the cobbled lanes of the Schnoor quarter to see petite 15th and 16th-century houses, and Böttcherstrasse, the artists' quarter.

Visit Meyer Werft shipyard to learn about the construction of Saga's new state-of-the-art cruise ship. **September 20. Bergen, Norway.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Enjoy spectacular views as you cruise into the Hanseatic harbour city of Bergen. The past and present meet in its street markets and the colourful gabled warehouses that line the famed Hanseatic wharf, UNESCO-listed Bryggen. You can also visit Trolldhaugen, the birthplace of composer Edvard Grieg. **September 21. Alesund, Norway.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2200. Cruise into the city of Alesund which is set across two islands at the mouth of the Stor Fjord. Famous for its art nouveau buildings, the city is a delight to explore and is well placed for trips to the islands of Giske and Godøy. **September 23. Seydisfjörður, Iceland.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Visit the Eastfjords and this one of Iceland's most picturesque towns, where the wooden houses are surrounded by snowy peaks and tumbling waterfalls. Enjoy the tranquil location or join an optional hike to nearby Hengifoss Waterfall.

September 24. Akureyri, Iceland. Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. The small capital of northern Iceland was first settled in the 9th century by Vikings, who were attracted to the area's warmer climate.

Modern-day Akureyri is a bustling centre of culture, entertainment and fascinating museums. Spend time here, or visit Iceland's magnificent Godafoss Waterfall. **September 25. Isafjörður, Iceland.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2000. Cruise into the Westfjords region, where the spectacular scenery is home to a wealth of wildlife, including Arctic foxes, seals and whales. Perhaps join an excursion to learn more about the Icelandic people. **September 28. Tobermory, Scotland.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1700. Famed for its rolling hills, sea caves, forests and beaches, the unspoilt Isle of Mull in the Inner Hebrides has a coastline of over 300 miles yet a population of only 2500. Tobermory is characterised by brightly-painted houses that curve around the harbour. From here you might like to join an excursion to Duart Castle. **September 29. Holy Loch, Scotland.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2200. This natural harbour and former World War II submarine base is now a thriving marina at the threshold of Loch Lomond and the wild Trossachs National Park.

September 30. Belfast, Northern Ireland. Arrive 0730. Depart 1500. Northern Ireland's capital was the birthplace of the Titanic and has a proud seafaring history. See landmarks such as the grand City Hall in the centre of Donegall Square, the 19th-century Opera House and Queen's University. Perhaps visit Titanic Belfast, a modern museum dedicated to the ill-fated liner, or travel to Giant's Causeway to see this famous rock formation.

October 2. Dover, England. Arrive 0900. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

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NORWAY AND ICELAND EXPLORATION aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **September 16, 2018**. Duration: **16 nights**. Cruise code: **P2210**.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,076	£3,260
Outside	from	£5,299	£4,239
Superior	from	£8,560	£5,992
Suites	from	£11,209	£8,406

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£6,114	£5,502
Outside	from	£7,949	£6,756
Superior	from	£13,757	£10,317
Suites	from	£19,259	£14,444

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Scenic Scandinavia

Departing: October 2, 2018
10 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Dover

Sail into Nordic waters as you cruise via the Netherlands and Germany to Denmark and Sweden, visiting a brand new port for Saga – Sønderborg in Denmark, and enjoying the autumn colours which will swathe this beautiful, low-lying landscape in russet and gold.

10 nights from £1,679

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.



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Sønderborg's charming waterfront

October 2. Dover, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1800. **October 4. Amsterdam, Netherlands.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Spend a day in the vibrant city of Amsterdam. Stroll beside its canals or take a peaceful canal cruise. The city also has a wealth of galleries and museums including the Rijksmuseum and the Van Gogh Museum, where you can learn about the life of one of the Netherlands' most famous artists through his work. **October 5. Transit the Kiel Canal.** **October 6. Kiel, Germany.** Arrive 0330. Depart 2300. Substantially rebuilt after World War II, Kiel is the regional capital of Schleswig-Holstein and has a long maritime heritage. Take a stroll along the waterside Kiellinie promenade taking in views of the harbour and fjord, beyond which lies the Baltic. Discover the Navigation Museum within the old fish market hall, or leave the promenade and visit the Botanical gardens or the Kunsthalle Museum with exhibits ranging from antiquities to 20th century art. **October 7. Sønderborg, Denmark.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Spend time in Sønderborg, with its charming waterfront flanked by tall houses, and famous 12th-century castle where King Christian II was imprisoned during the 16th century. The city is also famous for its 'Tilt at the Ring' festivals which take place

in summer, when costumed knights on horseback 'tilt' at suspended rings. Perhaps visit the 'Tilt at the Ring' Museum located in one of the town's oldest houses and learn about this fascinating tradition. There's also the chance to visit the Rococo palace of Augustenborg, where you can learn about the ducal families who once lived here. **October 8. Hundested, Denmark.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Visit Hundested and follow in the footsteps of the Vikings who used the port for their merchant ships. You may even meet some on your arrival! Beyond its harbour, the town's shops and studios await exploration. Alternatively you may want to take a stroll beyond the town to visit a megalithic tomb regarded as the largest dormer or 'rock table' tomb in Denmark. There's even the opportunity to venture further afield and visit the capital of Copenhagen. **October 9. Gothenburg, Sweden.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Founded in 1621 by King Gustavus Adolphus, Gothenburg has a fascinating trading and maritime history. Explore its canals, cobbled streets and old Haga district with its shops and cafes. Alternatively you may like to see the city from the water on a canal cruise. **October 12. Dover, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

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SCENIC SCANDINAVIA aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **October 2, 2018.** Duration: **10 nights.** Cruise code: **P2211.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£2,399	£1,679
Outside	from	£3,149	£2,183
Superior	from	£5,398	£3,508
Suites	from	£6,597	£4,288

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,599	£2,519
Outside	from	£4,679	£3,275
Superior	from	£8,097	£5,667
Suites	from	£11,336	£7,368

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Scandinavian Festive Delights

Departing: December 10, 2018
7 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

Visit two Scandinavian capitals, alive with the spirit of Christmas, and fortify yourself with mulled drinks and sweet treats as you go in search of handmade gifts. Spend the evening in an ice bar in Oslo, then experience the Danish concept of hygge with a cup of gløgg and some sweet roasted almonds on the Nyhavn quayside.

Festive baking

To get you in the festive mood, we'll have lots going on aboard the ship. Maybe join our chefs for some Christmas baking demonstrations, learn the art of sugarcraft or roll up your sleeves and get creative, making handcrafted delights to take home.

7 nights from £968

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

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Pictured clockwise above: Copenhagen's Nyhavn Waterfront; Enjoy the Christmas spirit; Peruse the Christmas markets

December 10. Portsmouth, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1600. **December 12-13. Oslo, Norway.** Arrive 1400 on December 12. Depart 1700 December 13. Spend the afternoon perusing some of Oslo's Christmas markets searching for gifts and sipping on gløgg – a Norwegian variation of mulled wine, sometimes imbued with vodka! One of the biggest markets in the city is in Eidsvoll Square, watched over by the elegant Norwegian Parliament and complete with its very own ice rink, gingerbread workshop and choir. Later, why not spend the evening in a bar made entirely from ice? It's kept at a frosty -5°C ensuring that the furniture doesn't melt, and don't worry you'll be provided with something warm to wear! **December 14. Copenhagen, Denmark.** Arrive 1100. Depart 2030. One of the most popular Christmas markets in Copenhagen is

that of Tivoli Gardens, a fabulous funfair which is turned into a fairy-tale wonderland where you can pick up traditional gifts, from nutcrackers to hand-knitted scarves, and then enjoy a ride on the sparkling ferris wheel. Follow the scent of sugar-roasted almonds to the Nyhavn waterfront, where festive stalls appear beside the quay and tempt you with such treats as æbleskiver, a pancake puff akin to a sweet Yorkshire pudding, and of course more gløgg. **December 15. Transit the Kiel Canal.** You'll spend much of today cruising along the world's busiest man-made waterway, the Kiel Canal. This 98-kilometre-long short cut connects the North Sea with the Baltic, saving ships from rounding the Jutland peninsula. **December 17. Portsmouth, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

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SCANDINAVIAN FESTIVE DELIGHTS aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **December 10, 2018.** Duration: **7 nights.** Cruise code: **P2217.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,384	£968
Outside	from	£1,799	£1,169
Superior	from	£2,699	£1,754
Suites	from	£3,006	£2,473

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£2,076	£1,660
Outside	from	£2,699	£1,889
Superior	from	£4,671	£3,036
Suites	from	£6,540	£4,251

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Arctic Norway and the Northern Lights

Departing: February 12, 2019
15 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

Cruise beyond the Arctic Circle in search of adventure and the Northern Lights! Plus there'll be an aurora borealis expert on board and photography workshops to make sure you capture that perfect image of the night sky. You'll also enjoy a visit to Sortland, a new port for Saga Sapphire.

15 nights from £2,249

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

A Northern Lights excursion worth up to £150

Complimentary Arctic jacket

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

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Inspiring experiences: Dog sledding through the icy wilderness and a memorable overnight stay in a teepee cabin • An exclusive organ recital in Bodø cathedral.

February 12. Dover, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600. **February 14. Bergen, Norway.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1600. Pay a visit to the UNESCO-listed Bryggen waterfront, with its traditional Hanseatic storehouses, or catch the cable car to the summit of Mount Ulriken for fantastic views over the city and beyond. **February 15. Cross the Arctic Circle.** Look forward to a special line-crossing ceremony today as Saga Sapphire crosses the Arctic Circle, and maybe join representatives from the marine conservation charity ORCA on deck as they record sightings of dolphin, whales and seabirds. **February 16-17. Tromsø, Norway.** Arrive 1800 on February 16. Depart 1700 on February 17. Tromsø is where your Arctic adventure begins. Here you can learn about the early adventurers who charted the frigid Arctic region at the Polar Museum, or head to the Wilderness Centre for a thrilling dog sledding experience. **February 18-20. Alta, Norway.** Arrive 0800 on February 18. Depart 0800 on February 20. Alta is one of the best places in the country to spot the Northern Lights, and to maximise your chance of a sighting

we'll take you deep into the countryside on an included tour to search the skies for the magical display. With two nights here you also have the chance to visit the ice hotel, or join a magical overnight husky experience, sledding through the forest and spending the night in a 'teepee cabin' fitted with full-length glass windows. **February 21. Sortland, Norway.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Sortland, a new port for Saga Sapphire, is unique because of its many traditional wooden buildings that have been painted blue as part of a city-wide initiative. **February 22. Narvik, Norway.** Arrive 1200. Depart 2000. Narvik prospered at the beginning of the 20th century when the Ofotbanen Railway was built to bring iron ore from neighbouring Sweden to the port for shipping. Though the railway is still used for this purpose, visitors can enjoy a memorable train journey along it. **February 23. Bodø, Norway.** Arrive 1000. Depart 1600. Bodø is a peaceful city with a fascinating past of Cold War intrigue, which you can learn more about at the Aviation Museum. While here you have to chance to enjoy an amazing organ recital in the city's cathedral, which was built in 1956. **February 24. Cross the Arctic Circle. February 25. Stavanger, Norway.** Arrive 1200. Depart 1700. Stavanger's old quarter of cobbled streets and white 18th-century wooden houses contrasts vividly with the cosmopolitan centre's stylish shops and cafes. **February 27. Dover, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

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ARCTIC NORWAY AND THE NORTHERN LIGHTS aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **February 11, 2019.** Duration: **15 nights.** Cruise code: SA365.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,461	£2,249
Outside	from	£4,603	£2,991
Superior	from	£5,884	£3,824
Suites	from	£8,479	£5,511

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£5,192	£3,374
Outside	from	£5,984	£3,889
Superior	from	£8,826	£5,736

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Magic of the Northern Lights

Departing: February 27, 2019
15 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

Turn your gaze skyward on this cruise to the northern reaches of Norway in time to spy the dazzling Northern Lights. Experience breathtaking natural landscapes of lofty, snow-topped mountains, deep valleys and sheer cliffs; visit a hotel made entirely of ice, and perhaps even take to the ski slopes! Plus there'll be experts on board to teach you about the effect of climate change on the Arctic, and the science behind the aurora borealis.

Paint the sky

Set up an easel and join our on-board artist for a masterclass in painting, and discover the best way to capture the abstract lines and shapes of the Northern Lights on canvas.

15 nights from £2,249

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

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Inspiring experiences: Gazing in wonder at the towering Troll Wall • A concert of haunting music in Alta's Northern Lights cathedral • Skiing on the slopes outside Narvik • Savouring delicious waffles in a traditional Norwegian home.

February 27. Dover, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1700. **March 2. Bergen, Norway.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Surrounded by seven hills and the sea, Bergen is a bustling place known for its Hanseatic heritage and as the birthplace of renowned composer Edvard Grieg. You might like to take a tour, tracing the composer's legacy through the city centre and scenic suburbs. **March 3. Åndalsnes, Norway.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1700. The main draw for Åndalsnes is the stunning scenery that surrounds it. Why not take advantage of this and hop from ship to train for a ride on the Rauma Railway past gorgeous snow-covered mountains and deep valleys? **March 4. Cross the Arctic Circle.** Perhaps join representatives from ORCA, the foremost whale and dolphin conservation charity, for a whale-spotting session on deck today. **March 5. Tromsø, Norway.** Arrive 1000. Depart 1700. Tromsø was the starting point for hunters and trappers who went in search of Arctic

foxes, polar bears and seals – you can learn more about this as well as the early explorers who set off from here at the Polar Museum.

March 6-8. Alta, Norway. Arrive 0800 on March 6. Depart 0600 on March 8. Arrive in Alta for a two-night stay – plenty of time to discover the wintry wilderness. You'll be able to visit the amazing Sorrisniva Igloo Hotel, and perhaps head to the striking Northern Lights Cathedral for a concert of haunting music. **March 9. Narvik, Norway.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1900. The mountain slopes beyond Narvik are the perfect place for a spot of skiing, and don't worry if you've never skied before as you can take a lesson for beginners. If you stay in town you can learn about the role Narvik played in World War II; many battles were fought in the fjord and the surrounding mountains. **March 12. Stavanger, Norway.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1800. Stavanger has flourished over the past century thanks to its role in the shipbuilding and oil industries, which has created two distinct halves – the traditional wooden old town, and the modern city centre. To get a real insight into life in the city why not visit a typical Norwegian home? You'll be served hot drinks and home-made waffles too! **March 14. Dover, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

Go in search of the show stopping Northern Lights

SAVE up to 35% off the full fares – see page 96.

MAGIC OF THE NORTHERN LIGHTS aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: February 27, 2019. Duration: 15 nights. Cruise code: SA366.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,461	£2,249
Outside	from	£4,603	£2,991
Superior	from	£5,084	£3,824
Suites	from	£8,479	£5,511

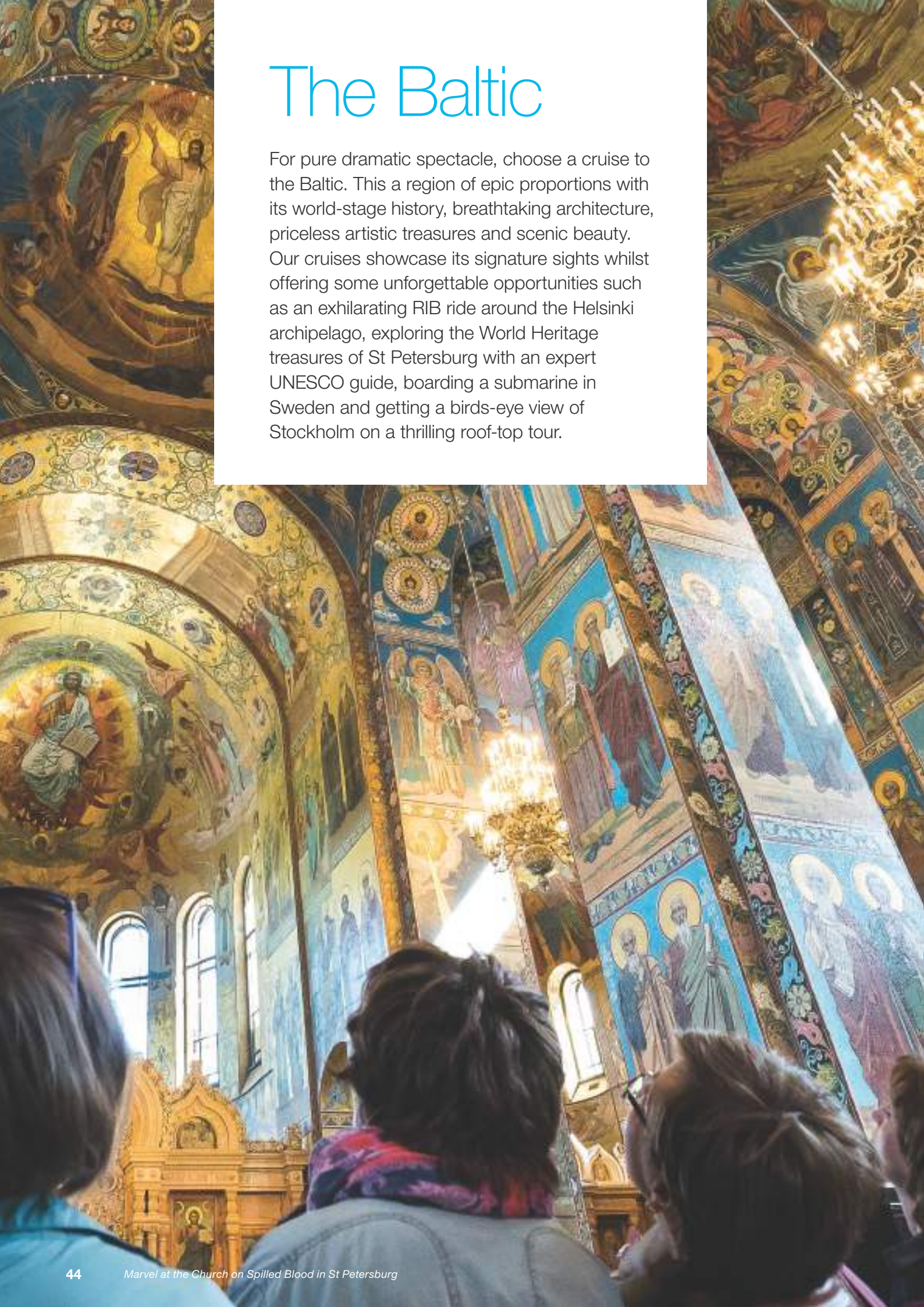
SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£5,192	£3,374
Outside	from	£5,984	£3,889
Superior	from	£8,826	£5,736

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The Baltic

For pure dramatic spectacle, choose a cruise to the Baltic. This a region of epic proportions with its world-stage history, breathtaking architecture, priceless artistic treasures and scenic beauty. Our cruises showcase its signature sights whilst offering some unforgettable opportunities such as an exhilarating RIB ride around the Helsinki archipelago, exploring the World Heritage treasures of St Petersburg with an expert UNESCO guide, boarding a submarine in Sweden and getting a birds-eye view of Stockholm on a thrilling roof-top tour.





The Majestic Baltic

Departing: May 22, 2018
14 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Dover

Unravel the diverse history of the Baltic, from Hanseatic ports to grandiose echoes of the Russian Empire. See the romantic turrets of Tallinn before a night in St Petersburg gives you the chance to watch the world-famous Russian ballet. You'll also discover the maritime feel of Kotka – a new port for Saga – and the unique baroque flair of Karlskrona.

14 nights from **£2,293**

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking • A choice of wines at lunch and dinner • Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s
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Golden domes in St Petersburg

An added dimension to your cruise

Not only will you have the chance to see the ballet in St Petersburg, you can also take part in the latest fitness craze – ballet-themed exercise classes – plus learn about the history of ballet and enjoy music from the ballet performed on board. There'll also be a special guest appearance from Wayne Sleep!



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THE MAJESTIC BALTIC aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **May 22, 2018**. Duration: **14 nights**. Cruise code: **P2201**.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,276	£2,293	Inside	from	£4,914	£4,422
Outside	from	£4,259	£3,407	Outside	from	£6,389	£5,750
Superior	from	£7,974	£4,791	Superior	from	£11,057	£7,739
Suites	from	£9,179	£5,962	Suites	from	£15,974	£10,381

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Treasures of the Baltic

Departing: June 5, 2018
15 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

Turn detective on this fascinating cruise through the Baltic, stopping at Denmark, Russia, Finland, Estonia and Germany. View the work of Skagen's 19th-century artist community, see the Atlantic Wall, and visit the 17th-century military stronghold of Fredericia. Walk the ancient streets of Tallinn and on board solve a murder mystery and enjoy a 'Casino Royale' ball.

15 nights from £3,086

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

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June 5. Dover, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600.

June 7. Skagen, Denmark. Arrive 0800. Depart 1600. The landscape of Skagen in north Jutland inspired many 19th-century artists whose work you can see at Skagen's art museum. Take the chance to learn about the 'Atlantic Wall' built by the Nazis – several bunkers at Skagen survive, two of which are now museums.

June 8. Copenhagen, Denmark. Arrive 0800. Depart 1900. From the 'Little Mermaid' to canals and the Carlsberg Brewery, discover the capital of Denmark. Choose to join a city tour or perhaps take a trip to magical Frederiksborg Castle and its beautiful gardens. Alternatively perhaps tour the famous Carlsberg Brewery, taking in a military installation and its command centre hidden in the cellars!

June 9. Fredericia, Denmark. Arrive 0800. Depart 1600. Sail south to Fredericia, founded as a military stronghold in the 17th century. Explore the town, visit a 'hidden' car collection or perhaps set off for the old Little Belt bridge where you can take a bridge walk at a height of over 100 feet, while you are attached to a safety harness.

June 12-13. St Petersburg, Russia. Arrive 0800 June 12. Depart 1800 June 13. Russia's old capital is also known as the 'Venice of the North' due to its canal network. Treat yourself to a city tour, or visit the Peterhof Gardens with their 150 fountains! There's also a chance to join an exclusive evening visit to the famous Hermitage and enjoy the beautiful collections while the museum is closed.

June 14. Kotka, Finland. Arrive 0800. Depart 1900. The Finnish city of Kotka lies on



Calling all thrill-seekers...

On this cruise you'll have the opportunity to take part in some adrenalin-inducing excursions – go river rafting through the rapids or walk the circumference – on the very edge – of Tallinn's TV tower!

Discover Tallinn old town

an island, with its second centre of Karhula on the mainland. During the late 19th century Alexander III and his wife often stayed here, at their 'dacha' on the Kymi river. From Kotka, it's possible to go rafting on the rapids of the River Kymijoki.

June 15. Tallinn, Estonia. Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Tallinn city is a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Explore its ancient streets, taking in early buildings, squares and stunning city walls, join a city tour of the old and upper parts of the town or visit Tallinn's TV tower and take a walk on the edge of its roof, 558 feet in the air!

June 17. Warnemünde, Germany Arrive 0800. Depart 2200. The busy port town of Warnemünde is also a shipbuilding centre, but its old town retains its fishermen's houses and a splendid lighthouse. Visit the city and explore, or perhaps head for romantic Schwerin Castle on an optional excursion.

June 18. Transit the Kiel Canal. Daytime cruise along the famous Kiel Canal from Hamburg to the Danish border, regarded as one of the busiest canals in the world.

June 20. Dover, England. Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

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TREASURES OF THE BALTIC aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **June 5, 2018.** Duration: **15 nights.** Cruise code: **SA348.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,858	£3,086
Outside	from	£4,664	£3,264
Superior	from	£5,962	£4,173
Suites	from	£9,118	£5,926

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£7,101	£6,035
Superior	from	£9,206	£7,364

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Baltic Adventures

Departing: August 7, 2018
15 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

When somewhere is listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site, it's a guarantee that it is of immense cultural or natural significance. The region around the Baltic Sea has an impressive collection of these sites, and you'll have the opportunity to see many of them on this summertime cruise that includes an overnight stay in St Petersburg, which itself has one of the largest UNESCO-listed sites in the world! To enhance your experience even further, there'll also be a UNESCO World Heritage expert on board and a special commemorative book in every cabin for you to keep as a memento.

15 nights from £2,993

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.



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August 7. Dover, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600.

August 8-9. At sea.

August 10. Karlskrona, Sweden.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1700.

Karlskrona is spread across 30 small islands linked together by bridges and canals. Famous for its baroque architecture, unique in Sweden, Karlskrona is the country's only naval base – perhaps take an excursion to the Naval Museum to learn more about the city's military history and even step aboard a submarine.

August 11. At sea.

August 12. Helsinki, Finland.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Today you'll cruise into what is arguably one of the world's most beautiful harbours, with the UNESCO-listed sea fortress of Suomenlinna sitting at its entrance. Spend the day exploring this inhabited fortress with its various museums and pedestrianised cobbled streets, or you may like to seek out some of Helsinki's other highlights such as the neo-Classical Senate Square, Market Hall and the Rock Church which is hewn from solid

rock and crowned with a copper ceiling. Alternatively, why not take an exhilarating rib ride around the archipelago?

August 13-14. St Petersburg, Russia. Arrive 0800 on August 13. Depart 1800 on August 14.

After sailing into St Petersburg, Saga Sapphire will remain moored for the night, giving you plenty of time to explore this showcase city of art, architecture and culture, whose historic centre is one of the largest sites listed by UNESCO. Perhaps discover the palaces and gardens of Peterhof Palace and view the ornate Catherine Palace in Pushkin by day; and for a memorable evening, you may like to attend a ballet performance or enjoy a special visit to the Hermitage, when the museum is closed to the general public.

August 15. At sea.

August 16. Riga, Latvia.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. A trading centre as far back as the 2nd century BC, Riga was an established port by the 12th century and part of the Hanseatic League from 1282. The UNESCO-listed Old Town houses a number of medieval



Pictured clockwise from left: Griboyedov Canal, St Petersburg; Views over Riga; Karosta orthodox church in Liepaja; The Helsinki Cathedral

buildings, including the Powder Tower, the last of 18 that once lined the city walls, the curiously named House of the Blackheads which was a meeting place for bachelor merchants, and Riga Castle, home to two museums.

August 17. Liepaja, Latvia. Arrive 0800.

Depart 1700. Over a quarter of Liepaja is occupied by its military port, Karosta, which during the Soviet period was completely inaccessible. Today the port is somewhat of a tourist attraction where it's possible to walk through the underground labyrinths of the Northern Forts and visit the museum and cells of Karosta Prison, where military personnel were imprisoned. Liepaja is also the gateway to Guaja National Park with its dramatic sandstone cliffs.

August 18. Gdynia, Poland. Arrive 0800.

Depart 1700. With its pleasant waterfront full of fishing boats, Gdynia has a relaxed holiday feel and is the perfect place to unwind, enjoy the sea views and watch the world go by in one of the many pavement cafes. It is also the gateway to Gdansk, a city strongly associated with the Polish revolution. An optional tour will be available to the city if you want to delve more into the region's history.

August 19. At sea.

August 20. Cruise the Kiel Canal. Essentially a short-cut from the North Sea to the Baltic, this man-made waterway runs through Germany, just south of the Danish border. Enjoy the scenery on a daytime crossing.

August 21. At sea.

August 22. Dover, England. Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

SAVE up to 30% off the full fares – see page 96.

BALTIC ADVENTURES aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **August 7, 2018.** Duration: **15 nights.** Cruise code: **SA353.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,522	£2,993
Outside	from	£4,755	£3,328
Superior	from	£5,987	£4,190
Suites	from	£9,157	£5,952

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£6,089	£5,175
Superior	from	£9,246	£6,934

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Rhythms of the Baltic

Departing: August 27, 2018
17 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

Sail into the Baltic Sea and up to the Gulf of Finland to discover the history, culture and music of these northerly lands. Packed with ice for much of the year, here the warmth and beauty of summer is a season to be celebrated into the long white nights. On board you'll enjoy a taste of Baltic music that ranges from classical, to oom-pah, to Abba!

17 nights from £3,199

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required*

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required*

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.



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August 27. Dover, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600. **August 29. Skagen, Denmark.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1900. Set on the northernmost tip of Jutland where the North Sea meets the Baltic, Skagen is a popular harbour for yachts and leisure boats. In the 19th century its wild landscapes attracted artists and writers, and you can see their work in Skagen Museum. Alternatively, visit the old lighthouse, or head for Grenen, Denmark's northernmost point, to see where the North Sea and the Baltic converge. **August 30. Kalundborg (for Copenhagen), Denmark.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Stop at the little town of Kalundborg to visit Copenhagen, the Danish capital. See the palaces of Christianborg and Amalienborg, the old Nyhavn quayside and the Little Mermaid. **September 1. Stockholm, Sweden.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Sweden's capital extends across 14 islands strung together by a series of canals and bridges. Explore the medieval quarter of Gamla Stan, home to the royal palace, or visit the museums and galleries. Abba enthusiasts will head for the group's dedicated museum. You can even join a guided rooftop tour of Riddarhulmen. **September 2. Helsinki, Finland.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. This graceful capital brims with neoclassical buildings, galleries and museums, and there's a fascinating church hewn entirely from rock. Perhaps don a life jacket to enjoy a high speed RIB – Rigid Inflatable Boat – adventure.

September 4-5. St Petersburg, Russia.

Arrive 0800 on September 4. Depart 1800 on September 5. An overnight stop in St Petersburg gives you plenty of time to explore. Join a guided tour of the elegant Winter Palace, explore the ornate Catherine Palace, take a cruise along the city's waterways, spend time in the Hermitage, or enjoy an evening performance of ballet or folklore. **September 6. Kotka, Finland.** Arrive 0830. Depart 1900. On the island of Kotka, a new port of call for Saga, you'll find a city that grew up around the region's seafaring traditions. Visit the state-of-the-art Museum of Kymenlaakso and the Maritime Museum of Finland to learn about the region's culture. The adventurous might fancy river rafting on the Kymijoki rapids. **September 7. Tallinn, Estonia.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2300. This magical UNESCO-listed site is one of Europe's most beautifully-preserved medieval centres. Daredevils might enjoy an excursion to the top of the TV Tower to take a harnessed walk along the edge of the roof. **September 9. Gdynia, Poland.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Gdynia has developed from a fishing village to a bustling city port in just a century, and it's also the gateway to Gdansk, a city strongly associated with the Polish revolution. **September 10-11. Kiel, Germany.** Arrive 1730 on September 10. Depart 0700 on September 11. Arrive in Kiel late afternoon for your journey through the canal tomorrow in daylight. **September 13. Dover, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

SAVE up to 25% off the full fares – see page 96.

RHYTHMS OF THE BALTIC aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: August 27, 2018. Duration: 17 nights. Cruise code: SA355.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,999	£3,199
Outside	from	£5,399	£3,779
Superior	from	£6,798	£4,758
Suites	from	£10,997	£7,148

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£6,915	£5,532
Superior		SOLD OUT	

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Palace Square, St Petersburg

Mediterranean

Warm, beautiful and home to some of the world's most prestigious cultural and historical sights, many people think the Med is the ultimate cruise destination. We've lined up some incredible experiences and encounters including a trip around Barcelona by supercar, visiting a Spanish fiesta in Seville, kayaking on the Ebre river, dolphin watching in Portimao, attending the 2018 Puccini Music Festival, stepping into fairytale Carcassone, touring the monumental sights of Rome and Florence, exploring the stylish streets of St Tropez and Monte Carlo... and more!





Impressions of the Mediterranean

February 23, 2018
20 nights aboard Saga Sapphire

Immerse yourself in the art and architecture created by some of the world's most famous artists during this 20-night cruise. You'll have the chance to visit Picasso's birthplace of Malaga and Cezanne's studio in Aix en Provence, as well as enjoy an overnight stay in Bilbao, home to the Guggenheim Museum.

20 nights from **£4,142**

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

ALL INCLUSIVE*

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking
• Selected drinks[#] • Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]
• All gratuities on board • 24-hour room service • Complimentary Wi-Fi • And more – see page 13 for details.



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THEME: ART AND ARCHITECTURE

Includes... talks from art experts, an on-board art tutor, a lecture from a master art forger, plus the chance to create your own masterpiece on board.

A fantastic selection of optional shore excursions are available during your cruise, including an exclusive private event at Bilbao's Guggenheim Museum, plus visits to the Picasso Museum, Gaudi's Park Güell, the studio of Paul Cézanne, and the famous Uffizi Gallery. Activities on board are sure to be equally as good with guest artists, art lessons and the opportunity to take inspiration from what you have seen on shore to produce your own painting.

The magnificent Uffizi Gallery, Florence

Calling at... Southampton, England • Bilbao, Spain • Malaga, Spain • Barcelona, Spain • Palamos, Spain • Sète, France • Toulon, France • Livorno (for Florence), Italy • Palma, Majorca • Cadiz, Spain • Southampton, England.



Up to £500 per person On Board Credit

- book by July 23, 2017[^]

IMPRESSIONS OF THE MEDITERRANEAN aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **February 23, 2018**. Duration: **20 nights**. Cruise code: **SA337**.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,603	£4,142
Outside	from	£5,922	£4,737
Superior	from	£7,460	£6,341
Suites	from	£11,999	£7,799

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from		£6,668[‡]
Superior	from	£11,104	£8,947

§A reduction of £98 applies if you do not need the optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights – see page 96 for details. Fares are per person for the lowest grade available in the category shown. **‡**Based on an Outside Guarantee – see page 96 for details. All fares were correct at the time of going to print and are subject to availability and change. **^Up to £500 per person On Board Credit when booking on or before July 23, 2017:** Exact amount depends on your chosen cabin grade. **Offer is not applicable to Guarantee cabins.** For full details see page 96. Please see pages 92-95 for cabin guide and deck plans.

Please note: #All inclusive includes selected wines at lunch and dinner, Saga house-branded spirits, cocktails containing house-branded spirits, draught beer and lager, non-alcoholic cocktails, all mixers and soft drinks. All excursions mentioned are optional, at an additional cost, and are subject to availability and change. Some of the highlights detailed may only be seen on optional excursions or by exploring independently.



Local Flavours of the Mediterranean

Departing: March 17, 2018
17 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

Taste tapas in Santiago de Compostela, explore Gaudi's legacy in Barcelona and be awed by Cadiz's devotion to the Passion on Good Friday. You'll beat Spain's summer crowds on this spring cruise which also visits the smaller ports of Motril and Ibiza Town, which are out of reach to larger cruise ships. Plus, local chefs will step aboard to give you a real flavour of the places you visit.

17 nights from £3,530

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required*

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking • A choice of wines at lunch and dinner • Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required* • All gratuities on board • 24-hour room service • Complimentary Wi-Fi • And more – see page 13 for details.

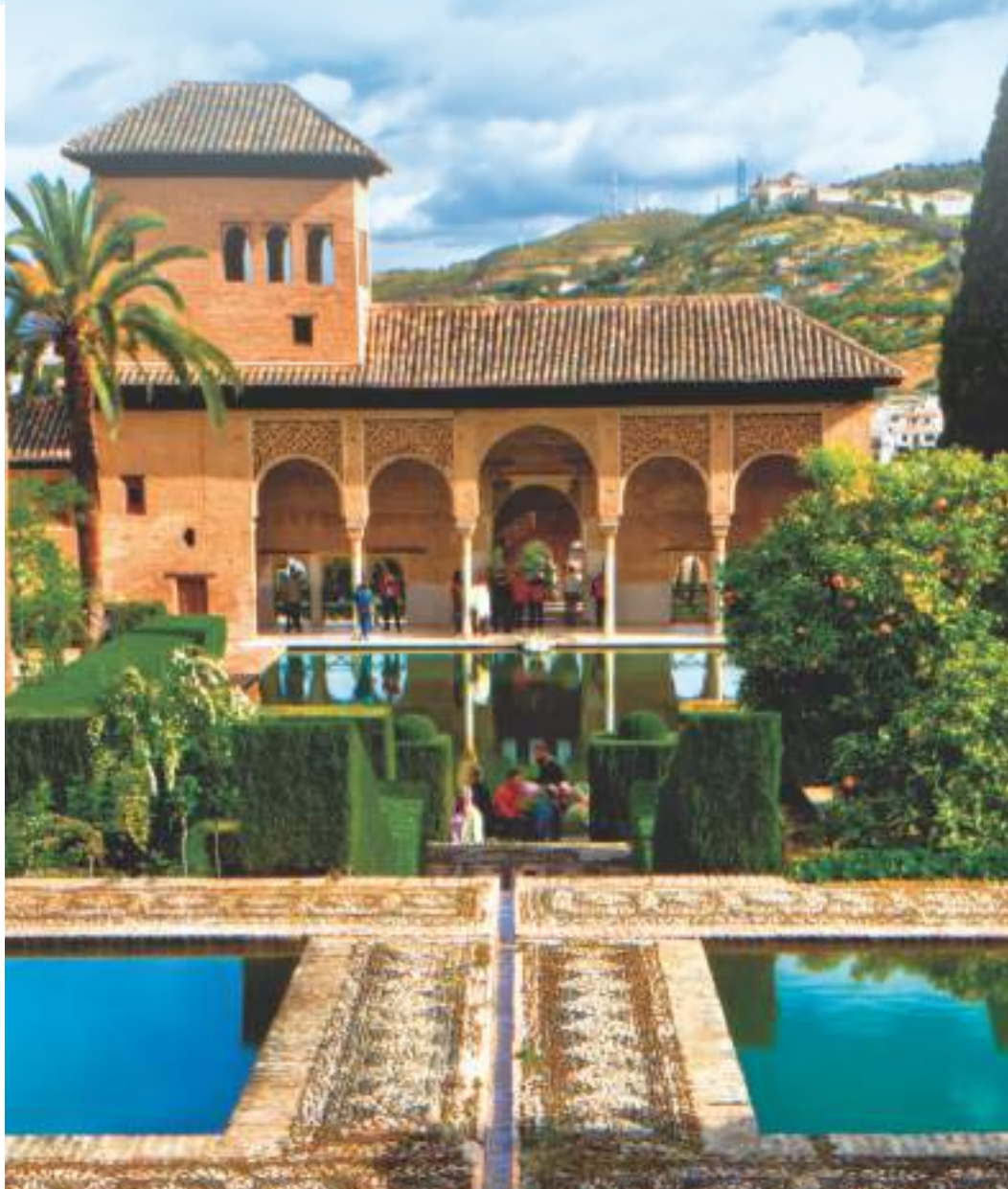


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THEME: FOOD & DRINK

Including... Spanish lessons, wine-tasting sessions and talks form an expert historian and hispanophile. Immerse yourself in the Spanish culture with mouthwatering demonstrations by local chefs both ashore and on board the ship. You'll get a true-to-life flavour of the country, and wine-tasting sessions on board will give you a taste of Spain's varied viticulture too. You can learn a few helpful phrases during our language lessons, plus get up to speed with the country's past and current affairs during fascinating on-board lectures.

Granada's Alhambra Palace and its attractive gardens



Up to £300 per person On Board Credit - book by July 23, 2017*

LOCAL FLAVOURS OF THE MEDITERRANEAN aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **March 17, 2018**. Duration: **17 nights**. Cruise code: **P2195**.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,153	£3,530
Outside	from	£4,692	£4,222
Superior	from	£7,599	£6,839
Suites	from	£9,938	£7,950

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from		£5,158†
Outside	from		£6,692†
Superior	from	£12,245	£10,382
Suites	from	£17,076	£12,807

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Iberian Adventure

Departing: April 3, 2018
17 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Southampton

Head to the western Mediterranean and skirt the coast of the Iberian Peninsula. Moor overnight in Barcelona and discover its incredible architecture – you even have the chance to explore in a supercar – then unravel the Roman roots of Tarragona, Malaga's Moorish heritage and Oporto's riverside beauty.

Fast cars and vintage motors

Imagine cruising the streets of Barcelona in a highly polished supercar... As part of our range of shore excursions you may have the opportunity to do just that! Plus you can visit Malaga's incredible automobile museum and attend Saga Sapphire's very own Goodwood Ball soiree, so be sure to pack your glad rags (and driving gloves!).

17 nights from £3,546

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

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Trace Gaudi's legacy

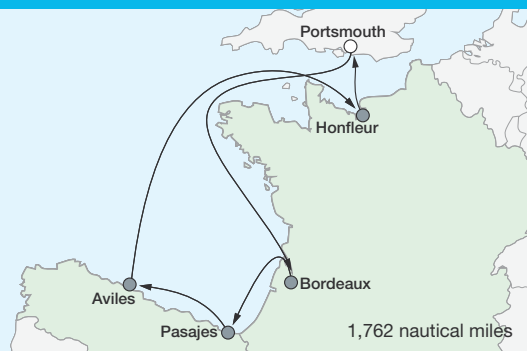
Up to £500 per person On Board Credit - book by July 23, 2017[^]

IBERIAN ADVENTURE aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: April 3, 2018. Duration: 17 nights. Cruise code: SA342.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,433	£3,546	Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£5,360	£3,752	Outside	from	£6,968	£5,922
Superior	from	£6,851	£4,795	Superior	from	£10,277	£7,193
Suites	from	£9,874	£6,418				

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Continental Tastes and Flavours

Departing: April 7, 2018
9 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

Cruise into the heart of four distinctive cities, including Bordeaux where you'll moor overnight. Join our chefs as they go shopping in the local markets, enjoy tasting regional wines and cheeses on board, and savour Spanish cuisine at our tapas night.

9 nights from £1,509

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s


A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.

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OVERNIGHT STAY

Pictured clockwise from top: Explore Avilés's historic streets; Grapes ripening in the sun; Sample mouth-watering antipasto;

April 7. Portsmouth, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1700. **April 10-11. Bordeaux, France.** Arrive 0400 on April 10. Depart 1545 on April 11. Awake in the heart of Bordeaux, right in the centre of one of France's oldest winegrowing regions – the Romans planted the first vines here almost 2,000 years ago. Bordeaux has more than wine going for it though: many of its buildings date from the 18th century giving the city a very elegant feel, most apparent in the gorgeous Allées de Tourny. **April 12. Pasajes, Spain.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1700. Saga Pearl II enters Pasajes in dramatic fashion through a gap between two cliffs. This Basque town has plenty of pretty houses with eye-catching balconies surrounding the main square, plus the seafood here is excellent. Overlooking the town from a distance is the mountain peak of Jaizkibel, from where you can admire jaw-dropping views of the northern Spanish coast and Basque countryside. **April 13. Avilés, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Avilés lies in another of Spain's northern regions, Asturias – known for its dry cider, hearty

cuisine and rugged countryside dotted with Romanesque churches. Though it has developed into a modern city – beside the cruise terminal you'll see the curvy, modernist Centro Niemeyer – the historic centre of Avilés has been lovingly preserved and is where you'll find the Church of Sabugo, dedicated to Saint Thomas Becket. **April 15. Honfleur, France.** Arrive 0930. Depart 2000. This charming Norman port is a pretty picture of slate-roofed townhouses overlooking a fishing harbour that frequently captured the imaginations of impressionist painters. Go in search of the plaques dotted around town that detail the historic figures and artists associated with the area, or pay a visit to the wooden St Catharine's Church, parts of which were built using shipbuilding techniques, giving it a unique appearance. Alternatively, visit the cellars of a nearby chateau in Calvados to sample Normandy's distinctive apple brandy. **April 16. Portsmouth, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

Up to £200 per person On Board Credit - book by July 23, 2017^a

CONTINENTAL TASTES AND FLAVOURS aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: April 7, 2018. Duration: 9 nights. Cruise code: P2197.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£2,157	£1,509	Inside	from	£2,014	£2,391
Outside	from	£2,499	£1,829	Outside	from	£3,659	£3,110
Superior	from	£3,940	£2,561	Superior	from	£6,332	£4,749
Suites	from	£5,253	£3,414	Suites	from	£8,864	£5,761

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Fiestas and Fireworks

Departing: April 16, 2018
12 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

Cruise the Iberian peninsular and see the colourful climax of the famous Seville April Fair. Join the locals in this joyous celebration of flamenco, horses, and Manzanilla sherry that culminates in a spectacular fireworks display. Sail north to discover the charms of Galicia, and Asturias with stops in Portugal too.

Feria de Abril: Fiesta

Two weeks after Easter Seville puts on a party like no other. The fun happens in an enormous space at el Barrios de los Remedios where curtained tents are constructed, a huge decorated gateway erected, and the whole area is strung with thousands and thousands of paper lanterns. Most of the casetas are private, but there are some public ones too where you can join in the fun. Horses and carriages parade between noon and 8pm – expect local costumes, music, and plenty of flamenco. It's practically compulsory to have a slice or two of Iberian ham and to try a rebujito – a potent local mix of sherry and 7-Up! On board, to enhance the party, we have flamenco classes, spanish lessons, tapas tastings and an expert who'll explain the history of Feria.

12 nights from £2,322

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

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Dusk at the Feria de Abril

April 16. Portsmouth, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1700. **April 19. Leixões (for Oporto), Portugal.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Oporto, dubbed the 'Granite City', has bags of character with its traditional architecture and river full of Rabelo boats, which have been used to transport the port wine upriver for centuries. Explore the city and perhaps tour the port-wine cellars beside the River Douro, learn about wine history and production, and of course enjoy a tasting! **April 21-22. Seville, Spain.** Arrive 0930 on April 21. Depart 1400 on April 22. Cruise the Guadalquivir River to Seville for the final day of the famous Feria del Abril (April Fair). Join in the celebrations: expect lanterns, sevillianas – the local flamenco – tapas, carriages, parades, churros dipped in chocolate, and big-time partying. The next day you can explore this historic city. Don't miss the magnificent Gothic cathedral, UNESCO-listed Alcázar and the inviting tangle of medieval streets. You can venture further afield on an excursion to the ancient Roman city of Córdoba. **April 23. Portimão, Portugal.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Once the centre of the sardine fishing industry, the city of Portimão has a fine waterfront where the scent of freshly grilled fish wafts temptingly from the riverfront restaurants. Perhaps explore the narrow pedestrianised lanes,

visit the award-winning Museu de Portimão, or go dolphin watching. **April 25. Vigo, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1600. In Galicia's hilly Old Town the street names hint at what you'll find for sale: hats at Sombreros and oysters on Calle des las Ostras.

You can explore the waterfront and perhaps try a local fish dish such as chinchos – small fried fish – in a tapas bar. You might like to visit the medieval town of Tui and compare and contrast local wines at a *parador*. **April 28. Avilés, Spain.** Arrive 1000. Depart 1800. Lying in the green region of Asturias on Spain's northern coast is the city of Avilés. The buildings in the Old Quarter date from the 12th - 18th centuries, so take in the architecture, browse the shops, and relax over a glass of local cider – the region is famous for it. You can head out to Gijón to visit a *llagar*, a traditional cider brewery. **April 28. Portsmouth, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

Also on board... you'll be joined by representatives from ORCA, the foremost European whale and dolphin conservation charity, who'll be holding regular whale-watching sessions on deck.

Up to £200 per person On Board Credit - book by July 23, 2017*

FIESTAS AND FIREWORKS aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: April 16, 2018. Duration: 12 nights. Cruise code: P2198.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,096	£2,322	Inside	from	£4,038	£3,432
Outside	from	£3,500	£2,625	Outside	from	£5,250	£4,462
Superior	from	£6,057	£4,239	Superior	from	£9,086	£6,360
Suites	from	£8,400	£5,512	Suites	from	£13,124	£8,530

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Mediterranean Adventure

Departing: April 28, 2018
17 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

Discover some of the Mediterranean's delightful smaller ports as you travel from Gibraltar to Mahon, then onto Sete in France and a quintet of Spanish ports including ancient Tarragona and cultural Valencia, concluding at Portugal's historic Lisbon

17 nights from **£3,033**

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking • A choice of wines at lunch and dinner • Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

- All gratuities on board • 24-hour room service • Complimentary Wi-Fi
- And more – see page 13 for details.

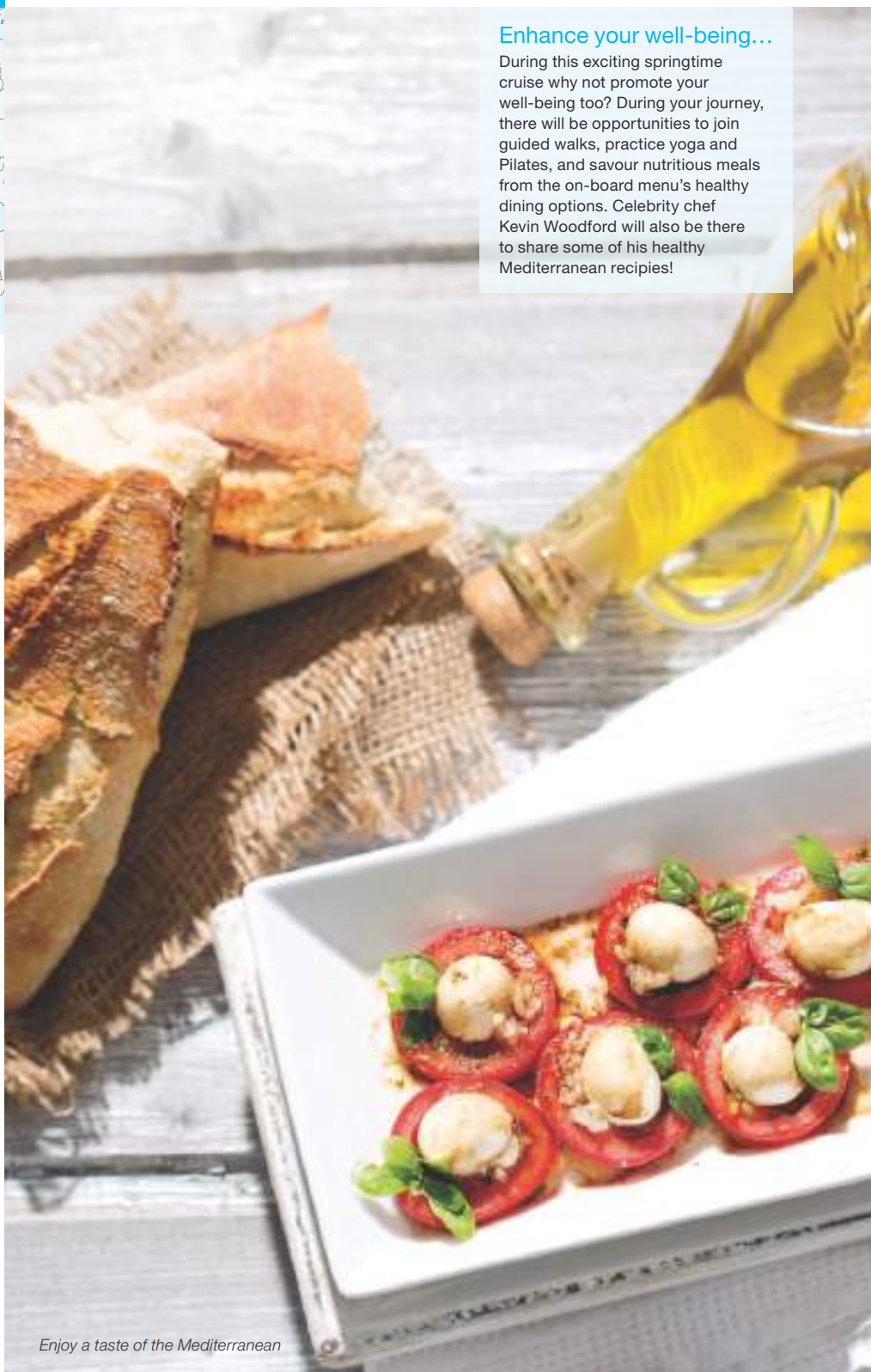


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Calling at... Portsmouth, England
• Gibraltar • Mahon, Minorca • Sete, France • Roses ⚓, Spain • Tarragona, Spain • Valencia, Spain • Motril, Spain • Huelva, Spain • Lisbon, Portugal • Dover, England.

Enhance your well-being...

During this exciting springtime cruise why not promote your well-being too? During your journey, there will be opportunities to join guided walks, practice yoga and Pilates, and savour nutritious meals from the on-board menu's healthy dining options. Celebrity chef Kevin Woodford will also be there to share some of his healthy Mediterranean recipes!



Enjoy a taste of the Mediterranean

Up to £500 per person On Board Credit - book by July 23, 2017[^]

MEDITERRANEAN ADVENTURE aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **April 28, 2018**. Duration: **17 nights**. Cruise code: **P2199**.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,333	£3,033	Inside	from	£5,652	£4,804
Outside	from	£4,898	£3,918	Outside	from	£7,347	£5,510
Superior	from	£8,478	£5,510	Superior	from	£12,717	£8,901
Suites	from	£10,362	£6,735	Suites	from	£17,804	£11,572

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Celebrations in the Mediterranean

Departing: June 19, 2018
17 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Dover

17 nights from **£3,145**

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking • A choice of wines at lunch and dinner • Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]
• All gratuities on board • 24-hour room service • Complimentary Wi-Fi • And more – see page 13 for details.

Calling at... Dover, England • Cadiz, Spain • Ibiza town, Ibiza • Mahon, Minorca • St Tropez, France • Marseille, France • Palamos, Spain • Tarragonna, Spain • Gibraltar • Dover, England.



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Roll out the Red Carpet...

Look forward to all the glitz and glamour of the Med on this unforgettable cruise... whether it's a day ashore in sunny St Tropez, or in tribute to the famed Marseille Film Festival, our very own Red Carpet cinema celebration at sea!

Join us on this joyous cruise visiting ports on the west side of France and Spain. To complement the fireworks and festivities you'll see in Cadiz, we'll be hosting some fabulous parties on board too.



St Tropez's glorious coast

SAVE up to 25% off the full fares – see page 96.

CELEBRATIONS IN THE MEDITERRANEAN aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **June 19, 2018**. Duration: **17 nights**.
Cruise code: **P2203**.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,499	£3,145	Inside	from	£5,861	£5,274
Outside	from	£5,079	£3,809	Outside	from	£7,619	£6,857
Superior	from	£8,205	£5,333	Superior	from	£13,187	£9,230
Suites	from	£10,744	£6,983	Suites	from	£18,461	£13,845

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Wine, Walking and Tapas

Departing: July 28, 2018
11 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Dover

Test your palate with a sip or two of fine wine, learn about the business of viniculture, taste all manner of delicious regional delicacies and step out to discover the sights of south-west France and the Basque country.

11 nights from £2,104

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s


A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.

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Also on board... Look forward to cookery demonstrations from Spanish celebrity chef and owner of the Tapas Revolution restaurants, Omar Allibhoy, who will also host a food-themed excursion; learn about the world of wine from the established Master of Wine Conal Gregory; and seek out our cava pop-up bar! And, to counter all this good living join us for a host of walking challenges!



OVERNIGHT STAY



Pictured clockwise from left: The Picos de Europa mountains; Wine tasting in a cellar; The marshes at La Rochelle

July 28. Dover, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1600. **July 30. La Pallice (for La Rochelle), France.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Medieval streets bustle with life in the historic harbour town of La Rochelle, now a busy yachting port. Soak up the atmosphere or visit the island of Ile de Ré. Sample cognac at a local distillery; or the option to see the coast from the German perspective on a trip to a Kriegsmarine command post. **July 31. Bayonne, France.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. The port of Bayonne lies close to the Spanish border and has a picturesque old town, a Gothic cathedral and 17th-century ramparts. You can explore the town, or visit the famous resort of Biarritz. **August 1. Gijón, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Lying on Spain's north coast is Gijón, the largest city in the pretty region of Asturias. Visit the Roman baths, and the marina. Perhaps travel to the city of Avilés, which has a charming old quarter, or the village of Covadonga in the Picos de Europa mountains. You might prefer to sample the regional speciality – cider – in a traditional brewery. **August 2. Pasajes, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Cruise into Pasajes, a fishing port in the Basque country, via a spectacular cleft in the rock face. From here you can tour Basque villages, or visit San Sebastian,

the seaside resort favoured by Spanish royalty. Alternatively head to Bilbao to explore the city's medieval quarter and visit the Guggenheim Museum. **August 3-4. Bordeaux, France.** Arrive 1245 August 3. Depart 2300 August 4. This 18th-century, UNESCO-listed city sits at the centre of one of France's finest wine producing areas. From here you can head out to the world famous Margaux wine district for a visit to one of the Grand Cru Châteaux for a talk on the art of wine making, followed by a wine and cheese tasting. You can also venture into the Médoc, where some of the world's most highly regarded wines are produced, for another château visit with wine tasting. **August 6. St Nazaire, France.** Arrive 0200 August 6. Depart 1630. St Nazaire's setting at the mouth of the Loire estuary has seen it play two important roles throughout history: first as a shipbuilding centre, then as a submarine base during World War II. You could go to Nantes to see the world's most highly regarded wines are produced, for another château visit with wine tasting. **August 6. St Nazaire, France.** Arrive 0200 August 6. Depart 1630. St Nazaire's setting at the mouth of the Loire estuary has seen it play two important roles throughout history: first as a shipbuilding centre, then as a submarine base during World War II. You could go to Nantes to see the world's most highly regarded wines are produced, for another château visit with wine tasting. **August 8. Dover, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

WINE, WALKING AND TAPAS aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: July 28, 2018. Duration: 11 nights. Cruise code: P2206.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,006	£2,104
Outside	from	£3,398	£2,718
Superior	from	£5,409	£4,391
Suites	from	£7,109	£4,672

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,921	£3,528
Outside	from	£5,097	£4,587
Superior	from	£8,023	£6,617
Suites	from	£12,351	£8,028

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Ancient Wonders of the Mediterranean

Departing: October 12, 2018
18 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Dover

Explore the classic ports of the western Mediterranean to discover the reach of the Romans and other ancient civilisations. On board Saga Pearl II you can immerse yourself further in the classical world by joining fascinating lectures and themed nights including a Roman banquet and a toga party!

18 nights from **£2,883**

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required*

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required*

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.

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October 12. Dover, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1800. **October 15. Lisbon, Portugal.** Arrive 1100. Depart 1930. Riverfront Square and the elegant Praça do Comércio, the statue of Christ, the memorial to Henry the Navigator and Belém Tower are just a few of the famous landmarks that can be seen on the approach to Lisbon. Learn about the many explorers who set off from here during the Age of Discoveries, take a tram ride through the city's steep streets and maybe visit the former royal palace of Ajuda. **October 18-19. Barcelona, Spain.** Arrive 0800 on October 18. Depart 1200 on October 19. An overnight stop in Barcelona, with its rich cultural history, gives you plenty of time to explore its churches and galleries, which are easily reached on foot or by Metro. Take a stroll along Las Ramblas, visit the Gothic Quarter whose buildings and cathedral speak of the city's golden age, or seek out Antoni Gaudí's modernist architecture. **October 20. San Remo, Italy.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1900. Today Saga Pearl II sails into romantic San Remo on the Italian Riviera. Now a vibrant and cosmopolitan resort dubbed a mini Monte Carlo on account of its casino, San Remo was founded in the Roman times and its medieval centre is a mass of twisting lanes. **October 21. Livorno (for Florence), Italy.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2000. Perhaps head to Pisa and the Leaning Tower, or explore the Renaissance city of Florence, home to the Gates of Paradise and Michelangelo's

David in the Accademia di Belle Arti. Alternatively, you might like to explore medieval Lucca. **October 22. Civitavecchia (for Rome), Italy.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2000. Immerse yourself in 2000 years of history as you gaze up at the Colosseum, make your way down the Spanish Steps and take lunch near Piazza Navona, or maybe enter the Vatican City to see the Sistine Chapel. **October 23. Cagliari, Sardinia, Italy.** Arrive 1300. Depart 2000. The island's capital has a wealth to see and do. Why not delve into its past in the National Archaeological Museum or stroll around the maze of narrow streets in the Marina district. There'll also be the chance to explore Nora, a Roman city partially submerged by the sea. **October 25. Cartagena, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1600. The busy port of Cartagena, flanked by towering forts, brims with relics from its ancient past, having flourished under Roman, Muslim and Arab rule. Take the opportunity to visit the ancient Roman theatre of Carthago Nova and the museum there. **October 26. Gibraltar.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1700. The British outpost of Gibraltar offers a unique mix of British and Spanish cultures, all packed into just seven square miles! Perhaps visit the island's iconic Rock, which conceals thirty miles of tunnels including the Great Siege Tunnels and St Michael's Cave. **October 30. Portsmouth, England.** Arrive 0700. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

Toss a coin into the Trevi Fountain

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ANCIENT WONDERS OF THE MED aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: October 12, 2018. Duration: 18 nights. Cruise code: P2212.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,845	£2,883
Outside	from	£4,999	£3,749
Superior	from	£8,654	£5,623
Suites	from	£10,766	£6,997

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£5,760	£4,902
Outside	from	£7,499	£6,374
Superior	from	£12,977	£9,083
Suites	from	£18,168	£11,809

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A Musical Mediterranean

Departing: July 19, 2018
19 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

On this summer cruise you can explore the captivating culture and heritage of the western Mediterranean. Plus, music aficionados will be in their element on a visit to Puccini's favourite haunt in Italy, Torre del Lago.

2018 Puccini Festival



We hope to be able to offer tickets to the the annual open-air Puccini Festival in Torre del Lago, so be sure to check your shore

excursion booklet for further details.

There will also be some opera-themed events on the ship – perhaps enjoy some singing lessons or join our on-board choir; attend a 'pop-up' opera; and enjoy the modern genre of rock opera from our guest performers.

19 nights from £3,952

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

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• Cartagena, Spain • Ibiza Town, Ibiza • Livorno
(for Florence), Italy • Monte Carlo ♣, Monaco
• Barcelona, Spain • Castellón de la Plana, Spain
• Gibraltar • Dover, England.



Monaco Cathedral

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A MUSICAL MEDITERRANEAN aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **July 19, 2018**. Duration: **19 nights**. Cruise code: **SA352**.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,940	£3,952	Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£6,063	£4,244	Outside	from	£9,095	£8,185
Superior	from	£7,635	£5,344	Superior	from	£11,709	£10,020
Suites	from	£11,677	£7,590				

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Italy and a Mediterranean Discovery

Departing: October 19, 2018
21 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Southampton

Immerse yourself in Italy's *la dolce vita* as you explore its southern shores, as well as the islands of Sardinia and Sicily. Discover the Ionian isle of Corfu, unearth amazing archaeological ruins in Albania and contrast the ancient Iberian cities of Cartagena and Lisbon.

The Italian Connection



We'll keep the spirit of Italy alive on board with cookery demonstrations from top London chef Theo Randall, who specialises in Italian cuisine.

There will also be pasta-making sessions, language lessons and film screenings to enjoy. Plus, keep your eyes peeled for our pop-up Prosecco bar!

21 nights from £4,602

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

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Taormina is dwarfed by distant Mount Etna

Cabins selling fast

ITALY AND A MEDITERRANEAN DISCOVERY aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **October 19, 2018**. Duration: **21 nights**. Cruise code: **SA358**.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,845	£4,602	Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£6,460	£5,491	Outside	from	£7,579*	
Superior	from	£7,844	£6,667	Superior		SOLD OUT	
Suites	from	£11,996	£8,397				

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The Moorish Mediterranean

Departing: November 13, 2018
17 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

Sail to the crossroads between Africa, Europe to see the restoration of the once-great city of Tangier. Bask in the pleasant north-African climate in Algiers. Enjoy a taste of Moroccan cuisine and cultures on-board ship. Meander around the Iberian Peninsular to discover the influence of the Moors on medieval Spain.

17 nights from £2,802

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

ALL-INCLUSIVE*

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Selected drinks*

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.



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The mountain village of Mijas

November 13. Portsmouth, England.

Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1600.

November 16. Lisbon, Portugal. Arrive 0800.

Depart 1700. This compact, fascinating city climbs the sloping sides of the bank of the River Tejo.. The steep and often narrow streets of the upper city are fun to explore, especially by tram or on the funicular railway.

November 18. Tangier, Morocco. Arrive 0800.

Depart 1700. The Moroccan 'White City' has undergone quite a renaissance in recent years. Take tea in a cafe on Rue Magellan where heiresses and beat writers once hung out, visit a medina, and don't miss Boulevard Pasteur for a taste of colonial-era Tangier. You can join a tour to learn more about this fascinating city.

November 19. Melilla, Spain. Arrive 0800.

Depart 1700. Although tucked into the Rif coast of Morocco, Melilla is actually a Spanish enclave, and the European influences are evident in the city's architecture. With a chequered past that has seen it come under Phoenician, Punic, Roman and Byzantine rule, it has been part of Spain since 1497. Learn about this port city on a guided walk. **November 21. Algiers, Algeria.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Beginning life as a Phoenician outpost, the capital and largest city of Algeria is also known as 'Algiers the White' for its gleaming white buildings. Join a tour to explore the amphitheatre, baths and basilicas of UNESCO-listed Tipaza, or tour places associated with World War II.

November 22. Mahon, Minorca. Arrive 0800.

Depart 1700. Minorca's capital is a great place to unwind with its array of cafes, restaurants and colourful shops. Occupied by the British during the 18th century, its colonial rule is spelt out in the Georgian-influenced architecture, dotted among remains that are neoclassical, baroque and Romanesque. You might like to join a coast-to-coast tour of the island.

November 24. Motril, Spain. Arrive 0800.

Depart 2200. The pretty town of Motril sits on the Costa Tropical. From here you may like to head to Granada to visit the Alhambra Palace, and enjoy lunch in a cave in the Albaicin Quarter, accompanied by a display of traditional flamenco. **November 25. Malaga, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2300. Discovering what the Phoenicians, Romans and Moors left behind in this sun-blessed city. Alternatively, branch out into the romantic Andalusian countryside to discover idyllic mountain villages, such as Mijas, or visit the Vintage Car and Couture museum. With an overnight stay you can also venture out to experience Malaga's vibrant nightlife. **November 26. Cetaua, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Enjoy a stroll around Ceuta, a Spanish enclave on the North African coast. Here, Moroccan and Spanish cultures create an interesting mix, and you might like to explore the ruins of the city wall and an old fort.

November 30. Portsmouth, England. Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

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MOORISH MEDITERRANEAN aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **November 13, 2018.** Duration: **17 nights.** Cruise code: **P2214.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,737	£2,802	Inside	from	£5,606	£4,484
Outside	from	£4,858	£3,400	Outside	from	£7,287	£5,100
Superior	from	£7,287	£5,465	Superior	from	£12,642	£8,197
Suites	from	£10,464	£6,801	Suites	from	£17,658	£11,477

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Please note: #All inclusive includes selected wines at lunch and dinner, Saga house-branded spirits, cocktails containing house-branded spirits, draught beer and lager, non-alcoholic cocktails, all mixers and soft drinks. All excursions mentioned are optional, at an additional cost, and are subject to availability and change. Some of the highlights detailed may only be seen on optional excursions or by exploring independently. Days not detailed are spent at sea.



Flavours of the Iberian Peninsula

Departing: March 28, 2019
14 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Southampton

Savour the culinary delights of the Iberian Peninsula on this cruise exploring Spain and Portugal. You'll be joined on board by a VIP chef who will share their insights, plus look forward to tapas-making demonstrations and a tasting from a pop-up bar.

14 nights from £1,899

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

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The Dom Luis I Bridge straddles the Douro in Oporto

Inspiring experiences: Enjoy wine tasting at a port lodge in Oporto • Savour high tea at the historic Rock Hotel in Gibraltar • Learn the secrets of making the perfect paella • Taste sherry at a traditional bodega in Jerez.

March 28. Southampton, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. **Depart 1600. March 31. Leixões (for Oporto), Portugal.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Oporto is famous for its wine and a visit to a city lodge where port is blended and aged is an absolute must. Other reasons to visit this ancient city include the medieval Ribeira district, São Bento railway station famous for its tiles, and the Douro River. **April 2. Gibraltar.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Despite the Mediterranean sunshine, Gibraltar has a distinctly British character. A sightseeing tour will reveal the Rock and Europa Point, concluding with high tea at the art deco Rock Hotel. **April 3. Motril, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2100. The pretty town of Motril sits on Spain's Costa Tropical. Tour its bodegas for a taste of the local Andalusian culture or join a trip to Granada's magnificent Alhambra Palace, with its royal courtyards and Generalife gardens. **April 4. Melilla, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700.

Melilla is one of Spain's last footholds in North African, the European influences evident in the city's Gothic and modernist architecture. Perhaps stroll along the pristine beachfront or pay a visit to Melilla la Vieja, a 16th-century Spanish fortress. **April 5. Cartagena, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Founded by the Carthaginians in 223BC, Cartagena been the home of the Spanish Navy since the 18th century. Perhaps enjoy an optional walking tour taking in the sea wall, Town Hall Square and some important Roman archaeological sites. **April 6. Malaga, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Set on Spain's Costa do Sol, discover the city's Phoenician, Roman and Moorish remains. Alternatively, experience country life on visit to an Andalusian farmhouse where you can help prepare an authentic paella dish for lunch. **April 7. Cadiz, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Wander the cobbled streets of this old city, with its Moorish and medieval heritage. Lovers of sherry can join a visit to a bodega in Jerez, the main centre for sherry production. During your tour, see a traditional Andalusian equestrian performance, explore one of Europe's largest wine cellars and enjoy a wine-tasting session. **April 11. Dover, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

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FLAVOURS OF THE IBERIAN PENINSULA aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **March 28, 2019.** Duration: **14 nights.** Cruise code: **SA368.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£2,922	£1,899
Outside	from	£3,886	£2,525
Superior	from	£4,967	£3,228
Suites	from	£7,159	£4,653

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,383	£2,848
Outside	from	£5,852	£3,283
Superior	from	£7,451	£4,843

§A reduction of £98 applies if you do not need the optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights

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Spanish Morocco and Andalusia

Departing: January 18, 2019
15 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

Savour a Moorish taste of Spain as you call at the enclaves of Ceuta and Melilla on the northern coast of Africa, explore ancient remains in Algeria, then cross the Strait of Gibraltar to the shores of Andalusia. Immerse yourself further in the local traditions on board with fascinating talks, food demonstrations and even belly dancing classes.

15 nights from £2,018

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.



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The attractive city of Cordoba in Andalusia

Inspiring experiences: Admiring the art nouveau and modernist architecture of Melilla • Visiting the amazing Mausoleum of Mauretania • Exploring the glorious Moorish Alhambra palace • The chance to see the incredible Mezquita in Cordoba • Walking part of the Way of St James.

January 18. Portsmouth, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1600. **January 22. Ceuta, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. This Spanish enclave on the northern coast of Africa is a lively mix of African and Iberian flavours. From here you can visit the whitewashed Moroccan mountain town of Tetouan with its UNESCO-listed medina, and head into the rugged Rif mountains. **January 23. Melilla, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Further south along the African coast, the Spanish city of Melilla has been defended by its grand fortress since the 16th century. You can contrast this area of the city with the newer side which is filled with eye-catching art nouveau and modernist architecture. **January 25. Palma, Mallorca.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. The elegant capital of the Balearics is characterised by palm-fringed squares, stylish shops and cafes, and the

Moorish heritage of the old town, or you may be tempted to visit Valldemossa and Deia instead.

January 26. Algiers, Algeria. Arrive 0800.

Depart 1700. A tour of the Algerian capital will reveal its French influences, including the Notre Dam d'Afrique. Or perhaps you'd like to venture to the ruins of Tipaza, an ancient Roman colony, and then see the amazing Royal Mausoleum of Mauretania. **January 27. Cartagena, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Discover the old city walls and Roman remains of one Spain's oldest ports, or seek out the amazing Alhambra palace on an overnight excursion. **January 28. Malaga, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700.

Malaga lies on the very edge of the Costa del Sol, so you can expect miles of stunning beaches within easy reach. You could also visit the city of Cordoba, home to the immense Mezquita, one of the most treasured pieces of Islamic architecture in Spain. **January 30. Vigo, Spain.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1700. Vigo lies on the edge of its own fjord-like bay, and there are plenty of stylish marinas edged by bars and cafes to keep you occupied, or you could head to the city of Santiago de Compostela. **February 2. Portsmouth, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

SAVE up to 35% off the full fares – see page 96.

SPANISH MOROCCO AND ANDALUSIA aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **January 18, 2019.** Duration: **15 nights.** Cruise code: **P2222.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,106	£2,018	Inside	from	£4,659	£3,028
Outside	from	£4,038	£2,624	Outside	from	£6,057	£3,937
Superior	from	£6,057	£3,937	Superior	from	£10,404	£6,814
Suites	from	£8,542	£5,552	Suites	from	£14,676	£9,539

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Canary Islands

The Canary Islands is a perennially popular cruise destination. Even regular visitors always find something new to discover in a region encompassing everything from volcanic plains to lush rainforest, chic cities to rolling sand dunes. Such diversity allows for some exciting excursions such as trekking through Lanzarote's Valley of 1000 Palms, hiking through Los Tilos rainforest, stargazing in the foothills of Mount Teide, seeing giant lizards on El Hierro and stepping onto a RIB for an exhilarating sea safari.





Canary Island Constellations

Departing: January 7, 2018
14 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Southampton

Escape the British winter on this all-inclusive cruise to the Canary Islands and Madeira, where an overnight mooring in Funchal offers the chance to do a spot of stargazing. Plus, you can hike to a volcanic crater in El Hierro, drive through Tenerife's Teide National Park, and explore Lanzarote's lava beds on a variety of optional excursions.

14 nights from £2,922[‡]

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

ALL INCLUSIVE*

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Selected drinks[‡]

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.

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Travelling as a group?

If you're travelling in a group of ten or more people, you could enjoy two free places on this cruise – see your local travel agent for more details.



Tenerife's observatory sits at the foot of Mount Teide

January 7. Southampton, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1700. **January 11-12. Funchal, Madeira.** Arrive 1300 on January 11. Depart 1300 on January 12. Madeira was discovered by Portuguese sailors in 1418, and Funchal became the island's capital soon after. By day you can explore its elegant squares and avenues, and in the evening you could head to a taverna and treat yourself to a glass of Madeira wine. You could even go in search of the Milky Way and other constellations on a stargazing excursion, making the most of Madeira's pollution-free atmosphere. **January 13. Santa Cruz, La Palma.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2300. La Palma is the greenest of the Canaries, especially in the north of the island with its orchards and forests. The capital, Santa Cruz, sits in a natural amphitheatre on the slope of a volcanic crater. Why not join a trip up to Pilar viewpoint for a spot of stargazing? At 3,300 feet above sea level, you'll be in the best position for spotting planets and stars. **January 14. Puerto de la Estaca, El Hierro.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Only accessible to smaller cruise ships, El Hierro, the smallest of the Canary Islands, has a dramatic landscape of cliffs, lava formations and farmland. See more of El Hierro on a tour that also reveals the island's endemic giant lizards. **January 15. Santa Cruz, Tenerife.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. The island dubbed the 'King of the Canaries' features landscapes that range from forests of eucalyptus and pine to black-sand beaches. Towering over them all is Mount Teide, Spain's highest mountain, with Teide Observatory at its feet. Enjoy an exclusive tour of one of the

most important daylight observatories in the world to discover more about astrology and astrophysics. Alternatively, take a stroll around Santa Cruz, the capital. **January 16. Arrecife, Lanzarote.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1600. Lanzarote, listed as a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve, has an unusual volcanic landscape which you can discover on a visit to El Cuervo volcano. The island's capital, Arrecife, has two castles, sandy beaches, a long promenade and public parks. **January 19. La Coruña (for Santiago de Compostela), Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1600. From the port of La Coruña you can join a guided tour of the city and cathedral of Santiago de Compostela. **January 21. Southampton, England.** Arrive 0700. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

THEME: STARGAZING

Includes... talks from a top astronomer, plus a masterclass from the ship's officers on how to navigate by the stars.

You'll be able to pick and choose from a wonderful selection of optional shore excursions encompassing a visit to the world's largest telescope and an exclusive tour of Tenerife's daylight observatory. Combine these land-based activities with a daily programme of on-board stargazing, use of the telescope set up on deck, and the chance to use the ship's sextant. You'll also hear from astronomer and space flight historian Howard Parkin about many fascinating aspects of the solar system.

Up to £200 per person On Board Credit - book by July 23, 2017[^]

CANARY ISLAND CONSTELLATIONS aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: January 7, 2018. Duration: 14 nights. Cruise code: SA335.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from		£2,922 [‡]
Outside	from	£3,799	£3,039
Superior	from	£4,969	£4,223
Suites	from	£8,045	£6,436

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside			SOLD OUT
Outside	from		£4,807 [‡]
Superior			SOLD OUT

[§]A reduction of £98 applies if you do not need the optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights – see page 96 for details. Fares are per person for the lowest grade available in the category shown. [‡]Based on an Inside/Outside Guarantee – see page 96 for details. All fares were correct at the time of going to print and are subject to availability and change. [^]Up to £200 per person On Board Credit when booking on or before July 23, 2017. Exact amount depends on your chosen cabin grade. Offer is not applicable to Guarantee cabins. For full details see page 96. Please see pages 92-95 for cabin guide and deck plans.

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Traditions of the Canaries and Africa

Departing: January 8, 2018
20 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Southampton

From wine tasting in Madeira, La Palma and Lanzarote, to traditional dance performances in Gambia and art demonstrations in Senegal, there's plenty of memorable sights and sounds to experience. On this all-inclusive cruise you'll also have the chance to explore the far-flung Cape Verde island of São Vicente, the sun-drenched Algarve and enchanting Lisbon.

20 nights from £3,199*

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £159 if not required[§]

ALL INCLUSIVE*

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Selected drinks*

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.



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Discover African traditions

January 8. Southampton, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1600. **January 12. Funchal, Madeira.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1700. This subtropical haven is famous for its natural scenery and native flora – perhaps join a trip to Pico de Arieiro for magnificent views of the island, and maybe visit a wine lodge for a tasting! **January 13. Santa Cruz, La Palma.** Arrive 1030. Depart 2000. Santa Cruz sits on the slope of a volcanic crater and was once an important trading port between Africa and the Americas. Uncover its heritage of cigar making on an optional tour, or maybe visit a finca to sample local wine and cheese. **January 16. Mindelo, Cape Verde.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1800. Set on the island of São Vicente, Mindelo has a dramatic backdrop of jagged mountains. Discover the colonial houses and monuments of the old town, or take a scenic tour to see more of this island's breathtaking scenery. **January 18. Banjul, Gambia.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2300. Banjul's sun-bleached buildings and slow pace of life belie its intriguing history as a late 19th-century British outpost for intercepting the slave trade. You'll have the option to experience Gambia's creole culture during a traditional performance by a local theatre group. **January 19. Dakar, Senegal.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Once a humble fishing village, Dakar fell under French control in 1857 and French remains the official language to this day. You can experience a more traditional side to Senegal on a visit to a village where the country's African heritage is expressed through art, dance and music, or you could even join a workshop to create your own African-style art! **January 22. Arrecife, Lanzarote.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1800. Famed for its volcanic landscapes, you can opt to discover Lanzarote's cultural

side on a trip to Cesar Manrique's studio, the one-of-a-kind Cactus Gardens and El Patio agricultural museum. **January 24. Portimão, Portugal.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Saga Pearl II will dock at Portimão, set at the mouth of the River Arade in a natural harbour. Perhaps follow the river inland on an optional excursion to discover the delightful town of Silves. **January 25. Lisbon, Portugal.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Cruise up the River Tagus to Lisbon, Portugal's elegant capital known for its historic Alfama district, bright-yellow trams and melancholic fado music. Must-see sights include the intricate Manueline architecture of Jeronimos Monastery and Belém Tower which are both UNESCO World Heritage Sites. **January 28. Portsmouth, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

THEME: WEST AFRICA CULTURE & TRADITIONS

Includes... talks from an anthropologist and demonstration by a local chef.

Get a real flavour of West Africa with our in-depth programme of activities on board and ashore. Savour authentic African dishes prepped by a local chef, and during intriguing talks by an anthropologist, learn about the local culture and customs, as well as current issues. Highlights include witnessing a traditional performance by Gambian dancers in Banjul and enjoying an art, dance and music performance in Dakar. Plus, you can sample wines and cheese in La Palma and join an exclusive Saga tour in Lanzarote featuring a local folk group and more delicious food and wine tasting.

TRADITIONS OF THE CANARIES AND AFRICA aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: January 8, 2018. Duration: 20 nights. Cruise code: P2191.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from		£3,199*
Outside	from	£5,797	£4,876
Superior	from	£8,999	£7,649
Suites		SOLD OUT	

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from		£5,399*
Outside		SOLD OUT	
Superior		SOLD OUT	
Suites		SOLD OUT	

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Morocco and the Hidden Canaries

Departing: January 28, 2018
17 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

Join us on a special all-inclusive voyage exploring Morocco's romanticised past and the secret side of the Canaries. Discover the lively markets, historic medinas and French colonial architecture of Tangier and Casablanca, and cruise to the often overlooked yet picturesque Puerto del Rosario – out of reach to larger vessels.

17 nights from **£2,830[‡]**

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

ALL INCLUSIVE*

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Selected drinks[#]


Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.

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See Casablanca's Hassan II Mosque

January 28. Portsmouth, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1600. **January 31. Lisbon, Portugal.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2000. Visit the capital of Portugal's cultural heart, Baixa, and perhaps try a traditional custard tart in one of the cafes or travel up the city's only street lift, the neo-Gothic Santa Justa Elevator for fine views across the rooftops. **February 2. Tangier, Morocco.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Tangier straddles a bay cast between two promontories on the opposite side of the Mediterranean from Gibraltar. It offers two contrasting sides: the exotic old medina with its fortified kasbah and the modern business district. **February 3. Casablanca, Morocco.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2200. Morocco's largest city sizzles with an intoxicating fusion of sights and sounds. Experience the authentic African vibe in its old medina and 689-foot high minaret of the Hassan II Mosque. Alternatively, experience the buzz of Marrakech on an optional visit. **February 5. Arrecife, Lanzarote.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2200. Arrecife slumbers in the winter sun and, as you'd expect from a capital, its boutique-lined streets offer plenty of shopping opportunities. To explore the island's artistic side, join an optional excursion to César Manrique's former home and studio followed by a wine-tasting session. **February 6. Puerto del Rosario, Fuerteventura.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. The unassuming capital of Puerto del Rosario encompasses a quaint harbour area of tangled lanes, traditional Canarian houses and a small promenade. Enjoy the sleepy pace here or join a sightseeing tour to admire this island's contorted landscapes and traditional windmills.

February 7. Las Palmas, Gran Canaria.

Arrive 0800. Depart 2200. Las Palmas exudes the cosmopolitan buzz of a capital coupled with a laid-back beach vibe. Alternatively, take in the Bandama Crater for panoramic views of the island, see the tropical and subtropical flowers at the Jardin Canario or visit the rolling dunes of Maspalomas for a camel safari.

February 9. Funchal, Madeira. Arrive 0800.

Depart 1800. A jeep safari is an excellent way to experience the island's dizzy heights and varied terrain which becomes more barren the higher you go! Alternatively, stretch your legs on a levada walk or explore the rocky coastline on a RIB trip.

February 12. La Coruña, Spain. Arrive 0800.

Depart 1600. Immerse yourself in the history of the old town, with its baroque palaces and medieval churches. **February 14. Portsmouth, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

THEME: CANARIES EXPERIENCE

Including... talks by an expert geologist and gardener.

Explore the Canaries' wealth of striking natural landscapes and cultural delights. Our line-up of experts will highlight the different sides of this amazing archipelago to help you really get beneath the skin of it. You can also enjoy guided walks, a special gardens visit and sample the local food and drink for a true taste of the region. Back on board, further your knowledge with insightful talks, such as on the islands' volcanic origins by an expert geologist.

MOROCCO AND THE HIDDEN CANARIES aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: January 28, 2018. Duration: 17 nights. Cruise code: P2192.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from		£2,830 [‡]
Outside	from		£4,139 [‡]
Superior	from	£7,969	£6,375
Suites	from	£9,907	£8,420

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside			SOLD OUT
Outside	from		£6,216 [‡]
Superior	from	£11,953	£9,562
Suites	from	£16,738	£11,716

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Canary Island Adventure

Departing: March 15, 2018
13 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Southampton

Trek through Palm Valley in Lanzarote, discover the underwater world surrounding Gran Canaria by submarine, hike to Spain's highest mountain in Tenerife, drive a buggy through the rugged terrain of La Palma... A variety of adrenaline-pumping activities await you on this exhilarating cruise to the Canary Isles.

13 nights from £2,498

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

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Picture yourself trekking in Tenerife?

March 15. Southampton, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600. **March 17. Ferrol (for Santiago de Compostela), Spain.** Arrive 1000. Depart 1800. Set on Spain's north west coast, visiting the port of Ferrol gives you the perfect opportunity to discover the holy city of Santiago de Compostela or you can choose to see more of the glorious coastal scenery on a panoramic tour. **March 20. Arrecife, Lanzarote.** Arrive 0900. Depart 2200. Declared a Biosphere Reserve by UNESCO, Lanzarote is renowned for its unspoilt beaches and lunar-like terrain which you can discover on a choice of optional excursions, from a thrilling off-road safari to a trek through Palm Valley. **March 21. Las Palmas, Gran Canaria.** Arrive 0900. Depart 2200. Gran Canaria's endless beaches, rolling dunes, lush vegetation and glorious climate have lent it the title 'a continent in miniature'. Set between two attractive bays, the capital Las Palmas has a beautiful old quarter that is listed by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site. If you're feeling adventurous head to Bandama Crater for a hike into the depths of the caldera, cycle through Las Palmas on a guided bicycle tour, or drive a buggy through the rugged terrain of the island's Brena Alta region. **March 22. Santa Cruz, Tenerife.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2100. Tenerife is a traditional island blessed with

long sandy beaches, colonial architecture and rolling green landscapes. At its centre lies volcanic Mount Teide, Spain's highest mountain, which you can discover for yourself by foot or by coach. Alternatively, you might like to go whale and dolphin watching on a catamaran. **March 23. Santa Cruz, La Palma.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1430. An island of rugged beauty, La Palma offers lush forests, year-round flowers and spectacular scenery, while its capital, Santa Cruz, is renowned for being one of the prettiest towns in the archipelago. Perched on the edge of a volcanic crater, Santa Cruz has a quirky mix of modern and colonial buildings and shops where you can buy authentic leather goods and embroidery. While ashore, why not head to Los Tilos on an optional walking tour or head up to the top of San Antonio volcano? **March 24. Funchal, Madeira.** Arrive 0830. Depart 1700. Step ashore on the 'floating garden' of Madeira where you can stroll around the attractive squares and avenues of its capital, Funchal. Alternatively, choose to join an exciting four-wheel drive through Madeira's hidden valleys and mountain roads, or walk along one of the island's 'levada' trails to admire the spectacular mountain scenery. **March 28. Southampton, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

Up to £300 per person On Board Credit - book by July 23, 2017[^]

CANARY ISLAND ADVENTURE aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **March 15, 2018.** Duration: **13 nights.** Cruise code: **SA338.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,129	£2,498
Outside	from	£3,845	£2,691
Superior	from	£4,845	£3,876
Suites	from	£6,969	£4,529

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£4,922	£4,183
Superior	from	£7,476	£5,980

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Canaries in Spring

Departing: April 20, 2018
14 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Southampton

Get out and explore the beautiful Canary Islands on this spring cruise, beating the crowds and heat of summer. And so that you can enjoy your time ashore to the full, we've cherry-picked a variety of exciting excursions that could see you cycling along historic lanes or heading off the beaten track on a 4x4 safari.

Spring into action

If you like to stay active, why not join our Pilates and yoga sessions on board and fine-tune your diet with advice from a nutritionist? Plus we've made it easier for you to make healthy choices at meal times with low calorie dishes highlighted on the menus. And we'll have some superb hiking and biking opportunities too.

14 nights from £2,716

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

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Pictured above: Get up close to Mount Teide's volcanic formations; Dolphins playing off Tenerife's coast; A pretty church sits in the centre of Puerto del Rosario

April 20. Southampton, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600. **April 24. Funchal, Madeira.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Spring is an especially good time to visit the 'floral isle'. Whether strolling around the capital's leafy lanes, heading up into the mountains on a 4X4 safari or enjoying the thrill of looking for whales and dolphins on a RIB adventure, there are plenty of ways to experience Madeira's natural attractions.

April 25. Santa Cruz, La Palma. Arrive 1000. Depart 2000. La Palma is widely hailed as the greenest island in the archipelago. Lovers of the great outdoors won't want to miss a trip to Los Tilos Forest, a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve. It's the perfect opportunity to embrace nature on a guided trek beneath the canopy of ancient laurels and giant ferns. **April 26. Santa Cruz, Tenerife.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2200. With a full day and evening in the largest and most populous of the Canaries, you'll have ample time to seek out the capital's cosmopolitan charms. Alternatively, go hiking up Spain's highest peak, Mount Teide, or enjoy a leisurely catamaran trip to visit a pod of whales. **April 27. Las Palmas, Gran Canaria.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Once an important way point for seafarers en route to the New World, the UNESCO-protected old town of Vegueta is a must for history enthusiasts. Perhaps swap a tour bus for a guided modern city bike tour

– it's a fun way to encounter the culture and history first hand! **April 28. Puerto del Rosario, Fuerteventura.** Arrive 1100. Depart 2300. Perhaps enjoy an art-themed treasure hunt in the down-to-earth capital of Puerto del Rosario – there are around 100 sculptures by local artists dotted around its streets. Or if you want to see more of the island, join a tour to the former capital of Betancuria and the resort of Corralejo, famed for its stunning beaches. **April 29. Arrecife, Lanzarote.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1600. Sporting black sand beaches and scorched lava fields, Lanzarote's volcanic origins are laid bare for all to see. An off-road 4x4 safari is one way to experience the island's stark beauty, or you can discover a different side on an invigorating trek through the Valley of 1,000 Palms. **May 1. Lisbon, Portugal.** Arrive 0830. Depart 1700. Lisbon's cityscape is the envy of Europe and one you can behold as Saga Sapphire cruises up the River Tagus. There's plenty to admire ashore too, from elegant architecture and old wooden trams, to the iconic Belém Tower and Monument to the Discoveries which is a testament to Portugal's golden age of exploration. **May 4. Southampton, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

Up to £300 per person On Board Credit[^] - book by July 23, 2017[^]

CANARIES IN SPRING aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: April 20, 2018. Duration: 14 nights. Cruise code: SA343.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,396	£2,716
Outside	from	£3,821	£2,865
Superior	from	£4,811	£3,608
Suites	from	£7,769	£5,058

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£4,893	£4,159
Superior	from	£7,217	£5,412

[§]A reduction of £98 applies if you do not need the optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights – see page 96 for details. Fares are per person for the lowest grade available in the category shown. All fares were correct at the time of going to print and are subject to availability and change. [^]Up to £300 per person On Board Credit when booking on or before July 23, 2017. Exact amount depends on your chosen cabin grade – see page 96 for details. Please see pages 92-95 for cabin guide and deck plans.

Please note: All excursions mentioned are optional, at an additional cost, and are subject to availability and change. Some of the highlights detailed may only be seen on optional excursions or by exploring independently. Days not detailed are at sea.



Flavours of the Canaries

Departing: October 30, 2018
14 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

Cruise to the contrasting trio of La Palma, La Gomera and Fuerteventura, where you can explore colonial ports, ancient forests, green valleys and stunning sandy beaches. Plus there's the added incentive of some exclusive activities on board which are bound to appeal to the sweet toothed among you...

Something to tempt you...

On board you can look forward to patisserie lessons, a praline making class and a chocolate-themed afternoon tea. Master chocolatier and Bake Off Crème de la Crème winner Mark Tilling will also be on board to show you some tricks of the trade.

14 nights from £1,979

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.

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Pictured above: The road to San Sebastian; Wander through La Gomera's laurel forest; The coast of Fuerteventura

October 30. Portsmouth, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1600. **November 3-4. Funchal, Madeira.** Arrive 1300 on November 3. Depart 1600 on November 4. Funchal has a dramatic appearance thanks to its location on the side of an amphitheatre-like valley. For a little thrill perhaps head to Cabo Girão, an immense sea cliff with a glass walkway 1,640 feet above the water. **November 5. Santa Cruz, La Palma.** Arrive 0900. Depart 2300. The atmospheric colonial heart of Santa Cruz makes it one of the loveliest towns in the Canaries. Discover the island's dramatic scenery with a visit to the primal laurel forest which once covered the entire archipelago, or take a drive along the winding mountain roads. **November 6. San Sebastian, La Gomera.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. The volcanic, cone-shaped island of La Gomera hides an interior of sheer ravines, green valleys and mist covered forests. Scale the peak of El Alto de Garajonay for eye-popping views of the island and maybe even across to Tenerife.

November 7. Puerto del Rosario, Fuerteventura.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Fuerteventura is an island of vast plains and gentle valleys. Wander around the old harbour area with its traditional Canarian houses, or spend the day stretched out on Corralejo Beach, a stunning stretch of white sand and turquoise sea. **November 10. Leixoes (for Oporto), Portugal.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1600. Oporto is filled with warehouses and cellars where you can taste the city's most famous export, as well as a fair number of tempting patisseries and chocolate shops. **November 13. Portsmouth, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

Also on board... you'll be joined by representatives from ORCA, the foremost European whale and dolphin conservation charity, who'll be holding regular whale-spotting sessions on deck.

SAVE up to 35% off the full fares – see page 96.

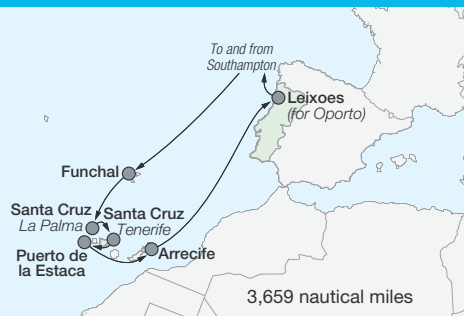
FLAVOURS OF THE CANARIES aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **October 30, 2018.** Duration: **14 nights.** Cruise code: **P2213.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,045	£1,979
Outside	from	£3,959	£2,573
Superior	from	£6,051	£4,453
Suites	from	£8,374	£5,443

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,568	£3,654
Outside	from	£5,939	£4,157
Superior	from	£10,277	£7,193
Suites	from	£14,388	£9,352

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Sunshine in the Canaries

Departing: November 13, 2018
14 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Southampton

For a Canary Island cruise with a twist, join us for this crime-themed voyage which also gives you the chance to tour the bodegas of Portugal's wine capital, Oporto. It would be a crime to miss out!

An insight into the underworld

Join us on an exploration of the criminal underworld, with guest speakers on board including a crime writer, and actor Stephen Tompkinson, star of ITV drama DCI Banks. There'll also be a book club on board discussing some of the best crime fiction, and a film club screening the greatest crime films of all time.

14 nights from **£2,680**

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

ALL-INCLUSIVE*

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Selected drinks*

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.



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Follow Madeira's levada trails through the mountains

November 13. Southampton, England.

Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600.

November 17. Funchal, Madeira. Arrive 0800.

Depart 1700. The 'floral isle' is cloaked in subtropical foliage all year round, and a ramble along the island's man-made 'levada' trails is a great way to admire the verdant scenery, or you could join a tour that ascends Pico do Arieiro to reveal fabulous views, stops at the pretty village of Santa da Serra and concludes with a tasting of the island's most famous export Madeira wine. Or you could take the opportunity to join a team of marine biologists for a thrilling ride aboard a RIB - rigid inflatable boat - in search of whales and dolphins. **November 18. Santa Cruz, La Palma** Arrive 1100. Depart 2200. Today you step foot on the first Canary Island on your itinerary, La Palma, which is said to be the greenest in the archipelago. You can see more of the lush scenery by taking a tour of the island, which will also reveal the Taburiente Crater, one of the largest erosion volcanoes in the world. **November 19. Santa Cruz, Tenerife.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. The largest of the Canaries, Tenerife has plenty to keep you occupied. Mount Teide volcano, Spain's highest peak, offers the chance to hike amid dramatic scenery, and the waters surrounding the island give you the opportunity to see whales and other marine life on a leisurely catamaran trip. Or, in keeping with the crime theme, you could visit Puerto de la Cruz on the north

coast to see where Agatha Christie completed The Mystery of the Blue Train while convalescing on the island. **November 20. Puerto de la Estaca, El Hierro.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1600. El Hierro, otherwise known as 'Isla del Meridiano' or Meridian Island, was once thought to mark the edge of the world when it was still believed to be flat. It is the smallest and least developed of all the Canary Islands and you may like to hike through the primeval forest or head into the mountains for incredible views across the valley of El Golfo during your day ashore. **November 21-22. Arrecife, Lanzarote.** Arrive 1200 on November 21. Depart 0600 on November 22. A UNESCO biosphere reserve, Lanzarote has an unusual landscape with around 300 volcanic cones. Perhaps discover Lanzarote's explosive natural history with a trek through el Cuervo volcano, set within Timanfaya National Park – an other-worldly landscape of lava mounds, craters and desolate peaks. **November 24. Leixoes (for Oporto), Portugal.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1800. J.K. Rowling was living in Oporto when she wrote her first Harry Potter book and maybe you'll fall under the city's spell during your visit. Discover the UNESCO-listed old quarter which overlooks the Douro river or perhaps visit the Palace of the Dukes at Guimarões, which is often referred to as the birthplace of Portugal. **November 27. Southampton, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

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SUNSHINE IN THE CANARIES aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **November 13, 2018.** Duration: **14 nights.** Cruise code: **SA360.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,350	£2,680
Outside	from	£4,111	£2,672
Superior	from	£5,177	£3,365
Suites	from	£7,460	£4,849

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£5,265	£4,212
Superior	from	£7,994	£5,995

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Please note: #All inclusive includes selected wines at lunch and dinner, Saga house-branded spirits, cocktails containing house-branded spirits, draught beer and lager, non-alcoholic cocktails, all mixers and soft drinks. All excursions mentioned are optional, at an additional cost, and are subject to availability and change. Some of the highlights detailed may only be seen on optional excursions or by exploring independently. Days not detailed are at sea.



Christmas in the Canaries

Departing: December 17, 2018
18 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

Sail south for the festive season and enjoy a special Christmas Day concert in Tenerife. There'll be plenty of time to explore too thanks to overnight moorings in Gran Canaria, Tenerife, Madeira, and also Lisbon, where you'll see the New Year in with a bang with a magnificent fireworks display!

18 nights from £3,122

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

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Pictured clockwise from top: Taburiente National Park; Historic Cadiz; Christmas baubles

December 17. Portsmouth, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1800. **December 21. Cadiz, Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. This historic city has a rich Moorish and medieval heritage. Stroll the cobbled streets, where pretty flowers hang from the balconies of the old houses, to the neo-classical cathedral. **December 23-24. Las Palmas, Gran Canaria.** Arrive 1700 on December 23. Depart 1900 on Christmas Eve. The buzzing atmosphere of Las Palmas is evident as soon as you arrive, and you can make the most of it with an overnight mooring. The city has a distinctly Mediterranean vibe and even the old quarter, Vegueta, is a popular haunt filled with busy bars and stylish restaurants. Alternatively visit the resort of Puerto Mogán on the south of the island, with its small network of pretty canals. **Christmas Day and Boxing Day. Santa Cruz, Tenerife.** Arrive 1600 on Christmas Day. Depart 1800 on Boxing Day. Enjoy the on-board festivities as you cruise towards Tenerife and tuck into a traditional Christmas lunch. Look forward to the Christmas Day concert in Santa Cruz harbour performed by the Tenerife Symphony Orchestra, and on Boxing Day you can explore the capital, or visit Mount Teide National Park. **December 27. Santa Cruz, La Palma.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Santa Cruz sits on the lush green slopes of a volcanic crater, and was once a stopping point for vessels travelling between Africa and the Americas.

It was frequented by Christopher Columbus during his voyages west, and many of the fortifications from this period remain. Explore this colourful, colonial capital and wander its narrow streets. Alternatively, join an excursion to mountainous Taburiente National Park, the ancient laurel forest of Los Tilos, or pay a visit to a bodega where you can sample the wine. **December 29-30. Funchal, Madeira.** Arrive 0800 on December 29. Depart 1200 on December 30. Explore Madeira's historic capital. The natural bay is protected by the highest peaks on the island and consequently the city enjoys the best sunshine. Visit Funchal's Old Town, or opt for something a little more adventurous and join a team of marine biologists on a RIB – rigid inflatable boat. If you're lucky you'll see dolphins and perhaps even whales! **December 31-January 1. Lisbon, Portugal.** Arrive 2330 on December 31. Depart 1700 on January 1. Cruising into port, the 165-foot-tall illuminated Monument to the Discoveries will greet you on your approach, and you'll be just in time for the New Year fireworks. Afterwards enjoy a fantastic party out on deck. You'll have time to explore the steep and narrow streets of the upper city on New Year's Day – let the trams and funicular railways take the strain out of the climb! **January 4. Portsmouth, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

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CHRISTMAS IN THE CANARIES aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **December 17, 2018.** Duration: **18 nights.** Cruise code: **P2218.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,460	£3,122
Outside	from	£5,790	£4,058
Superior	from	£9,366	£6,087
Suites	from	£12,265	£7,972

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£6,690	£5,686
Outside	from	£8,697	£7,827
Superior	from	£15,053	£11,289
Suites	from	£21,743	£14,132

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Canary Island Delights

Departing: January 4, 2019
14 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

Enjoy the Canary Islands' year-round sunshine and contrasting landscapes on this exciting cruise, which also visits Portugal's lively capital and the Spanish city of Ferrol. Plus, if your New Year's resolution is to live life well, we'll give you all the inspiration and information you need with a variety of health, food, fitness and finance workshops on board!

14 nights from £1,989

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

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Pictured above: Las Palmas' striking coastal setting; Walking trails criss-cross Teide National Park; Shells symbolising the Way of St James

Inspiring experiences: Take part in an exhilarating Pilates class amid Tenerife's unusual scenery • Cycle through Las Palmas on a guided bicycle tour • Trek to Lanzarote's unusual Green Caves.

January 4. Portsmouth, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1600. **January 7. Lisbon, Portugal.** Arrive 1300. Depart 2300. Soak up the historic atmosphere of Lisbon's oldest quarter, the Alfama District, or reflect on Portugal's 'Golden Age of Discovery' at UNESCO-listed Jeronimos Monastery and Belém Tower. **January 10. Santa Cruz, Tenerife.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2200. Tenerife's is crowned by Mount Teide volcano and an exciting excursion offers the chance to hike along its trails with an experienced guide. Alternatively, take part in an exhilarating Pilates class amid inspiring scenery or explore Santa Cruz. **January 11. Las Palmas, Gran Canaria.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. If you're feeling adventurous cycle through Las Palmas on a guided bicycle tour, head to Bandama

Crater for a hike into the depths of the caldera, or drive a buggy through the rugged terrain of the island's Brena Alta region. **January 12. Puerto del Rosario, Fuerteventura.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2300. Enjoy the sleepy pace in the unassuming capital of Puerto del Rosario or join a trip to an aloe vera farm to discover more about this strange, hardy member of the lily family. **January 13. Arrecife, Lanzarote.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Perhaps discover Lanzarote's explosive natural history with a trek to the Green Caves, or Cueva de Los Verdes, where you'll have the chance to walk through one of the longest volcanic tunnels in the world! **January 16. Ferrol (for Santiago de Compostela), Spain.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Set on Spain's north west coast, visiting the port of Ferrol gives you the perfect opportunity to walk along part of the Way of St James, following in the footsteps of the thousands of pilgrims that visit the holy city of Santiago de Compostela every year. **January 18. Portsmouth, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

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CANARY ISLAND DELIGHTS aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **January 4, 2019.** Duration: **14 nights.** Cruise code: **P2221.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,060	£1,989	Inside	from	£4,590	£2,983
Outside	from	£3,970	£2,585	Outside	from	£5,967	£3,878
Superior	from	£5,967	£3,878	Superior	from	£10,320	£6,713
Suites	from	£8,415	£5,469	Suites	from	£14,459	£9,398

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Please note: All excursions mentioned are optional, at an additional cost, and are subject to availability and change. Some of the highlights detailed may only be seen on optional excursions or by exploring independently. Days not detailed are at sea.

3,451 nautical miles



The Canaries in Bloom

Departing: February 2, 2019
13 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

With beautiful beaches and cloud-free skies virtually all year round, no wonder the Canary Islands have been known as the Fortunate Isles since time immemorial. Be inspired by the subtropical flowers, exotic plants and unspoilt forests which make this gloriously fertile archipelago a gardeners' paradise

Get back to nature...

...with practical gardening tips and inspiration that will have you raring to get out in your garden back home. Look forward to a visit from a VIP gardener who will host an informative Gardeners' Question Time. Plus, you can learn how to arrange the perfect bouquet, spice up your cookery with herbs from the garden and which flowers can add the finishing touch to your dishes. We'll even be creating our own show garden on Saga Pearl II.

13 nights from £1,839

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

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new OVERNIGHT STAY

Pictured clockwise: Lanzarote's Cactus Garden; Bird of paradise; Mount Teide's volcanic landscapes

Inspiring experiences: Exploring ancient laurel forests during an overnight in La Palma • Contrast a trio of gardens in Tenerife's lush north • Discover a cacti garden designed by César Manrique in Lanzarote

February 2. Portsmouth, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1600. **February 6. Funchal, Madeira.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Madeira is famous for its profusion of plant life, which you can appreciate on a visit to two stunning gardens, Funchal's hillside botanical gardens and lesser-known Pregetters Orchid Garden. Alternatively, follow ingenious levada water channels in the island's mountainous heartland. **February 7-8. Santa Cruz, La Palma.** Arrive 1200 on February 7. Depart 2000 on February 8. An overnight mooring gives you time to explore Santa Cruz's colonial history, as well as discover the island's natural wonders. You'll also have the chance to join a guided walk through the cloud-cloaked Los Tilos forest, a

UNESCO World Biosphere Reserve. **February 9. Santa Cruz, Tenerife.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800.

Best known for its golden beaches and mountainous backdrop, a variety of subtropical plants flourish in Tenerife's volcanic soil and year-round sunshine. Perhaps explore a trio of gardens in verdant Puerto de la Cruz.

February 10. Arrecife, Lanzarote. Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. A trek through el Cuervo volcano, set within Timanfaya National Park, will explore Lanzarote's explosive past, or you can gain an insight into the creative genius of the island's most famous resident, César Manrique, on a tour visiting sites associated with the artist. Of special note is the unusual Cactus Garden that he designed. **February 13. La Coruña (for Santiago de Compostela), Spain.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1800. Enjoy the day exploring Galicia's second largest city which has a fascinating maritime history or visit the ancient pilgrimage city of Santiago de Compostela. **February 15. Portsmouth, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

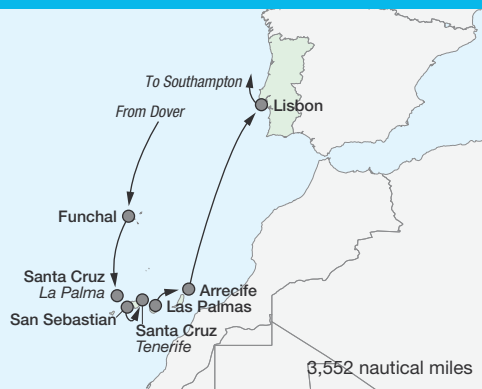
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THE CANARIES IN BLOOM aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **February 3, 2019.** Duration: **13 nights.** Cruise code: **P2223.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS			SINGLE CABINS		
	Full fare	Current fare		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from £2,030	£1,839	Inside	from £4,245	£2,759
Outside	from £3,679	£2,391	Outside	from £5,519	£3,587
Superior	from £5,519	£3,587	Superior	from £9,552	£6,208
Suites	from £7,703	£5,058	Suites	from £13,373	£8,692

SA reduction of £72 applies if you do not need the optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights – see page 96 for details. Fares are per person for the lowest grade available in the category shown. All fares were correct at the time of going to print and are subject to availability and change. For full details see page 96. Please see pages 92-95 for cabin guide and deck plans.

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Celestial Canaries

Departing: March 14, 2019
14 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

This spring cruise to the Canary Islands is perfect for exploring the dramatic volcanic landscapes and colonial cities ahead of the summertime rush. Walk through ancient forests in La Gomera, hike across volcanic craters in Gran Canaria and marvel at Lanzarote's lunar-like terrain. Plus, late night moorings offer the chance to appreciate the remarkably clear night skies that are the envy of astronomers the world over.

14 nights from £1,999

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required⁹

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required⁸

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

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new

Inspiring experiences: Star gazing in La Palma • Watching sunset over Tenerife from Teide National Park • Hiking through the verdant Bandama crater • Virtual tours of the constellations from the comfort of the ship

March 14. Dover, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600. **March 18. Funchal, Madeira.** Arrive 1000. Depart 1800. Portuguese explorers discovered the volcanic island of Madeira in the 15th century. Thanks to Funchal's deep harbour, Saga Sapphire will moor in the city's heart, where you can explore the historic centre or perhaps relax at a cafe with a glass of Madeira wine. **March 19. Santa Cruz, La Palma** Arrive 1300. Depart 2300. La Palma is one of the smallest, greenest of the Canary Islands and a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve, with two nature reserves and a National Park. Explore here or visit the capital Santa Cruz. A late night mooring offers stargazers the chance to visit Pilar Viewpoint, 3,300 feet above sea level, with telescopes on hand to view La Palma's night skies. **March 20. San Sebastian, La Gomera.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2300. The less-explored island of La Gomera was Columbus' last stop before discovering the New World. Apart from capital and port of San Sebastián there's little evidence of civilisation here. The island is also home to the UNESCO-listed Garajonay National Park. **March 21. Santa Cruz, Tenerife.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2300. This modern city has

its share of colonial architecture, museums and gardens including the Jardim Botânico and the Orchid Gardens of Sitro Litre. Enjoy a special evening excursion to the volcanic landscapes of Teide National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, to toast the sunset with a glass of champagne and stargaze through a telescope. **March 22. Las Palmas, Gran Canaria.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Gran Canaria is praised for its geographical diversity including rolling sand dunes and lofty mountains. The capital's beautiful old quarter, the Vegueta, boasts classical buildings with pretty balconies and gates. Explore here or perhaps enjoy a hike through the Bandama Crater. **March 23. Arrecife, Lanzarote.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. The 16th-century Castillo de San Gabriel watches over the harbour of Arrecife, capital of the island. Stroll along the pretty waterfront or explore the island's volcanic landscapes on a trip to 'Fire Mountain' with its craters, lava beds and lunar-like terrain – part of the reason the island has been declared a Biosphere reserve by UNESCO. **March 25. Lisbon, Portugal.** Arrive 1200. Depart 1800. The 16th-century Belém Tower and Monument to the Discoveries are just some of the sights in Portugal's historic capital. Other attractions include the Moorish Alfama district and the Ajuda National Palace, once home to the Portuguese royal family and now a museum. **March 28. Southampton, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

A clear view of the Milky Way in the Canary Islands

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CELESTIAL CANARIES aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **March 14, 2019.** Duration: **14 nights.** Cruise code: **SA367.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,076	£1,999	Inside	from	£4,614	£2,999
Outside	from	£4,091	£2,659	Outside	from	£5,318	£3,456
Superior	from	£5,229	£3,398	Superior	from	£7,044	£5,098
Suites	from	£7,536	£4,898				

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Treasures of the Canaries and Morocco

Departing: January 21, 2019
16 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Southampton

Explore a trio of the Canaries' best known islands, as well as exotic Morocco, and discover the region's unique culture, beautiful architecture and varied landscapes, all of which are a photographer's dream. Look forward to admiring Hassan II mosque and the skyline of Casablanca as the ship approaches, or choose instead to experience magical Marrakech on a memorable overland visit. You can also look forward to some photography lessons – perfect for capturing some of the exciting sights that await you.

16 nights from £2,199

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

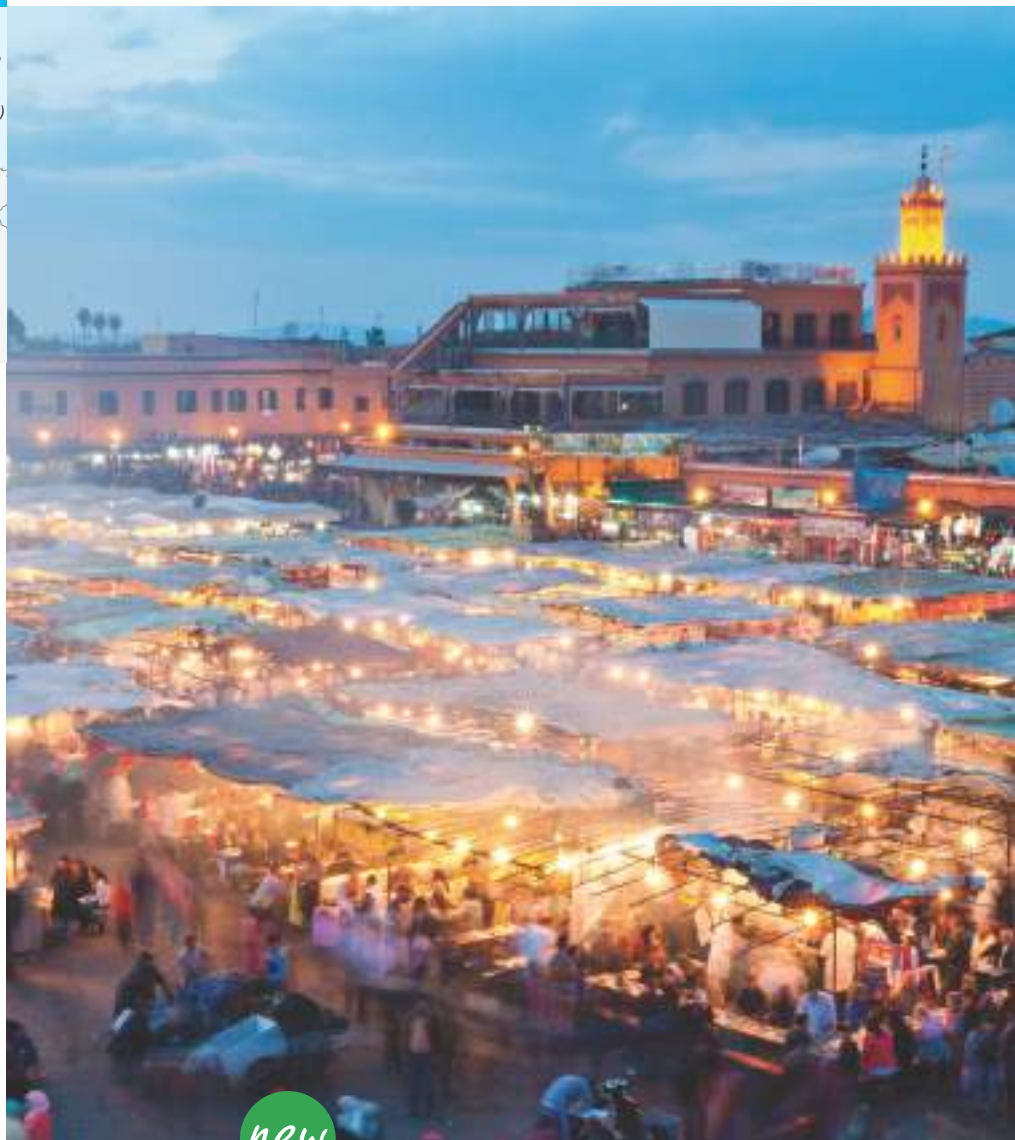
24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.



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Inspiring experiences:

The chance to spend two magical nights in Marrakech

- Admiring the artistic legacy of César Manrique in Lanzarote
- Comparing the architectural styles of the Canaries and Morocco
- Moor in cosmopolitan Casablanca

January 21. Southampton, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1700.

January 22-24. At sea.

January 25. Funchal, Madeira. Arrive 1200. Depart 2300. Enjoy an afternoon and evening in delightful Funchal, Madeira's compact capital which is packed with historic Portuguese buildings, including the magnificent 16th-century cathedral and 17th-century fort. A jeep safari is one way to explore the mountainous interior or you can follow the ingenious levada channels through leafy forests on foot – either way you will be rewarded with fine panoramic views.

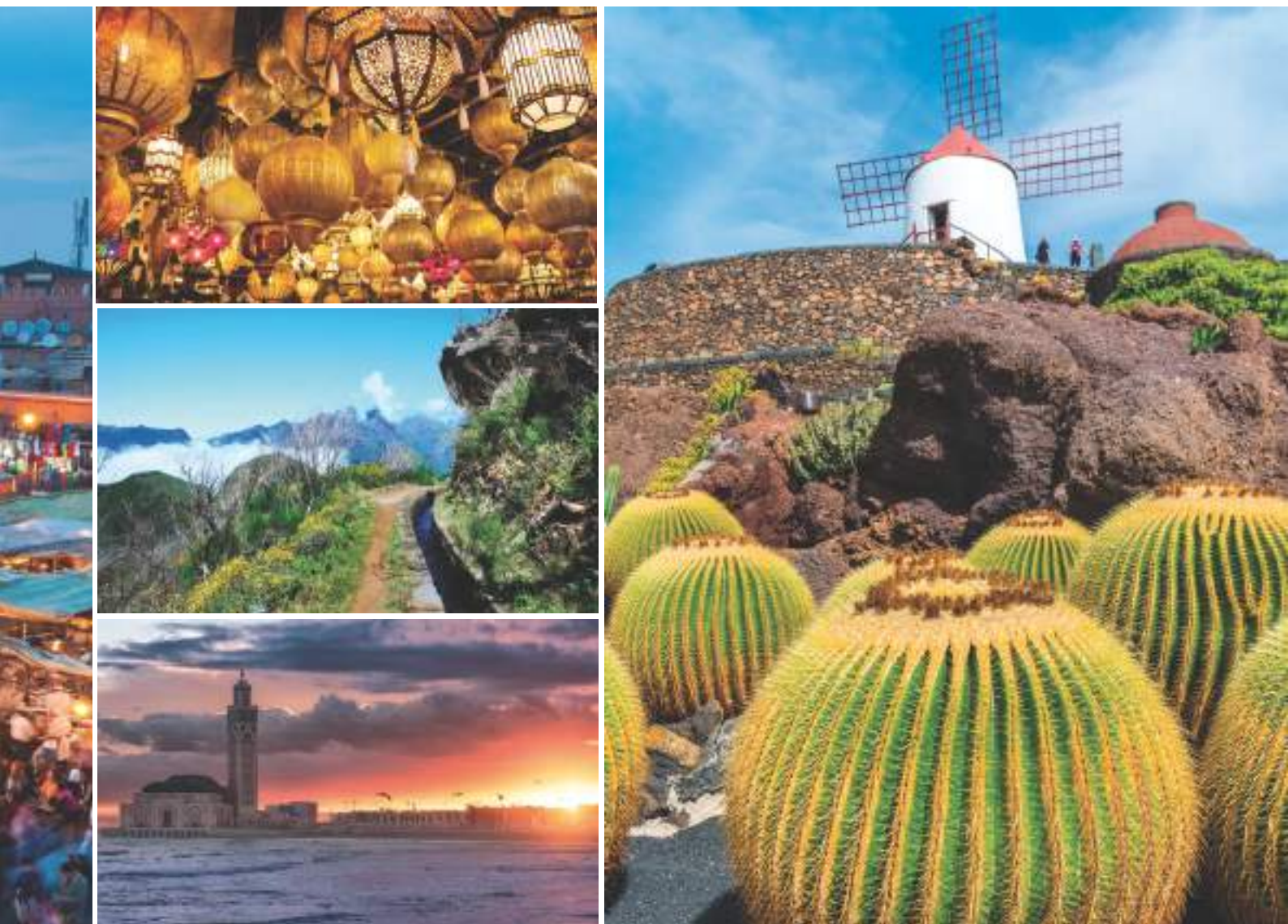
January 26. At sea.

January 27. Santa Cruz, Tenerife.

Arrive 0800. Depart 2300. There's no shortage of sights in the largest of the Canary Islands. Take to the streets of Santa Cruz to contrast its 16th-century civic buildings with modern structures such as the waterfront Auditorio de Tenerife. Perhaps visit the small mountain village of Taganana for a taste of local life and see La Laguna's 18th-century church, or head south on a boat trip to seek out a pod of whales or affable dolphins.

January 28. Las Palmas, Gran Canaria. Arrive 0800.

Depart 1900. Beautiful sun-kissed beaches and rugged coves ring this almost circular isle while its mountainous heart ripples with lush valleys. Call at the capital, Las Palmas, where you can tour the 15th-century old quarter or discover the pretty mountain village of Teror. Characterised by whitewashed houses decorated with ornate wooden balconies, a highlight is the neoclassical Basilica de la Virgen del Pino where the island's patron saint is worshipped.



Pictured clockwise from left: Vibrant Djemaa El Fna Square in Marrakech; The souks are full of interesting gifts; Discover all manner of cacti in Lanzarote's Cactus Garden; Casablanca's impressive Hassan II Mosque; Levada trails lead the way across mountainous Madeira

January 29. Arrecife, Lanzarote. Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Lanzarote owes its dramatic landscape to a series of volcanic eruptions in the 1730s while the island's noticeable lack of high-rise hotels is thanks to the pioneering efforts of one man, César Manrique. A seasoned artist, sculptor and architect, César was instrumental in protecting the island's traditional aesthetic from mass development by encouraging sympathetic design. Take the chance to tour his unique former home and studio which was created in harmony with a series of natural lava bubbles.

January 30. Agadir, Morocco. Arrive 0900. Depart 2300. European-style cafes, a charming marina and a new medina (where you may be able to pick up a bargain or two!) are part of Agadir's appeal. It's the stunning beaches and crystal-clear waters though, that have made it one of the region's most popular holiday destinations. From here, you also have the opportunity to enjoy an optional overland trip to Marrakech where you can enjoy a horse-drawn carriage ride, experience atmospheric Djemaa el Fna square and visit the enchanting Majorelle Gardens in the heart of 'Ochre City' before rejoining the ship in Casablanca.

January 31. At sea.

February 1. Casablanca, Morocco. Arrive 0900. Depart 1800. The spectacular sight of Morocco's largest mosque, Hassan II will greet you this morning before a day of exploration in Casablanca, Morocco's largest city.

Discover its intoxicating fusion of European, African and Arabian influences where modern boulevards contrast with bustling medinas. A city tour will take you for a close-up view of the mosque, a fine example of Arab-Islamic architecture, as well as to the Notre-Dame-de-Lourdes and the souks of the 'Habous Quarter'.

February 2. At sea.

February 3. Vigo (for Santiago de Compostela), Spain. Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. The Galician city of Vigo's old town showcases elegant

17th-century architecture set around quaint squares linked by narrow lanes. Explore here or join an optional excursion to the city of Santiago de Compostela. Its cathedral housing the remains of the Apostle James is the third most popular pilgrimage site after Jerusalem and Rome.

February 4-5. At sea.

February 6. Dover, England. Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

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TREASURES OF THE CANARIES AND MOROCCO aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **January 21, 2019.** Duration: **16 nights.** Cruise code: **SA363.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,384	£2,199
Outside	from	£4,504	£2,925
Superior	from	£5,753	£3,739
Suites	from	£8,294	£5,389

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£5,076	£3,299
Outside	from	£5,854	£3,803
Superior	from	£8,630	£5,609

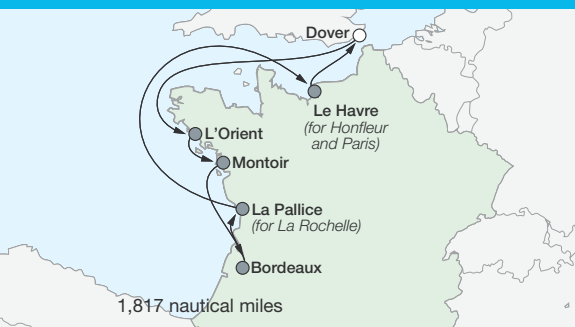
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British Isles and the Continent

Our small-ship cruising adventures prove there's so much to discover from the coasts not too far from home. Soak up the thrill of the Isle of Man TT race, watch the Bristol Balloon Fiesta, enjoy a Summer Regatta, or even hop ashore to the Continent for some Christmas shopping in the magical markets. They're perfect for enjoying the varied attractions right here on our doorstep.





Harbours of Western France

Departing: July 9, 2018
10 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

Meander past the great wine regions, stopping at chateaux to taste Margaux and Muscadet, and to sample cider or cognac at point of origin. Explore the coastline that inspired the Impressionist painters; see chic Parisian retreats; and visit medieval walled villages.

A celebration of France



Throughout this cruise life will have a certain joie de vivre with French cuisine, French wine and French lessons saluting all things

Gallic. We'll even be welcoming celebrity chef Jean-Christophe Novelli on board!

10 nights from **£2,352**

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

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OVERNIGHT
STAY



A Bordeaux vineyard; An icon of Paris, the Eiffel Tower; Wine and cheese

July 9. Dover, England. Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1600. **July 11. Lorient, France.**

Arrive 0700. Depart 1600. This historic port in Brittany was once home to the East India Company, and served as a German U-boat base in World War II. You can tour the town, visit the Museum of the Company of India, or explore the abandoned submarine base. Nearby you can see the megalithic site at Carnac, home to 3,000 standing stones, or visit the wild Quiberon peninsular and the medieval town of Quimper, known for its locally-brewed cider. The medieval walled town of Concarneau, and the pretty village of Pont-Aven are also both within reach. **July 13. Montoir, France.** Arrive 0600. Depart 1800. Montoir acts as a gateway to St Nazaire and the western Loire. St Nazaire's setting at the mouth of the Loire estuary has seen it play two important roles throughout history: first as a shipbuilding centre, then as a submarine base during World War II. Join a cruise along the River Erdre followed by a tour of the city of Nantes and the Château of the Dukes of Brittany. Alternatively drive through vineyards of Melon de Bourgogne – the Muscadet grape – to visit the Château de Chasseloir. The white wine Chéreau Carré is produced here, and of course you'll enjoy a tasting. **July 14-15. Bordeaux, France.** Arrive 1000 on July 14. Depart 2000 on July 15. This 18th-century, UNESCO-listed city sits at the centre of one of France's finest wine producing areas. From here you can head out

to the Margaux wine district for a visit to one of the Grand Cru Châteaux for a talk on the art of wine making, followed by a wine and cheese tasting. You can also venture into the Médoc, where some of the world's most highly regarded wines are produced, for another château visit with wine tasting. **July 16. La Pallice (for La Rochelle), France.** Arrive 1000. Depart 1900. Medieval streets bustle with life in the historic harbour town of La Rochelle, now a busy yachting port. Spend the morning soaking up the atmosphere or perhaps visit the island of Ile de Ré. Other optional excursions explore the waterways of Marais Poitevin, or give you the chance to sample cognac at a local distillery. **July 18. Le Havre (for Honfleur and Paris), France.** Arrive 0800. Depart 2100. A bustling port since the 16th century, Le Havre is the physical embodiment of architect Auguste Perret's philosophy that "concrete is beautiful". Boudin and Monet favoured this stretch of coast and you can see an outstanding collection of Impressionist paintings in the port's Modern Art Museum of Malraux. Alternatively, head to La Côte Fleurie and the artistic enclave of Honfleur or further afield to Fécamp – known for its Benedictine liqueur – and the writers' retreat of Etretat and its chalky cliffs. You can even join a sightseeing tour of Paris, or visit the Chateau de Breuil to learn the art of making Calvados. **July 19. Dover, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

HARBOURS OF WESTERN FRANCE aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **July 9, 2018.** Duration: **10 nights.** Cruise code: **SA351.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£2,768	£2,352
Outside	from	£3,068	£2,454
Superior	from	£3,922	£2,941
Suites	from	£6,344	£4,123

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£3,988	£3,589
Superior	from	£6,056	£5,147

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Western Skies and Scottish Isles

Departing: August 8, 2018
13 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Dover

On this scenic round-UK cruise, you'll visit Jersey in the Channel Islands, watch hot air balloons fill the skies in Bristol, and call at Campbeltown – a brand new port for Saga – before sailing to Edinburgh, timed for you to see the famous Tattoo.

13 nights from £2,422

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required⁹

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required⁸

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.



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August 8. Dover, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1600.

August 9. Jersey, Channel Islands. Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Jersey is the largest of the Channel Islands and while distinctly British, its French-style buildings and names hint at its interesting past. Explore the capital of St Helier with its museums and cafes or visit Elizabeth Castle at low tide.

August 11-12. Avonmouth, England. Arrive 0800 on August 11. Depart 2200 on August 12. Avonmouth lies close to the city of Bristol, where you can see part of the Bristol International Balloon Fiesta. This event sees a gathering of over 150 balloons which lift off twice daily, plus arena events. Alternatively pay a visit to Bath.

August 14. Campbeltown, Scotland.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. The town and port of Campbeltown lies on the peninsula of Kintyre close to the Mull of Kintyre. Explore the town and perhaps visit its museum or Heritage Centre, or treat yourself to a distillery visit – the town was once regarded as the 'whisky capital of the world'!

August 16. Scrabster, Scotland.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. This busy northerly port was once the main port for trade with Norway. Venture further afield on optional excursions to famous Dunrobin Castle or into the highlands. During your navigation around Scotland you can also look forward to demonstrations and tastings of Scottish cuisine from our celebrity chef.



Up, up and away!

The Bristol International Balloon Fiesta is one of the largest of its kind in the world, when over 130 balloons will take to the air over three days. Held in the grounds of historic Ashton Park, the fiesta also offers live music and the magical 'Nightglow' when colourful balloons illuminate the night, accompanied by fireworks. You can learn more about the history of ballooning from our guest speaker and hear first-hand accounts of ballooning.

Pictured clockwise from left: The causeway to Elizabeth Castle; Balloons above Clifton Suspension Bridge; Edinburgh's Georgian elegance; The Edinburgh Military Tattoo

August 18-19. Leith (for Edinburgh), Scotland.

Arrive 0845 on August 18. Depart 2030 on August 19. Discover Edinburgh's Georgian architecture, Holyrood Palace and the Scottish Parliament. Your visit also coincides with the spectacular Edinburgh Tattoo, one of Scotland's famous celebrations, and the Edinburgh Festival Fringe. Alternatively, join an optional excursion to the Trossachs, rich in natural beauty.

August 21. Dover, England. Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

Also on board... you'll be joined by representatives from ORCA, the foremost European whale and dolphin conservation charity, who'll be holding regular whale-spotting sessions on deck.

SAVE up to 25%

off the full fares – see page 96.

WESTERN SKIES AND SCOTTISH ISLES aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **August 8, 2018.** Duration: **13 nights.**
Cruise code: **P2207.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£3,230	£2,422
Outside	from	£4,199	£3,359
Superior	from	£7,268	£4,724
Suites	from	£9,044	£6,330

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£4,845	£4,360
Outside	from	£6,299	£5,669
Superior	from	£10,902	£7,631
Suites	from	£15,263	£10,684

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A Summer Regatta

Departing: August 25, 2018
6 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Dover

Join Saga Pearl II to explore some of England's best summertime ports. Cross to the Isles of Scilly, known for their glorious white beaches and incredible birdlife, then arrive in Dartmouth in time for the annual Royal Regatta celebrations. The ship also calls at Ringaskiddy in Ireland, giving you the chance to explore the lively city of Cork.

For the full regatta experience...

...We'll be hosting our very own regatta at sea! You can dress up for the occasion, enjoy delicious food at our pop-up picnics and even learn how to splice the ropes – an important skill for sailors!

6 nights from £1,127

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

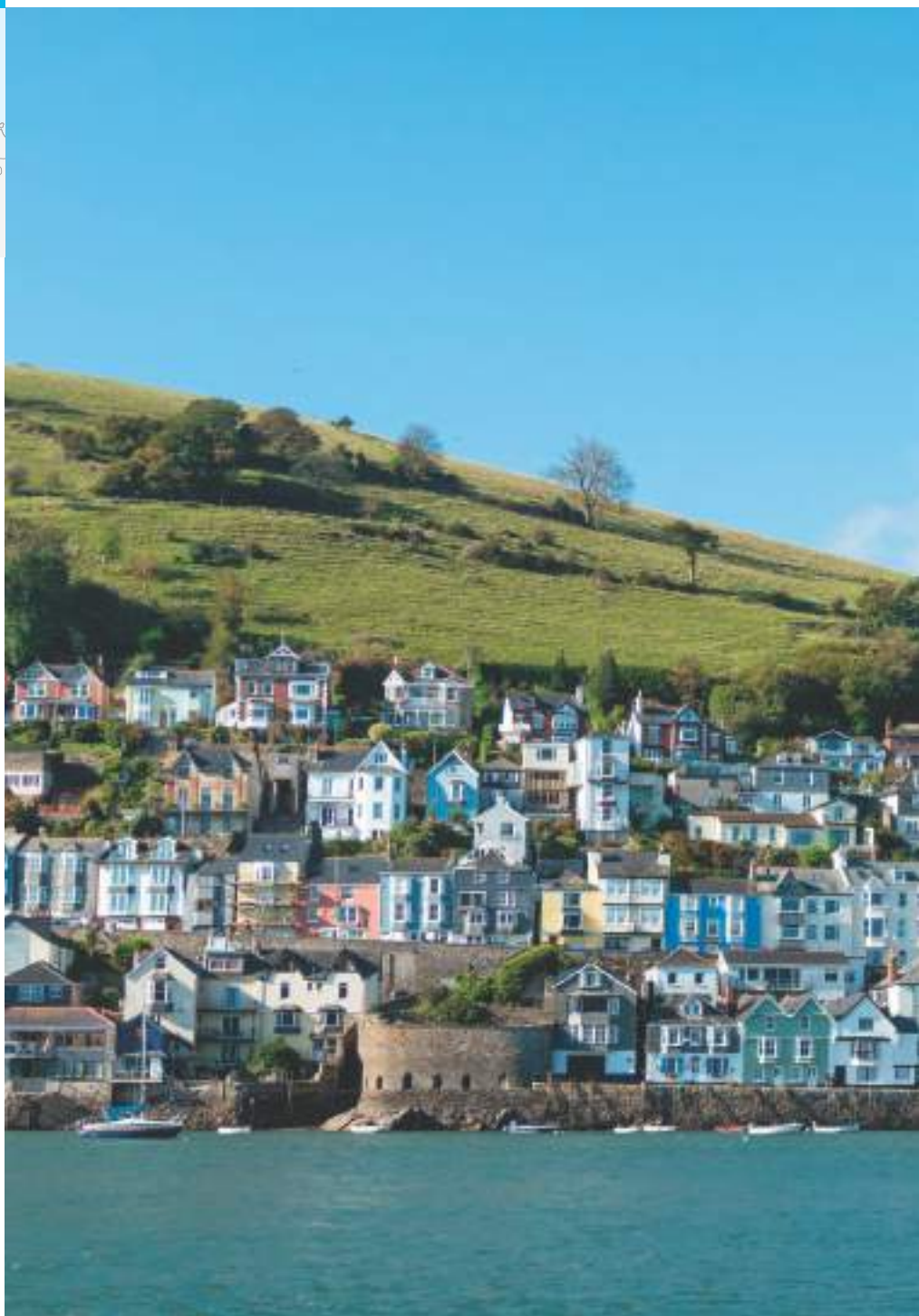
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August 25. Dover, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1700.

August 26. At sea.

August 27. Ringaskiddy (for Cork), Ireland. Arrive 0800. Depart 1900.

Ringaskiddy is a short distance from Cork, a busy little city divided by the River Lee. It's the cosmopolitan hub of southern Ireland, but with all the laid-back charm of a small town. Keep an eye out for the spires of the French-style Saint Fin Barre's Cathedral as you hop from the traditional pubs to the artisan coffee shops which have sprung up in recent years. Or pay a visit to 15th-century Blarney Castle; it's partially in ruin but if you can

brave the climb to the battlements kiss the Blarney Stone you'll be rewarded with the 'gift of the gab'.

August 28. St Mary's J, Isles of Scilly. Arrive 0800.

Depart 1900. St Mary's is the largest of the Isles of Scilly and acts as a gateway to rest of the archipelago. Just 28 miles from Land's End, you can expect stunning white beaches, hidden coves, quaint fishing harbours and a diverse range of birdlife and colourful flora.

August 29-30. Dartmouth J, England. Arrive 0900 on August 29. Depart 2000 on August 30.

This historic harbour town is a popular holiday spot thanks to its



Pictured clockwise from left: The colourful Dartmouth seafront; The seafront of St Mary's; Historic Blarney Castle

Elizabethan lanes full of listed buildings, the 19th-century embankment and a rich maritime history – the town contributed ships to defend against the Spanish Armada, and the Mayflower called here for repairs before her voyage to America in 1620. You'll arrive in town in time for the Dartmouth Regatta, so be sure to head to the bandstand for the opening ceremony on the 29th and enjoy a ceremonial Beating Retreat performance. The race itself takes place on the 30th and you can watch the dozens of sailing boats compete on the river, crossing the finish line right beside Saga Pearl II!

August 31. Dover, England. Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

SAVE up to 20% off the full fares – see page 96.

A SUMMER REGATTA aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **August 25, 2018.** Duration: **6 nights.** Cruise code: **P2209.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,503	£1,127	Inside	from	£1,961	£1,862
Outside	from	£1,699	£1,359	Outside	from	£2,549	£2,166
Superior	from	£2,745	£2,333	Superior	from	£4,412	£3,309
Suites	from	£3,660	£2,745	Suites	from	£6,972	£4,141

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Festive Hamburg

Departing: December 4, 2018
6 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

What better time to take in Germany's festive markets than on St Nicholas Day itself, when the children traditionally receive their gifts? Embrace the festive season and explore the Christmas markets of Bremen and Hamburg. Browse the stalls for unique handmade gifts and indulge yourself with freshly-baked gingerbread and hot glühwein - Christmas shopping doesn't get much better than this!

6 nights from £839

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £72 if not required^s

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required^s

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

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Hamburg's lively Christmas market

December 4. Portsmouth, England.

Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1700.

December 6. Bremerhaven (for Bremen), Germany. Arrive 0800. Depart 2000.

From Bremerhaven you can discover the Hanseatic city of Bremen, which becomes a sea of lights every December. More than 170 beautifully decorated stalls fill the famous Christmas market around the 15th-century town hall, now a UNESCO World Heritage Site, where you can rub shoulders with street entertainers, carollers and local craftsmen. Illuminations light the way on your hunt for traditional handicrafts or wrap up warm and head to one of the waterfront beer gardens for a glass of Beck's or a warming glühwein and admire the reflections of the festive lights dancing on the river. From Bremerhaven you'll also have the chance to join a tour to the Meyer Werft visitors' centre to see how our brand new ship is progressing.

December 7-8. Hamburg, Germany.

Arrive 1700 on December 7. Depart 1700 on December 8. Germany's second largest city is a cosmopolitan hub of art, dining and shopping. Every December Hamburg comes alive with a fabulous Christmas market held in the city's largest square, in front of its magnificent Town Hall. Beautifully decorated Christmas trees and traditional carousels decorate the area, and you can look forward to perusing stalls filled with Tyrolean woodcarvings, gingerbread from Nuremberg, and pottery, silver, and handcrafted decorations from all across Germany. Why not indulge in some festive stollen and a glass of something mulled? You may wish to combine your visit to the market with a tour of the city, taking in the 800-year-old port and Hamburg's most prominent landmark, the baroque St Michael's Church. **December 10. Portsmouth, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

SAVE up to 35% off the full fares – see page 96.

FESTIVE HAMBURG aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: **December 4, 2018.** Duration: **6 nights.** Cruise code: **P2216.**

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,199	£839
Outside	from	£1,559	£1,013
Superior	from	£2,518	£1,636
Suites	from	£3,297	£2,143

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£1,799	£1,169
Outside	from	£2,999	£1,520
Superior	from	£4,047	£2,630
Suites	from	£5,666	£3,682

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Further Afield

Looking to escape on a longer adventure? You can choose from a totally tropical Caribbean Christmas, or a crossing across the Atlantic to Canada during the most beautiful time of year – the annual fall. Just can't decide where to discover? We have a unique concept – a 'secret' cruise where we'll choose the destinations for you! Or for a once-in-a-lifetime voyage, don't miss our brand new itinerary sailing early 2019, a wildlife-packed adventure along the exotic coasts of Africa.





Festivities in the Caribbean

Departing: December 19, 2018
33 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Southampton

Enjoy the Christmas celebrations on board Saga Sapphire then cruise into the Caribbean to begin the New Year in style and to fulfil some of your ambitions and resolutions. How about kayaking amid mangroves or snorkelling above a coral reef? And if your resolution is to live life well, you'll enjoy a host of health, food and fitness workshops on board.

33 nights from £7,199

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £275 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

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Enjoy Christmas on board

December 19. Southampton, England.

Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1700.

December 23. Ponta Delgada, São Miguel, Portugal. Arrive 0800. Depart 1600. São Miguel is the largest island of the Azores and its capital, Ponta Delgada, lies on the southern coast. The island has a variety of natural formations for you to explore, including a crater lake known as the Lagoon of Fire, and Furnas Valley where geysers can be seen.

December 28-29. King's Wharf, Bermuda.

Arrive 0800 on December 28. Depart 0700 on December 29. King's Wharf has plenty to see, such as the National Museum of Bermuda, the Arts Centre and the Bermuda Craft Market. Perhaps hop aboard the trolley train for a tour of the dockyard, head south to see Somerset Bridge and Gibbs Hill Lighthouse, or go shopping at the Clocktower Mall. **New Year's Eve-New Year's Day. Nassau, Bahamas.**

Arrive 1300 on December 31. Depart 1700 on January 1. Capital of the Bahamas, Nassau has an attractive harbour, a mix of old world and colonial architecture and plenty of duty-free shopping. It's a relaxing place to begin the New Year - relaxing, that is, until the fireworks kick off and the carnival of the Junkanoo fills the streets of Nassau! **January 3. Grand Turk, Turk and Caicos.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Capital island of the Turks and Caicos, Grand Turk is where Christopher Columbus first made landfall on his voyage to the New World in 1492. For the chance to go snorkelling around a coral reef you can jump aboard a catamaran that will whisk you away to a private beach. **January 5. Road Town, Tortola.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. In the years after Columbus' discovery, Tortola proved to be a popular haunt for pirates who would ambush passing ships. Today you may wish to take a tour of the British Virgin Islands archipelago on

a guided boat trip or gain a bird's-eye view on a flight over many of the British Virgin Islands.

January 6. St John's, Antigua.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Ringed by coral reefs and said to boast 365 beaches, Antigua is the largest of the English-speaking Leeward Islands. See the 19th-century buildings of St John's, go kayaking through mangroves or take a helicopter flight over Montserrat to see the damage caused by the volcanic eruption of 1995. **January 7. Castries, St Lucia.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. The twin volcanic peaks of St Lucia's Les Pitons provide a dramatic backdrop to Castries, the capital. Explore the local markets, try your hand at sailing a yacht or enjoy a bird's eye view of the island's rainforest in an aerial tram.

January 8. Port of Spain, Trinidad and Tobago.

Arrive 0900. Depart 1900. Port of Spain is bordered by the Gulf of Paria and the Northern Range, which offers spectacular mountain and sea views. Perhaps go in search of wildlife during a kayaking trip through the mangroves or you could visit the Caroni Bird Sanctuary.

January 9. Bridgetown, Barbados.

Arrive 0900. Depart 2000. Barbados has long been renowned as the ultimate beach destination: a paradise of blue seas and golden beaches. Perhaps take a tram ride to Harrison's Cave or join a tour of St Nicholas Abbey, a plantation house with a museum and rum distillery.

January 17. Funchal, Madeira.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1630. Madeira is a mountainous island of breathtaking beauty. The capital Funchal is easily explored on foot and is packed with museums and markets. See more of the island by following the levada trails, or take a Tukxi to Reid's Hotel for afternoon tea. **January 21. Southampton, England.** Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

SAVE up to 25% off the full fares – see page 96.

FESTIVITIES IN THE CARIBBEAN aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: December 19, 2018. Duration: 33 nights. Cruise code: SA362.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£9,599	£7,199
Outside	from	£10,799	£7,559
Superior	from	£13,599	£9,518
Suites	from	£21,997	£14,298

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£16,499	£13,769
Superior	from	£20,997	£16,797

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Nova Scotia and St Lawrence in the Fall

Departing: September 21, 2018
28 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Dover

See the rich autumnal colours of Canada's Atlantic Coast at this beautiful time of year, look forward to overnight stops in Halifax, Montreal and Quebec, and perhaps enjoy some of the on board activities that will bring out your artistic side.

Capture the autumn foliage

Take the opportunity to pick up a paintbrush and capture the scenes in watercolour during sociable, informal painting classes on board.

28 nights from £6,276

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £208 if not required*

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required*

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.



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Pictured clockwise from left: The charming coastline of St John's; Rooftops of Quebec City; Horse and carriage is a great way to explore Quebec City;

September 21. Dover, England.

Embark Saga Sapphire. Depart 1800.

September 25. Ponta Delgada, São Miguel, Portugal. Arrive 1300. Depart 1800. São Miguel's capital Ponta Delgada is home to a wealth of Portuguese architecture. Go in search of the mineral water springs of the Fumas Valley, or travel to see the twin lakes of Sete Cidades.

September 30-October 1. Halifax, Canada.

Arrive 0800 on September 30. Depart 1330 on October 1. Explore Nova Scotia's historic capital and see the views from Fort George at the Citadel National Historic Site, take in Pier 21, and perhaps see personal effects salvaged from the Titanic at the Maritime Museum of the Atlantic. Moor here overnight. **October 2. Sydney, Canada.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Cape Breton Island is home to breathtaking scenery. Perhaps visit Cossitt House museum and Jost House museum to learn about the lives of their former inhabitants. Alternatively head for Baddeck to see the Alexander Graham Bell National Historic Site or travel to the Fortress of Louisbourg for a tour. **October 4. Havre-Saint-Pierre, Canada.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Sail up the Cabot Strait and along the Gulf of St Lawrence to Havre-Saint-Pierre. You may like to visit the Mingan Archipelago National Park, or perhaps ride to Île Quarry aboard a zodiac. **October 5-6. Quebec City, Canada.** Arrive 2359 on October 5. Depart 1900 on October 6. Quebec City has a commanding position on Cap Diamant overlooking the

St Lawrence River. Exploring by horse and carriage is a great way to uncover the UNESCO-listed Old Town and for a once-in-a-lifetime experience you could take in views of the city on a helicopter flight. **October 7-8. Montreal, Canada.** Arrive 0800 on October 7.

Depart 1700 on October 8. French-speaking Montreal has a distinctly European feel – see the Basilica of Notre-Dame-de-Bon-Secours and the Seminary of Saint-Sulpice. Alternatively join a panoramic coach trip into the Laurentians, where a cable car will take you to the summit.

October 10. Gaspé, Canada.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1700. Explorer Jacques Cartier landed in Gaspé in 1534 and claimed the land, dubbing it New France. While here perhaps visit Forillon National Park, or join a boat trip around the Parc National de l'Île-Bonaventure et du Rocher-Percé.

October 12. St John's, Newfoundland, Canada.

Arrive 0800. Depart 1900. North America's most easterly point, St John's is said to be the oldest settlement. From here you could join a hike to see more of the coastal scenery which in autumn is popular with berry pickers or view the coastline from a different perspective aboard a zodiac.

October 19. Southampton, England.

Arrive 0800. Disembark Saga Sapphire after breakfast.

Also on board... you'll be joined by representatives from ORCA, the foremost whale and dolphin conservation charity, who'll be holding regular whale-spotting sessions on deck.

Cabins selling fast

NOVA SCOTIA AND ST LAWRENCE IN THE FALL aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: September 21, 2018. Duration: 28 nights. Cruise code: SA357.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£7,384	£6,276
Outside	from	£8,189	£6,546
Superior	from	£10,460	£8,368
Suites	from	£15,990	£11,198

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside		SOLD OUT	
Superior		SOLD OUT	

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15,547 nautical miles

South African Farewell Adventure

Departing: February 16, 2019
54 nights aboard Saga Pearl II
Sailing from Portsmouth

Saga Pearl II's momentous final cruise is a 54-night journey that takes you to the southern shores of Africa while celebrating this elegant ship's nine years of Saga cruising.

54 nights from £7,379

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £298 if not required[§]

Including return chauffeur service to and from the port, or free car parking

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

A choice of wines at lunch and dinner

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Inspiring experiences: Spot colourful birdlife on an adventure into the mangroves of The Gambia • Watch the sun set over Cape Town's iconic Table Mountain • Kayak through the wetlands of iSimangaliso Wetland Park, home to turtles, crocodiles, hippo and hundreds of birds • Enjoy a tailor-made event in Cape Town to commemorate Saga Pearl II's final cruise.

February 16. Portsmouth, England. Embark Saga Pearl II. Depart 1600. **February 20. Funchal, Madeira.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1300. Walk along the island's levadas to appreciate its natural beauty. **February 21. Santa Cruz, Tenerife.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1600. Explore Mount Teide's sizeable crater or perhaps choose to visit some of the island's enchanting gardens. **February 24. Porto Grande (for Mindelo), Cape Verde.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Set on the island of São Vicente, a scenic tour is the perfect opportunity to see this island's breathtaking landscapes. **February 26. Banjul, Gambia.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Set off on an adventure into the mangroves of Oyster Creek. **March 5. Luanda, Angola.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Luanda is the capital of oil-rich Angola where you can visit the 16th-century San Miguel Fort and the Agostinho Neto Mausoleum. **March 10-11. Cape Town, South Africa.** Arrive 0700 on March 10. Depart 0030 on March 12. Look forward to a special event in Cape Town as part of our farewell celebrations. **March 13. Port Elizabeth, South Africa.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Today you can try to spot the 'big five' in the Pumba

Game Reserve or take a 4x4 ride through Addo Elephant Park. **March 14. East London, South Africa.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Browse the waterfront shops of Latimers Landing or travel to Inkwenkwezi Private Game Reserve. **March 16. Maputo, Mozambique.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1400. Explore the city or join a two-night overland excursion to Kruger National Park rejoining Saga Pearl II in Durban on March 18. **March 17. Richards Bay, South Africa.** Arrive 0700. Depart 2200. Seek out Hluhluwe Game Reserve's wildlife or go on a kayak safari in iSimangaliso Wetland Park. **March 18-19. Durban, South Africa.** Arrive 0800 on March 18. Depart 1300 on March 19. Explore lively Durban or head to Tala Game Reserve. **March 23. Luderitz, Namibia.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1600. Luderitz is famed for its colonial architecture and wildlife, including seals. **March 24. Walvis Bay, Namibia.** Arrive 0900. Depart 1800. From this bustling fishing town you can visit the nearby natural lagoon to see a wide variety of wading birds. **March 28. St Helena J.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Weather permitting, you'll have the rare opportunity to step ashore on this British Overseas Territory. **April 3. Dakar, Senegal.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Perhaps visit Lac Rose, the 'Pink Lake', join a trip to Gorée Island or take a tour of Dakar. **April 6. Las Palmas, Gran Canaria.** Arrive 0800. Depart 1800. Maybe join a forest walk in the company of a botanical guide. **April 9. Ferrol, Spain.** Arrive 1200. Depart 2000. What better way to end your cruise than with a visit to the final destination for thousands of pilgrims each year, Santiago de Compostela. **April 11. Portsmouth, England.** Arrive 0900. Disembark Saga Pearl II after breakfast.

Zebra are a common sight on safari

SAVE up to 35% off the full fares – see page 96.

SOUTH AFRICAN FAREWELL ADVENTURE aboard Saga Pearl II. Departing: February 16, 2019. Duration: 54 nights. Cruise code: P2224.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£11,353	£7,379
Outside	from	£14,759	£9,593
Superior	from	£22,138	£14,389
Suites	from	£31,221	£20,293

SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£17,030	£11,069
Outside	from	£22,139	£14,390
Superior	from	£30,316	£24,905
Suites	from	£53,643	£34,867

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Saga's Secret Cruise

Departing: November 27, 2018
21 nights aboard Saga Sapphire
Sailing from Southampton

Our unique Secret Cruise will whet your appetite for fun and adventure, as the itinerary is slowly revealed day by day, with the ports only announced once the ship has berthed. Perfect if you're looking for a cruise with a difference, it's great value too, as it includes an excursion at every port of call.

21 nights from £4,784

Including optional travel insurance or a reduction of £98 if not required[§]

ALL-INCLUSIVE*

Including return chauffeur service to the port, or free car parking

Selected drinks[#]

Optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or a reduction if not required[§]

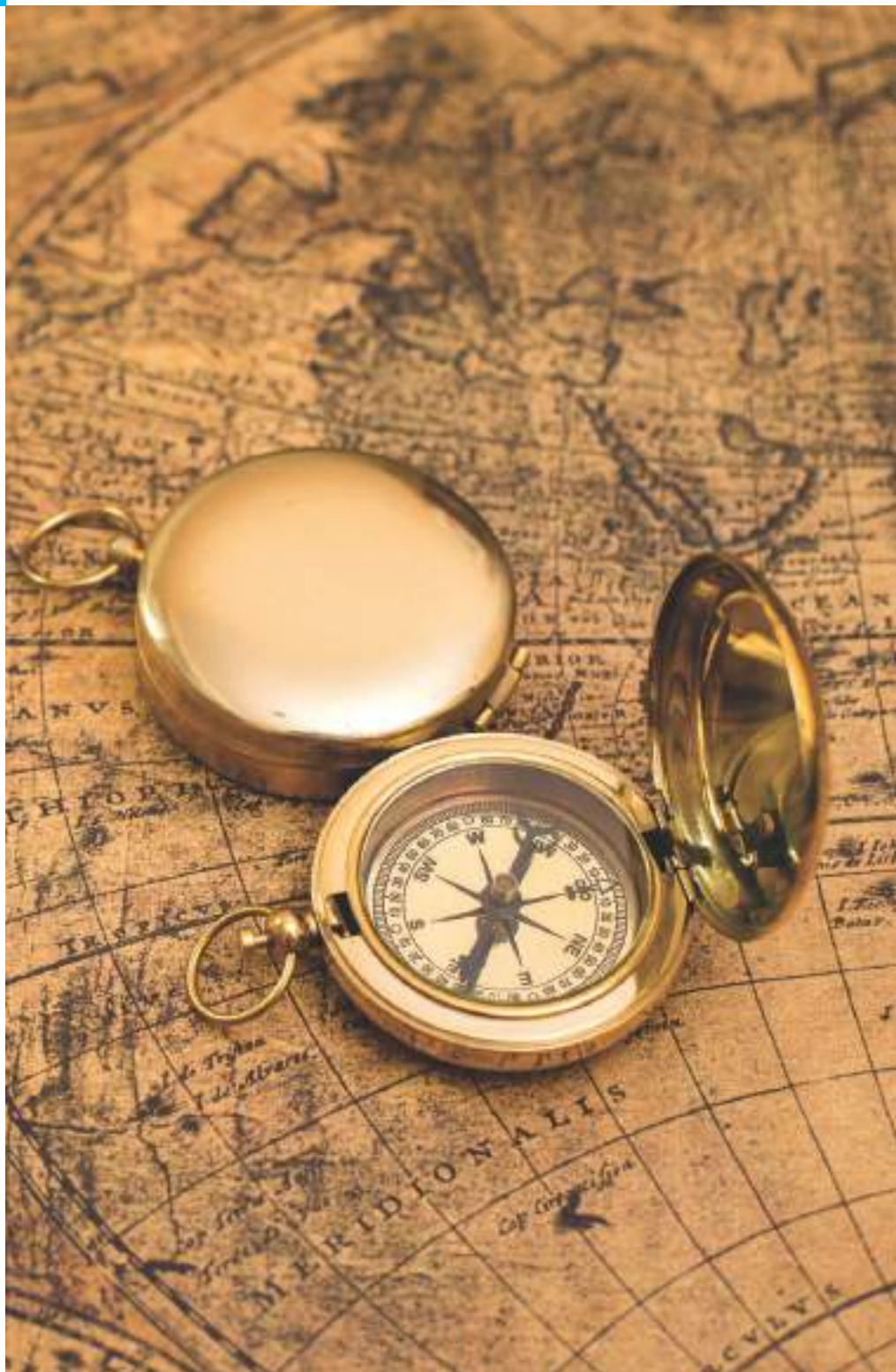
An excursion at every port of call

All gratuities on board

24-hour room service

Complimentary Wi-Fi

And more – see page 13 for details.



Your destination is a mystery...

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SAGA'S SECRET CRUISE aboard Saga Sapphire. Departing: **November 27, 2018**. Duration: **21 nights**. Cruise code: **SA361**.

DOUBLE/TWIN CABINS		Full fare	Current fare	SINGLE CABINS		Full fare	Current fare
Inside	from	£6,379	£4,784	Inside		SOLD OUT	
Outside	from	£7,749	£5,399	Outside	from	£10,027	£8,021
Superior	from	£9,058	£6,900	Superior	from	£14,787	£9,611
Suites	from	£14,200	£9,235				

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Please note: #All inclusive includes selected wines at lunch and dinner, Saga house-branded spirits, cocktails containing house-branded spirits, draught beer and lager, non-alcoholic cocktails, all mixers and soft drinks.

Saga Sapphire

A timeless ship with a modern twist.

No more than 720 passengers with 415 officers and crew

To make choosing your cabin as simple as possible, cabins are colour coded. That way, you can see at a glance the general location and facilities of the cabin grade you prefer.

Facilities include...

Ten passenger decks including promenade • Open and fixed seating in Pole to Pole restaurant • Lighter bites in The Grill

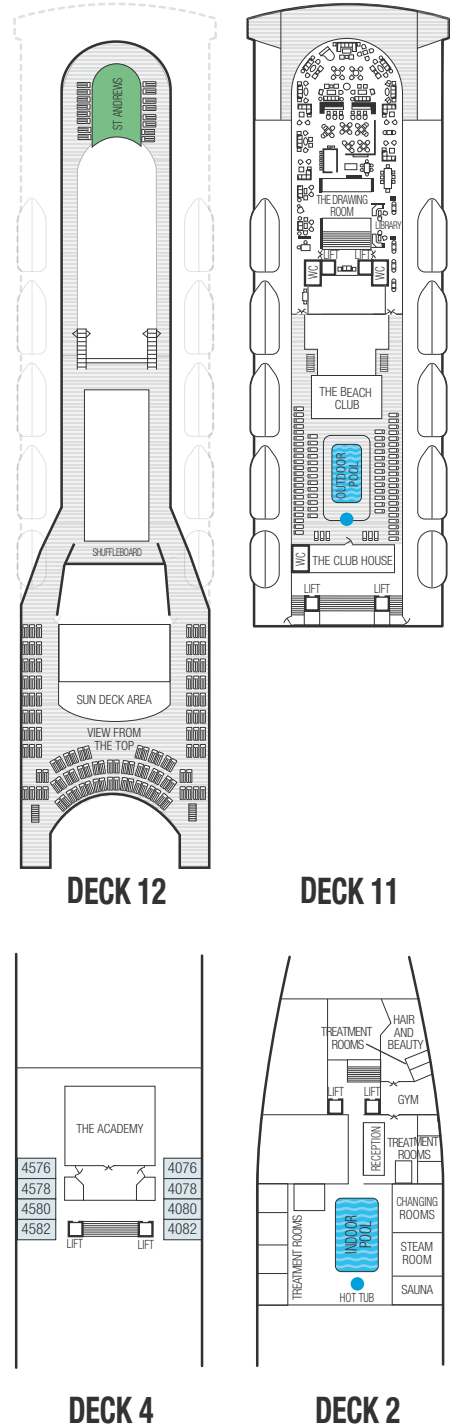
- Speciality East to West restaurant • Alfresco dining on the Verandah
- Three bars • The Drawing Room • The Beach Club which serves gourmet fish and chips, traditional sweets and ice cream • Two pools
- St Andrews crazy golf • Gymnasium • Aqua Spa • Hair and beauty salon • Library • The Academy computer and learning centre
- Three shops • The Club House games room • Photo gallery
- Four passenger lifts • 37,301-ton ship with 27.6-foot draft
- Air conditioned and stabilised • Last refurbishment 2016.



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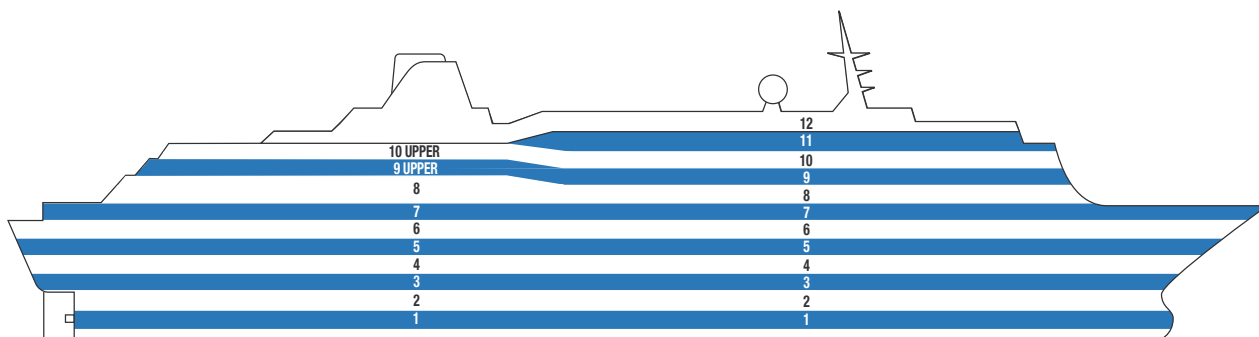
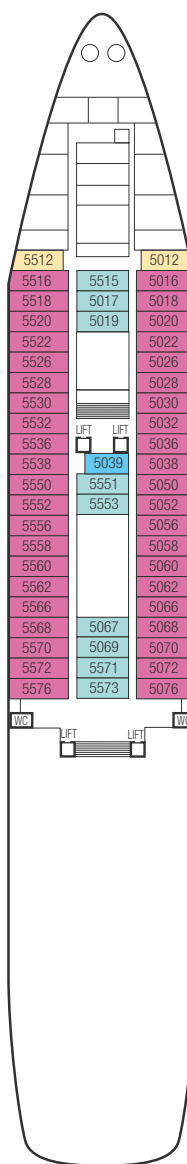
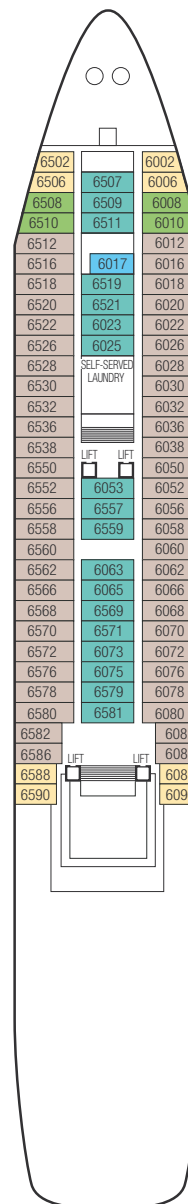
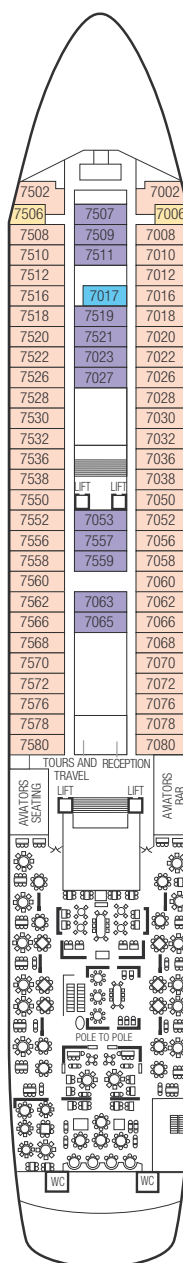
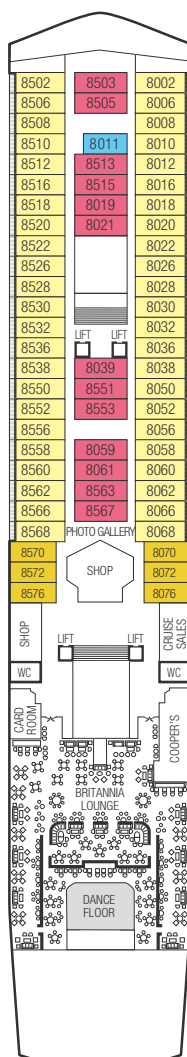
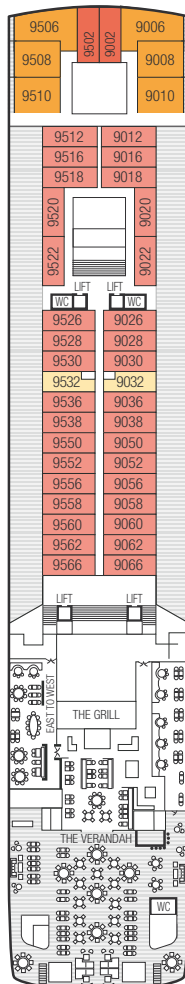
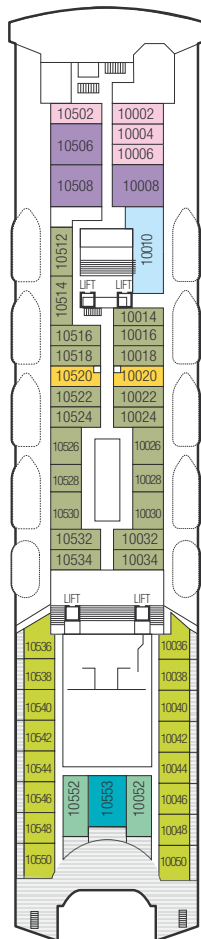
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CABIN GRADES AND NUMBERS			Deck
DOUBLE/TWIN SUITES			
A	Royal suite with balcony: 9006†, 9008†, 9010†, 9506†, 9508†, 9510†		9
B	Owner's suite with balcony: 10553^		10
C	Grand suite: 10010♦†		10
D	Suite: 10008*, 10506†, 10508*		10
E	Junior suite with balcony: 10052^, 10552^		10
DOUBLE/TWIN SUPERIOR			
F	Superior with balcony: 10036♦, 10038♦, 10040^, 10042^, 10044^, 10046^, 10048^, 10050♦, 10536^, 10538^, 10540^, 10542^, 10544^, 10546^, 10548^, 10550♦		10
G	Superior outside: 10002\$, 10004, 10006, 10502\$		10
H	Superior outside: 9012, 9016†, 9018†, 9020, 9022, 9026†, 9028†, 9030, 9036†, 9038†, 9050♦, 9052†, 9056†, 9058†, 9060†, 9062†, 9066†, 9512, 9516†, 9518†, 9520, 9522, 9526†, 9528†, 9530, 9536†, 9538†, 9550♦, 9552†, 9556†, 9558†, 9560†, 9562†, 9566†		9
I	Superior with balcony: 8002*, 8006*, 8008*, 8010*, 8012†, 8016†, 8018†, 8020†, 8022†, 8026†, 8028†, 8030†, 8032†, 8036†, 8038†, 8050†, 8052†, 8056†, 8058†, 8060†, 8062†, 8066†, 8068†, 8502*, 8506*, 8508*, 8510*, 8512†, 8516†, 8518†, 8520†, 8522†, 8526†, 8528†, 8530†, 8532†, 8536†, 8538†, 8550†, 8552†, 8556†, 8558†, 8560†, 8562†, 8566†, 8568†		8
DOUBLE/TWIN OUTSIDE			
J	Standard outside: 7002†, 7008†, 7010†, 7012†, 7016†, 7018†, 7020†, 7022†, 7026†, 7028†, 7030†, 7032†, 7036†, 7038, 7050♦, 7052, 7056♦, 7058♦, 7060, 7062†, 7066♦, 7068♦, 7070, 7072, 7076, 7078, 7080^, 7502†, 7508†, 7510†, 7512†, 7516†, 7518†, 7520†, 7522†, 7526†, 7528†, 7530†, 7532†, 7536†, 7538, 7550♦, 7552, 7556♦, 7558♦, 7560, 7562†, 7566♦, 7568♦, 7570, 7572, 7576, 7578, 7580^		7
K	Standard outside: 6012†, 6016†, 6018†, 6020†, 6022†, 6026†, 6028†, 6030†, 6032†, 6036†, 6038†, 6050, 6052†, 6056†, 6058†, 6060, 6062†, 6066♦, 6068†, 6070, 6072, 6076, 6078, 6080, 6082†, 6086†, 6512†, 6516†, 6518†, 6520†, 6522†, 6526†, 6528†, 6530†, 6532†, 6536†, 6538†, 6550, 6552†, 6556♦, 6558♦, 6560, 6562†, 6566♦, 6568†, 6570, 6572, 6576, 6578, 6580, 6582†, 6586†		6
L	Standard outside: 6008†, 6010†, 6508†, 6510♦		6
M	Standard outside: 5016†, 5018†, 5020†, 5022†, 5026†, 5028†, 5030†, 5032†, 5036†, 5038, 5050♦, 5052†, 5056♦, 5058♦, 5060♦, 5062, 5066, 5068, 5070, 5072, 5076, 5516†, 5518†, 5520†, 5522†, 5526†, 5528†, 5530†, 5532†, 5536†, 5538, 5550♦, 5552†, 5556♦, 5558♦, 5560♦, 5562, 5566, 5568, 5570, 5572, 5576		5
N	Standard outside: 10014†, 10016†, 10018†, 10022†, 10024†, 10026†, 10028†, 10030†, 10032†, 10034†, 10512†, 10514†, 10516†, 10518†, 10522†, 10524†, 10526†, 10528†, 10530†, 10532†, 10534†		10
DOUBLE/TWIN INSIDE			
Q	Standard inside: 8019, 8021, 8039, 8059♦, 8061^, 8503, 8505, 8513, 8515, 8551, 8553, 8563^, 8567♦		8
R	Standard inside: 7023, 7027, 7053, 7063, 7065, 7507, 7509, 7511, 7519, 7521, 7557, 7559		7
S	Standard inside: 6023, 6025, 6053, 6063, 6065, 6073, 6075, 6507, 6509, 6511, 6519, 6521, 6557, 6559, 6569, 6571, 6579, 6581		6
T	Standard inside: 5017, 5019, 5067, 5069, 5515, 5551, 5553, 5571, 5573		5
SINGLE SUPERIOR			
HS	Superior single outside: 9002†, 9502†		9
IS	Superior single outside: 8070, 8072†, 8076†, 8570, 8572†, 8576†		8
SINGLE OUTSIDE			
LS	Standard single outside: 5012†, 5512†		5
	Standard single outside: 6002†, 6006†, 6088†, 6090†, 6502†, 6506†, 6588†, 6590†		6
	Standard single outside: 7006†, 7506†		7
	Standard single outside: 9032†, 9532†		9
NS	Standard single outside: 10020†, 10520†		10
PS	Standard single outside: 4076, 4078, 4080, 4082, 4576, 4578, 4580, 4582		4
SINGLE INSIDE			
US	Standard single inside: 5039		5
	Standard single inside: 6017†		6
	Standard single inside: 7017†		7
	Standard single inside: 8011†		8
KEY: †Bath with shower over. ^Separate bath and shower. All other cabins have shower only.			
*Twin beds or king-size bed. ♦Double bed only. ^Wheelchair adapted cabin. †Obstructed view. \$Partially obstructed view. This table is a guide only. Alterations may be necessary from time to time after publication.			



The Medical Centre is located on Deck 4 and is accessible by the forward lift and stairs.

Cabins shown on the plan are for 2017 cruises only. Deck plans are for guidance only, are not to scale, and are subject to change or alteration. Please note: The grading system for Saga Sapphire is not directly comparable to Saga Pearl II.



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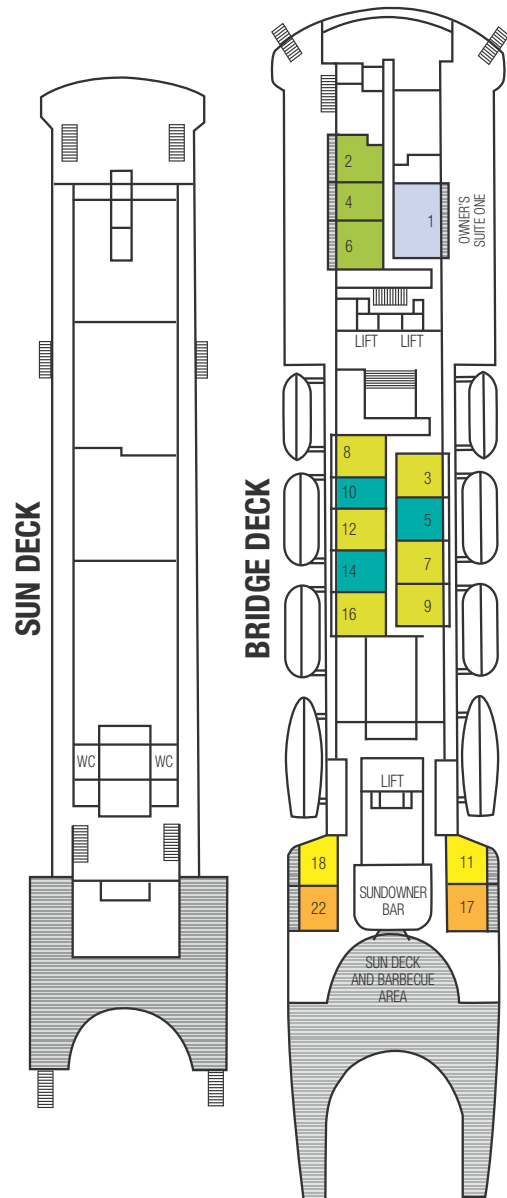
Facilities include...

Seven passenger decks • Waiter-served meals in the Dining Room • Open and fixed seating dining • Buffet breakfasts and lunches with waiter-served evening meals in the Verandah • Occasional intimate dining in the Chart and Ward Rooms • Three bars • Two pools • Small cinema • Gymnasium • Spa • Hair and beauty salon • Library • Shop • Card room • Three passenger lifts • 18,591-ton ship with 20-foot draught • Air conditioned and stabilised • Last refurbishment 2015

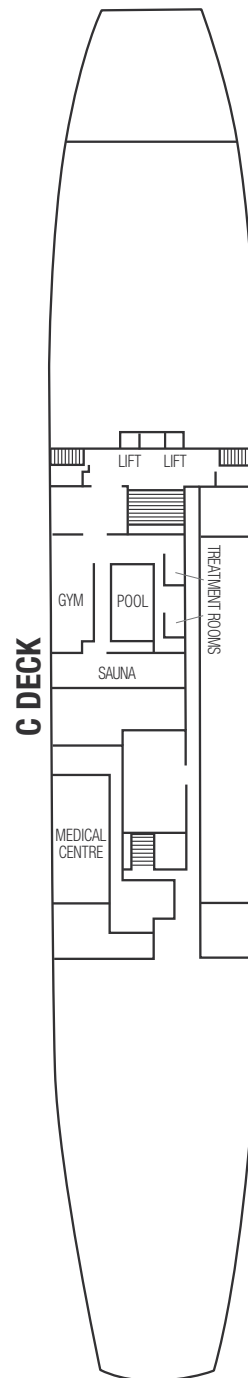
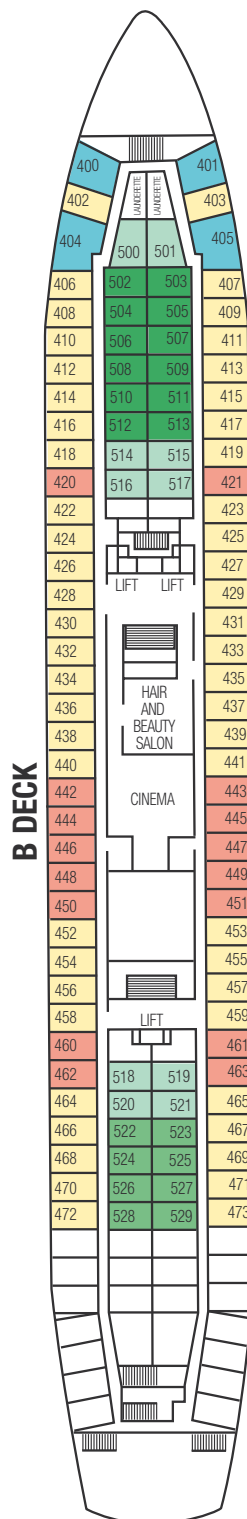
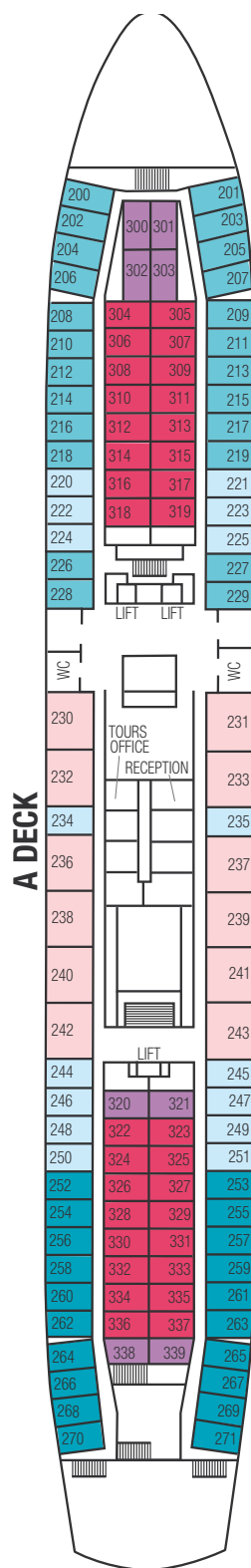
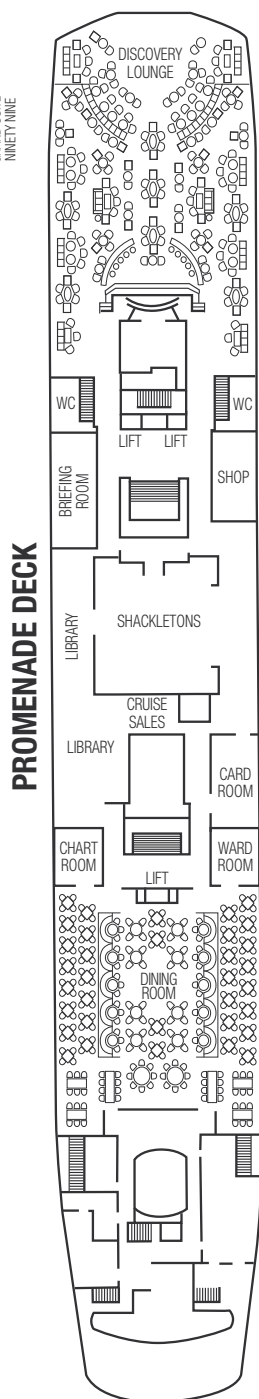
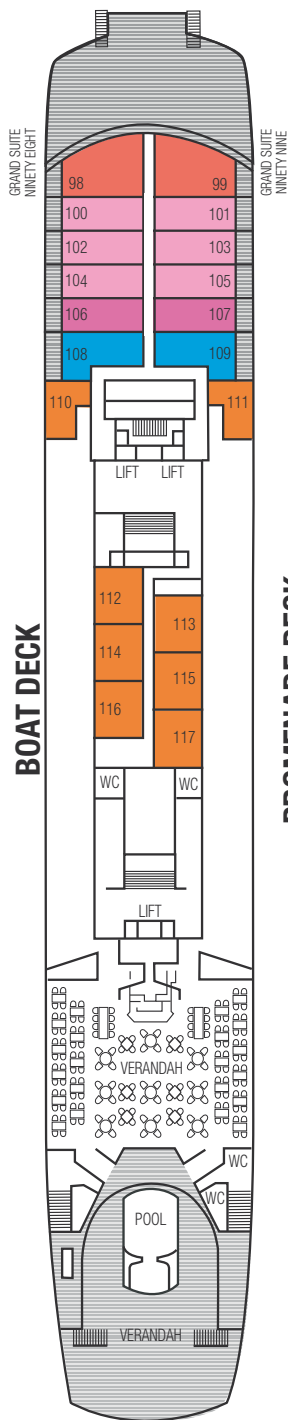


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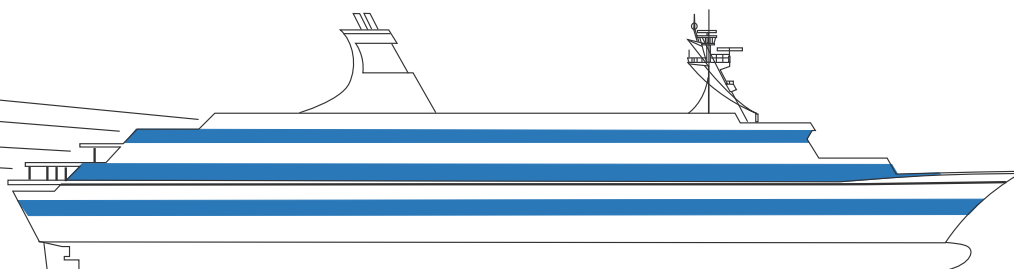
CABIN GRADES AND NUMBERS		Deck
DOUBLE/TWIN SUITES		
A	Grand suite with balcony: 98#•, 99#•	Boat
B	Owner's suite with terrace: 1#†	Bridge
C	Suite with balcony: 108#•, 109#•	Boat
D	Junior suite with terrace: 2\$†, 4\$†*, 6\$†	Bridge
E	Junior suite with balcony: 100\$#, 101\$#, 102\$#, 103\$#, 104\$#, 105\$#	Boat
DOUBLE/TWIN SUPERIOR		
F	Two-bed superior with balcony: 17*•, 22*•	Bridge
G	Two-bed superior with French door: 3\$†¥, 7\$†¥, 8\$†¥, 9\$†¥, 12\$†¥, 16\$†¥	Bridge
H	Two-bed superior outside: 110\$, 111\$, 112\$†*, 113\$†*, 114\$†, 115\$†, 116\$†, 117\$†	Boat
I	Two-bed superior outside: 230\$*, 231\$*, 236\$, 237\$, 238\$, 239\$, 240\$, 241\$, 242\$, 243\$ Two-bed superior special needs: 232^, 233^	A Deck
DOUBLE/TWIN OUTSIDE		
K	Two-bed standard outside: 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208*, 209*, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216*, 217*, 218*, 219*, 226, 227, 228, 229 400, 401, 404, 405	A Deck B Deck
KK	Two-bed standard outside: 252*, 253*, 254*, 255*, 256*, 257*, 258*, 259*, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271	A Deck
L	Two-bed standard outside: 402, 403, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412*, 413*, 414*, 415*, 416*, 417*, 418*, 419*, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430*, 431*, 432*, 433*, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 464, 465*, 466, 467, 468*, 469*, 470*, 471*, 472, 473	B Deck
DOUBLE/TWIN INSIDE		
M	Two-bed standard inside: 304*, 305*, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314*, 315*, 316, 317, 318, 319*, 322, 323, 324*, 325*, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337	A Deck
P	Two-bed standard inside: 502*, 503*, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512*, 513*	B Deck
PP	Two-bed standard inside: 522, 523, 524*, 525*, 526, 527, 528, 529	B Deck
SINGLE SUITES		
BS	Single suite with balcony: 11*•, 18*•	Bridge
CS	Single suite with balcony: 106\$, 107\$	Boat
SINGLE SUPERIOR		
GS	Superior single with French door: 5\$†¥, 10\$†¥, 14\$†¥	Bridge
SINGLE OUTSIDE		
KS	Standard single outside: 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 234, 235, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251	A Deck
LS	Standard single outside: 420, 421, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 460, 461, 462, 463	B Deck
SINGLE INSIDE		
MS	Standard single inside: 300, 301, 302, 303, 320, 321, 338, 339	A Deck
PS	Standard single inside: 500, 501, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521	B Deck
KEY: •Bath with separate shower and wc. \$Bath with overhead shower and wc. All other cabins have shower and wc. ^Wheelchair adapted cabin. #Twin beds or king-size bed. *Double bed only. †Partially obstructed view. ‡Obstructed view. ¥Glass door to Promenade shared with G and GS grade cabins. Most single cabins are twin cabins made available for sole occupancy. These cabin grades and deck plans are a guide only. Alterations may be necessary after publication.		



Deck plans are for guidance only, are not to scale, and are subject to change or alteration. Please note: The grading system for Saga Pearl II is not directly comparable to Saga Sapphire.



- Sun Deck
- Bridge Deck
- Boat Deck
- Promenade Deck
- A Deck
- B Deck
- C Deck



Money savers

	On-board credit for newcomers to Saga Cruising			
Cabin grades	SA339 & SA344	SA335, SA345, P2197 & P2198	SA338, SA343 & P2195	SA337, SA342 & P2199
Saga Sapphire: T to Q and US Saga Pearl II: PP to M and PS to MS	£25	£50	£75	£100
Saga Sapphire: N to J and PS to LS Saga Pearl II: L to K and LS to KS	£50	£75	£100	£150
Saga Sapphire: I to F and IS to HS Saga Pearl II: I to F and GS	£75	£100	£200	£300
Saga Sapphire: E to A Saga Pearl II: E to A and CS to BS	£150	£200	£300	£500

The above on-board credit amounts are per person, and cannot be combined with any other offer (except the consecutive cruise discount). Any unused credit is non-refundable and non-transferable. No cash alternative. Offer is applicable to new bookings only - for any existing bookings disadvantaged by this offer, the Price Promise will apply. Savings are not applicable on Inside/ Outside Guarantees. By Saga Cruising we mean any cruises aboard Saga Rose, Saga Ruby, Saga Sapphire, Saga Pearl, Saga Pearl II, Spirit of Adventure or Quest for Adventure.

How our discounts work

On all cruises we set aside a number of cabins within each grade at a discounted fare, with the highest discount of 35% available on selected grades. These cabins are sold on a first come, first served basis. As cabins are sold, the discount begins to reduce, and continues to reduce, until those selected cabins are sold. This means that the earlier you book, the higher the chance of securing a greater discount. Our price panels clearly show the full cruise price, along with the current discounted fare.

Please note: During busy periods for holiday bookings, the early booking discount can reduce rapidly, and although the price panels are correct at the time of going to press we cannot guarantee that the discounted fares will still be available when you book. Your agent will be able to advise the best fares when you book. This brochure includes cruises which have been previously advertised at a discount, therefore the cabin availability at the offer prices may now be limited. We recommend that you book early to benefit from the best booking discounts and to secure your preferred cabin and grade. When promoting new cruises for the first time, we contact customers on our Advance Registration list first, allowing them to secure the cabin of their choice and benefit from the best savings. Our brochures are then sent out to loyalty club members first, followed by past cruisers and then everyone else.

Our Price Promise

Should we ever cut our prices or bring in a new special offer later on, we'll work out the difference and pass the value of the saving back to you.

Please note: This applies as long as the discounted holiday is the same package offered under the same terms of sale (which means the full terms that apply to your holiday contract, including your cabin grade and whether your cabin is allocated at the time of booking or at embarkation). Optional ad-hoc services are excluded. In calculating any possible saving due, we'll take into consideration all offers and discounts that were applied at the time of booking and compare the overall price that you've been charged with the current price. For cruises, we will pass on the value of the saving in the form of a higher grade cabin, on-board credit or other value added benefit.

Inside/Outside Guarantees

The traditional way to book a cruise is to reserve your cabin number at the time of booking. However, if you've decided what type of cabin you want, but don't have a preference for a particular cabin or bed configuration, then our Inside/Outside Guarantees could be for you. You are guaranteed the minimum grade cabin in the category shown, just not the specific cabin. This will be allocated to you later on, sometimes as you embark the ship. If you choose not to accept your allocated cabin, which could be located anywhere on the ship, this is treated as a cancellation. There is the chance you may be upgraded, although this is subject to cabin availability and in no way forms part of this offer. Note that twin cabins may have two single beds or a double bed. To see the prices of our Inside/Outside Guarantees, look out for the ‡ symbol in the price panels.

Insurance policy

Because it's important to be adequately insured when you travel abroad, we offer optional comprehensive travel insurance, provided by Cigna Insurance Services (Europe) Limited, and additional cancellation rights with all our overseas holidays. If you are suffering from, or in the last 12 months have suffered from, an illness that has required treatment from a doctor, you must advise us and we'll confirm whether you can be covered under this insurance. A full summary of the optional travel insurance will be provided with your booking confirmation. Cover is available to UK residents only and subject to medical screening. Terms and conditions apply. If you have your own insurance, we will offer you the holiday at a lower price – please speak to your agent for further details.

Love it first time

Available to guests that have not previously cruised aboard Saga Rose, Saga Pearl, Saga Ruby, Quest for Adventure, Spirit of Adventure, Saga Pearl II or Saga Sapphire, and are booking their first Saga ocean cruise aboard Saga Sapphire or Saga Pearl II sailing April 2017 to March 2018 – and we guarantee you will love your first cruise, or will refund your fare! To take advantage of the guarantee you must state your intention on board to the Hotel Director during the first 72 hours of your cruise at the latest (for cruises seven nights or over; during the first 48 hours for cruises under seven nights). They will endeavour to resolve any issues; if a solution cannot be agreed, Saga will cover costs for your return transport home at the next available port, and refund the fare that you have paid for your cruise (we will not refund any costs you have incurred for items not purchased directly through Saga, such as overnight accommodation or third-party insurance). The guarantee does not affect Saga's standard booking conditions or pre-departure cancellation policy. Further terms and conditions may apply.

Discounts and benefits for Saga Platinum credit card holders



The Saga Platinum credit card includes a number of great features as standard – some make it particularly beneficial when it comes to planning and going on holidays.

Well suited to a Saga ocean cruise

- If you use your Saga Platinum credit card to pay for your Saga ocean cruise, you will be charged a credit card booking fee of only 1% (compared to 2% for other credit cards)
- While on your Saga ocean cruise, we offer a discount on incidentals charged to your cabin when you use your Saga Platinum credit card to settle your bill. These include items such as food, drinks, telephone calls and laundry.

The Representative APR on the Saga Platinum Credit Card is 11.9% APR (variable).

For more information on the Saga Platinum credit card, please see the Essential information page in this brochure or visit saga.co.uk/creditcard

Savings on consecutive cruises

When you book two or more consecutive cruises you can make further savings of 10% off the combined current fares at the time of booking (after the relevant booking discounts and any other offers have been applied), making a longer voyage greater value for money.

A note about special offers

The offers in this brochure supersede any previously advertised offers and unless stated otherwise cannot be combined. Offers are applicable to new bookings only and for any existing booking disadvantaged by new offers, the Price Promise will apply. Saga reserves the right to extend, reduce or withdraw offers at any time without notice.



Booking conditions

Holiday and cruise booking terms and conditions

Your contract is with ST&H Ltd, trading as Saga Holidays or with Saga Cruises Ltd for cruises aboard Saga Pearl II and Saga Sapphire ('Saga' or 'we' or 'our' or 'us'). For cruises aboard Saga's vessels Saga Sapphire and Saga Pearl II, ST&H Ltd acts as agent for Saga Cruises Ltd, the ships owner and your contract is with Saga Cruises Ltd and subject to these booking conditions. These terms and conditions, along with the documents referred herein, apply to your holiday booked and form your contract with us. It is important that you read these conditions as they not only define our obligations to you but also impose some important commitments upon you. If any part of these booking conditions is found by any court or administrative body of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unenforceable, such invalidity will not affect the other provisions which shall remain in full force and effect.

1. Your holiday contract

When making a booking you guarantee that you have the authority to accept, and do accept on behalf of your party, the terms of these booking conditions. Your contract is created when you confirm your holiday, you pay either a deposit or the full balance due and we issue a confirmation invoice. It is your responsibility to check the accuracy of the details you provide upon booking, ensuring passenger name details exactly match passport details. If any of the details on the confirmation invoice are incorrect, you must notify us immediately. We will pass on any additional charges incurred as a result of these details not being correct. We reserve the right to refuse to accept and/or not proceed with any booking at any time at our sole discretion. This contract is governed by English law and the jurisdiction of the English courts. A complaint may be referred to arbitration – see section 10.

2. Age qualification

Saga holidays and cruises are for anyone aged 50 or over. A travelling companion or family member travelling with you may be aged 40 or over. Please note there may be non-Saga guests (including children) in residence during your holiday, for whose behaviour we cannot accept responsibility.

3. Your financial protection

Saga Holidays is a trading name of ST&H Ltd. ST&H Ltd and Saga Cruises Ltd are members of ABTA, with membership numbers W8164 and W8179 respectively. ABTA and ABTA members help holidaymakers to get the most from their travel and assist them when things do not go according to plan. Saga is obliged to maintain a high standard of service to you by ABTA's Code of Conduct. For further information about ABTA, the Code of Conduct and the arbitration scheme available to you if you have a complaint, contact ABTA, 30 Park Street, London SE1 9EQ. Tel 020 3117 0500 or visit abta.com

ST&H Ltd also holds an Air Travel Organiser's Licence issued by the Civil Aviation Authority (ATOL number 0308). All the flights and flight-inclusive holidays are financially protected by the ATOL scheme. When you pay you will be supplied with an ATOL Certificate. Please ask for it and check to ensure that everything you have booked (flights, hotels and other services) is listed on it. For more information about financial protection and the ATOL Certificate go to: www.atol.org.uk/ATOLCertificate

We, or the suppliers identified on your ATOL Certificate, will provide you with the services listed on the ATOL Certificate (or a suitable alternative). In some cases, where neither we nor the supplier are able to do so for reasons of insolvency, an alternative ATOL holder may provide you with the services you have bought or a suitable alternative (at no extra cost to you). You agree to accept that in those circumstances the alternative ATOL holder will perform those obligations and you agree to pay any money outstanding to be paid by you under your contract to that alternative ATOL holder. However, you also agree that in some cases it will not be possible to appoint an alternative ATOL holder, in which case you will be entitled to make a claim under the ATOL scheme (or your credit card issuer where applicable).

If we, or the suppliers identified on your ATOL Certificate are unable to provide the services listed (or a suitable alternative, through an alternative ATOL holder or otherwise) for reasons of insolvency, the Trustees of the Air Travel Trust may make a payment to (or confer a benefit on) you under the ATOL scheme. You agree that in return for such a payment or benefit you assign absolutely to those Trustees any claims which you have or may have arising out of or relating to the non-provision of the services, including any claim against us, the travel agent (or your credit card issuer where applicable). You also agree that any such claims may be re-assigned to another body, if that other body has paid sums you have claimed under the ATOL scheme.

Holiday organisers are required by law to state arrangements for the repatriation of customers in the event of insolvency. In the unlikely event of Saga becoming insolvent the CAA/ABTA will ensure that you are not stranded abroad and you would be refunded any money that you have already paid us. Items not purchased through Saga will not be protected under the Saga ABTA or ATOL licences. ST&H Ltd is also licensed by the Irish Commission for Aviation Regulation (Licence No. T. A. 0598) to carry on business in the Republic of Ireland as a travel agent.

Delay cover: If you are delayed at point of departure, we will do our best to arrange meals plus accommodation on overnight delays.

4. Your holiday price

Price

Holiday prices can be influenced by taxes such as air passenger duty, aircraft insurance, security, fuel and other associated costs. Our prices are affected by these, as well as exchange rates, suppliers' costs and economic trends. The guide prices shown in our brochures are based on current charges and costs but they may go up or down. We reserve the right to alter the prices of any of the holidays shown in our brochures and will notify you of the current price prior to any booking – please call us or visit our website for the most up-to-date prices. Our holidays, and the prices at which they are advertised, are based on flight availability and a limited number of specially negotiated prices at the time of going to print; they are always subject to availability and flight supplements may apply. You will be advised of any differences to any elements of the holiday, including the price, before your booking is confirmed. Once booked, the cost of your holiday cannot be increased unless you amend your booking. However, Saga reserves the right not to be legally bound in the case of incorrect pricing and acknowledgement of such an error does not mean acceptance of it. Please note that local taxes are not included within the holiday package and where necessary these will need to be paid locally by you. We will wherever possible advise you at the time of booking if these apply, but please bear in mind that local taxes may be imposed after you have made your booking. Should you choose not to proceed, this will be treated as a cancellation (see "If you cancel your holiday arrangements").

Optional ad-hoc services

We provide you with the option to specifically request extras which are in addition to or adaptations of our standard packages. Prices for extensions, extra accommodation, upgrades, additional flights that are not part of a standard Saga allocation and domestic flights ('ad-hoc services') can vary depending on when you book. Please note that adding an ad-hoc service may result in additional charges to our standard packages due to changes in flight dates, changes to our standard allocated accommodation periods and additional costs passed to us from third party suppliers. You will be notified of the total price of your holiday prior to booking and any increase to your deposit. Please note where a flight upgrade has been booked and there is a change of airline prior to your departure date it may not be possible to offer an equivalent upgrade or there may be an additional cost payable. In this situation we will offer you the opportunity to revert to economy class and refund you the cost of the upgrade, pay any additional costs for the equivalent upgrade or cancel with a full refund of all monies paid. Compensation will not be payable.

Price Promise (Saga Pearl II and Saga Sapphire only)

Should we ever cut our prices or bring in a new special offer later on (optional ad-hoc services are excluded), we'll work out the difference and pass the value of the saving back to you. This applies as long as the discounted holiday is the same package offered under the same terms of sale (which means the full terms that apply to your holiday contract, including your cabin grade and whether your cabin is allocated at the time of booking or at embarkation). In calculating any possible saving due, we'll take into consideration all offers and discounts that were applied at the time of booking and compare the overall price that you've been charged with the current price. We will pass on the value of the saving in the form of a higher grade cabin, on-board credit or other value added benefit.

Exchange rates

Prices are based on exchange rates published in the Financial Times World Currency Guide on Monday February 20, 2017. The applicable rates were as follows: Australian dollar 1.6216, Canadian dollar 1.6298, Caribbean dollar 3.3565, euro 1.1695, Japanese yen 140.2581, New Zealand dollar 1.7291, South African rand 16.2806, Swiss franc 1.2445, Thai baht 43.4983, US dollar 1.2431. Prices for cruises aboard Saga Sapphire departing between January 10, 2017 and April 12, 2017 and for cruises aboard Saga Pearl II departing between January 6, 2017 and April 10, 2017 are based on the following exchange rates published in the Financial Times World Currency Guide on Monday June 8, 2015: East Caribbean dollar 4.1156, euro 1.3721, Norwegian krone 12.1288, US dollar 1.5243. Prices for cruises aboard Saga Sapphire departing between April 13, 2017 and January 6, 2018 and for cruises aboard Saga Pearl II departing between April 11, 2017 and January 7, 2018 are based on the following exchange rates published in the Financial Times World Currency Guide on Monday January 18, 2016: Canadian dollar 2.0727, Danish krone 9.7510,

euro 1.3065, Norwegian krone 12.6070, Swedish krona 12.2663, US dollar 1.4309. Prices for cruises aboard Saga Sapphire departing between January 7, 2018 and April 2, 2018 and for cruises aboard Saga Pearl II departing between January 8, 2018 and April 2, 2018 are based on exchange rates published in the Financial Times World Currency Guide on Monday July 11, 2018. The applicable rates were as follows: euro 1.1745, Norwegian krone 11.0737, US dollar 1.296. Prices for cruises aboard Saga Sapphire departing between April 3, 2018 and January 19, 2019 and for cruises aboard Saga Pearl II departing between April 3, 2018 and January 3, 2019 are based on exchange rates published in the Financial Times World Currency Guide on Monday February 20, 2017. The applicable exchange rates were as follows: Canadian dollar 1.6298, Danish krone 8.6933, euro 1.1695, Norwegian krone 10.3626, Swedish krona 11.0611, US dollar 1.2431

5. Paying for your holiday

When you book your holiday, you must pay a deposit payment. Unless you are otherwise advised, bookings made within the balance due date must be paid in full at the time of booking and we cannot confirm your booking until full payment is received. Payment can be paid by credit card, debit card or by cheque.

Deposits

The following deposits are payable per person when you book your holiday:

Europe and the Mediterranean and river cruises – £150 or 10% of the holiday cost, whichever is the greater.

Long haul – £175 or 10% of the holiday cost, whichever is the greater.

UK holidays – £60 (plus £8.50 if you require our optional insurance and additional cancellation rights). (See Additional cancellation rights in Section 8).

Ocean cruises – £200 or 15% of the holiday cost, whichever is the greater, up to a maximum of £1,000.

Certain holidays may require a higher deposit or full payment. You will be advised if this is the case at the time of booking.

Balance due date

The balance of the price of your booking must be paid before your departure date. The holiday you have chosen determines when you need to pay the balance. The balance is due at least:

90 days before departure for a Saga ocean cruise aboard Saga Sapphire or Saga Pearl II

56 days before departure for holidays in mainland Britain of five nights or more

28 days before departure for holidays in mainland Britain of less than five nights, and for Christmas and New Year holidays in mainland Britain

75 days before departure for all other holidays

unless otherwise stated at the time of booking and stated on your confirmation invoice. If the balance is not paid in time, we reserve the right to cancel your travel arrangements and retain your deposit paid to cover costs that we have incurred.

Credit card and cheque fees

There is no charge for payments made by debit card.

Payments by credit card and American Express are subject to a transaction fee of 2% (or 1% if you're using a Saga Platinum credit card).

Each cheque is subject to a £3 administrative charge and should be made payable to Saga Holidays with your name, address and booking references written on the back. Please send cheques to Saga Holidays, Enbrook Park, Folkestone, Kent CT20 3SE.

Refunds

If you are entitled to any refunds relating to your booking, this will go to the lead passenger who made the booking, usually by the same payment method that was used to pay Saga. In the case of card payment, refund(s) will be made to the appropriate card account(s). If a payment has been made in the form of a voucher any refund, if applicable, will be refunded by voucher. Any fees incurred when making a payment will not be refunded unless Saga causes the cancellation. No refund is available after your departure date if you take part of the holiday only, or vary or extend the holiday arrangements.

6. Transfers and changes to your holiday

Transfers and changes to special offers are not permitted.

Insufficient bookings

If we need to cancel your holiday due to insufficient support we reserve the right to do so and will notify you before the balance due date.

Transferring your booking

If you are genuinely prevented from taking the holiday, you may transfer your booking to another suitable person who is able to comply with these conditions, which will still apply. Both you and the person you are transferring to shall be responsible for paying all costs incurred by us in arranging the transfer, plus any charges imposed upon us.

If you change your holiday arrangements

If you wish to change your travel arrangements, for example, your accommodation, we will do our utmost to make these changes but they cannot be guaranteed. A single supplement may apply if changing from twin to single occupancy. For cruises, if you wish to change your cabin grade or amend to a cabin allocated on departure, cancellation charges will apply as detailed opposite. If you wish to change the departure date of your holiday or cruise, you will need to cancel your existing holiday and re-book the new one – cancellation charges will apply as detailed opposite.

Any request for a change must be from the person who made the booking. If you make changes before the balance due date, you will be asked to pay an administrative charge of £20 per person for all UK holidays; £25 per person for all Saga ocean cruise holidays aboard Saga Sapphire or Saga Pearl II; and £40 per person for all other holidays, for each amendment, plus further charges we may incur in making this alteration. Please note some alterations may incur a 100% cancellation charge for that element of your travel arrangements. Any changes you make after the balance due date will be treated as a cancellation by you, and cancellation charges will apply (as set out in the table opposite).

If you cancel your holiday arrangements

If you, or any member of your party, need to cancel your travel arrangements at any time, you must inform us in writing before the departure date. The letter of cancellation should be signed by the first named person on the holiday confirmation invoice, which must be returned along with any travel tickets received. Please send to Cancellations, Enbrook Park, Folkestone, Kent, CT20 3SE. If you are cancelling within 14 days of your departure date please telephone us on 0800 092 0920 (0800 068 5058 for river cruises). The cancellation will be effective from the date it is received at our offices. As we incur costs in cancelling your travel arrangements, you must pay the applicable cancellation charges as per the table opposite. We will deduct the cost of any UK connecting or domestic flights. Customers who have included the optional travel insurance, benefit from additional cancellation rights (see 'Additional cancellation rights' under Section 8).

For holidays in mainland Britain, if you have to cancel your holiday because of illness or death of you or a member of your party, we will refund all your holiday payments except for a handling fee of £60 per person, provided we receive a valid medical certificate.

If we change your holiday arrangements

Occasionally we may have to make changes and we reserve the right to do so at any time. 'Minor Change' means that there has been a small change to your holiday. Minor changes include, but are not limited to a change in airline carrier; closing of hotel facilities for improvement; flights becoming indirect; building works; change to advertised amenities; change to itineraries; change to included and optional excursions and entertainment.

'Major Change' these include, but are not limited to a significant change of resort or holiday duration, where your stay is three nights or more; a change of accommodation to that of a lower Q or Berlitz rating category for three or more nights; a change in departure date; a change of departure airport (except between London airports, between Birmingham and East Midlands airports, between Sheffield, Doncaster, Manchester and Leeds Bradford airports, or between Liverpool and Manchester); or your cruise being cancelled by the cruise company or shipping line.

'Force Majeure' means an event, which due to unusual and unforeseeable circumstances is beyond our control, the consequences of which could not have been avoided even if all due care had been exercised. These include, but are not limited to: actual or expected war, riots, civil strife, terrorist activity, Government action or restraint, industrial disputes, natural or nuclear disasters, fire, adverse weather conditions including hurricanes, changing water levels or closure of locks, epidemics, health risks, unavoidable technical problems with transport, damage and accidents from machinery or engines, closed or congested airports.

The Saga holiday promise

We plan the holiday arrangements many months in advance and, although unlikely, we may need to make changes and we reserve the right to do so at any time. We shall endeavour to advise you of Minor Changes as soon as we are aware of them or when we send you your final tickets. Please note we will not pay compensation or offer alternative options if we make a Minor Change. If we make a Major Change to your holiday, we will inform you as soon as reasonably possible. If there is time before your departure, you will have the choice of either accepting the change of arrangements,

For all holidays to Europe and the Mediterranean, Travellers World holidays, river cruises, non Saga ocean cruises and holidays in Ireland, the Channel Islands or Isles of Scilly#.			
A	B	C	D
(see below grid for column descriptions)			
75 days or more	Loss of deposit	Nil	Nil
43-74 days	50% of holiday price*	£20	£10
29-42 days	70% of holiday price*	£30	£15
15-28 days	90% of holiday price*	£50	£20
14 days or less	100% of holiday price*	£50	£20
For all holidays of five nights or more in mainland Britain#.			
A	B	C	D
(see below grid for column descriptions)			
56 (28) days or more	Loss of deposit	Nil	Nil
43-55 days	50% of holiday price*	£10	£5
29-42 (22-27) days	70% of holiday price*	£15	£10
15-28 (15-21) days	90% of holiday price*	£20	£15
14 days or less	100% of holiday price*	£20	£15
Numbers in brackets apply to holidays of less than five nights in mainland Britain, and to Christmas and New Year holidays in mainland Britain.			
For all Saga ocean cruises aboard Saga Pearl II and Saga Sapphire#.			
A	B	C	D
(see below grid for column descriptions)			
90 days or more	Loss of deposit	Nil	Nil
56-89 days	60% of holiday price*	£20	£10
29-55 days	75% of holiday price*	£20	£10
15-28 days	90% of holiday price*	£30	£15
14 days or less	100% of holiday price*	£50	£20
For mystery holidays**			
A	B	C	D
(see below grid for column descriptions)			
75 days or more	loss of deposit	Nil	Nil
43-74 days	50% of holiday price	£20	£10
29-42 days	70% of holiday price	£30	£15
28 days or less	100% of holiday price	£50	£20
(A) Period before departure within which notice of cancellation or major change is received by us or notified to you			
(B) Cancellation charge if you cancel your holiday (plus ad-hoc charges incurred)			
(C) Compensation if we make a major change which you accept (price reduction)			
(D) Compensation if we make a major change and you cancel your holiday (voucher)			
#Please note that for certain holidays the cancellation charge will be 100%. You will be advised of this at the time of booking.			
**Mystery holidays - approximately 28 days prior to departure, we will advise you of your allocated hotel. Any changes made prior to us advising you of you allocated hotel will be subject to our usual terms and conditions. If you cancel your holiday, you will be subject to charges in accordance with the above table.			
*Or deposit if higher.			

accepting an offer of alternative travel arrangements, if available, or cancelling your booked holiday and receiving a full refund of all monies paid plus compensation as detailed in the table opposite. Please note that where the Major Change is caused by an event of Force Majeure compensation will not be payable.

Any compensation paid to you by Saga does not exclude you from claiming more from your insurer if you are entitled to do so. Please note that we do not have any responsibility or liability for any consequential loss you may incur from arrangements you have made with any other party or parties.

If we cancel your holiday

We reserve the right to cancel your travel arrangements, for example, when the minimum number of clients required to operate a tour is not reached.

We will not cancel your travel arrangements after the balance due date, except for reasons of Force Majeure or failure by you to pay the final balance. If cancelled due to Force Majeure you can either have a full refund or, where available, accept an offer of alternative comparable travel arrangements (we will refund any price difference if the alternative is of lower value). Compensation is not payable in these circumstances and we do not accept any responsibility for any loss or expenses of any third party provision.

7. Insurance

You must be adequately insured for all ocean cruises and holidays outside mainland Britain to cover all contingencies such as medical expenses, repatriation and baggage cover.

If you did not purchase the optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights, or if we're unable to offer our optional cover, we advise that you arrange adequate insurance cover as soon as possible. For your peace of mind, please ensure that your alternative policy includes cancellation cover for the total cost of your holiday and that you are adequately insured for all your needs, including medical emergencies. Please also make sure your insurance is valid from the time of booking until your return from holiday.

Bookings made 18 months or more before departure

(This section only applies to holidays offered with optional insurance and additional cancellation rights.)

The travel insurance cannot be offered with holidays booked more than 18 months before departure. Customers who wish to include the optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights will have their booking held until 18 months before the departure date. Should you need to cancel prior to your booking being confirmed, a full refund will be available. Once within 18 months of departure, the optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights can be added and the holiday confirmed. This is subject to the normal insurance policy conditions and Saga's booking conditions.

Optional travel insurance: For UK residents only, insurance, provided by Cigna Insurance Services (Europe) Limited, is offered with all our overseas holidays, river cruises and ocean cruises unless otherwise stated and subject to terms and conditions. A policy document will be sent with your confirmation invoice. A summary of the cover is shown below. (For holidays in mainland Britain please call for a summary of cover.)

Summary of cover

- (a) Medical Expenses up to £5,000,000
(b) Hospital Benefit £20 per day (max. £500)
- Curtailment up to £7,500 for holidays and river cruises, up to £10,000 for European ocean cruises, up to £50,000 for worldwide ocean cruises
- Personal Accident up to £15,000
- Criminal Injury Benefit up to £100,000
- (a) Baggage up to £1,500 or up to £2,500 for ocean cruises
i) Single Article limit £250 or £300 for ocean cruises
ii) Overall Valuables limit £350
(b) Temporarily Lost Baggage over 12 hours up to £100 or up to £150 for ocean cruises
- Money and Documents up to £500
Cash limit £200
- Loss of Passport Expenses up to £200
- Personal Liability up to £1,000,000
- Missed Departure up to £500 (Europe), up to £1,000 (worldwide)
- Travel Delay - Transport
(a) Deposit/Cancellation Charges up to £7,500
(b) Compensation up to £150
- Legal Expenses (claims for compensation for personal injury or death) up to £50,000

For sections 1(a), 2, 5(a), 6 and 10(a) above, the first £70 of each and every claim is excluded.

Please note that the optional travel insurance and additional cancellation rights are only available for overseas holidays where the included cruise, flights or ferry elements of the holiday are taken. If you arrange your own travel abroad, you will not be covered and should make alternative arrangements.

If you feel you need increased baggage cover please check your home contents insurance policy first, as most people can have their personal possessions insured under this policy while they are away.

Insurance policy document

If you choose to take the insurance we'll send you the insurance policy document with your holiday confirmation/ invoice, or you can call us to request it earlier. If the policy does not meet your requirements, you are entitled to cancel at any time prior to your date of departure. The policy document contains full details of the cover provided, our complaints procedure, terms and exclusions – we recommend you read it carefully.

8. Additional cancellation rights

Where you have chosen to include the optional travel insurance the following rights shall apply:

For the purposes of this section, the following definitions apply:

Business Associate – Anyone who works at your place of business in the UK, who has to be in work in order for you to be able to go on your trip. A senior manager or director of your business must agree to this.

Close Relative – Your marital/civil partner, parent, parent-in-law, child, grandchild, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, brother, sister, brother-in-law, sister-in-law or fiancé(e).

Home – The address where you live permanently in the British Isles.

You/Your – The person(s) named on the booking invoice/holiday confirmation issued by Saga.

Summary of rights: We will refund all the money you have paid to us, less an administration fee of £80 (£60 for UK holidays) per person if the cancellation is due to:

- (a) unexpected illness or death of you or a member of your party.
- (b) death or disablement (by accidental bodily injury or sickness) of your Close Relative or Business Associate, or of any person with whom you had arranged temporarily to reside during your holiday.
- (c) jury service, attendance solely as a witness at a court of law or redundancy (provided your employment has been on a continuous full time basis with the same employer for at least 24 months).
- (d) accidental damage to your home through fire, storm or flooding within 14 days of the planned departure date, rendering it uninhabitable.

We will deduct the cost of any UK connecting or domestic flights and any cancellation charges from the suppliers of any ad-hoc service. You must send us a valid medical certificate for (a) or (b) above or the relevant official documentation for (c) or (d) as soon as is practicable, otherwise we will be unable to refund you.

All travel documents must be returned to Saga. If you cancel for other reasons, you must still notify Saga in writing. We reserve the right to impose cancellation charges should you cancel your booking due to alteration of airline, aircraft type, destination airport, flight routing or flight timings.

We will not be liable for cancellations when, at the time of booking the holiday, the person whose condition gives rise to the cancellation:

- (i) had an illness in the past 12 months that has required treatment from a doctor, unless the condition was disclosed to and accepted by us;
- (ii) is travelling against the advice of a medical practitioner or for the purpose of obtaining medical treatment abroad;
- (iii) is receiving, on a waiting list for, or has knowledge of the need for in-patient treatment for any condition unless the medical condition for which you are on a waiting list for inpatient treatment has been disclosed to us and accepted by us. Should you cancel as a direct result of you undergoing the inpatient treatment for which you are on a waiting list additional cancellation rights will not be provided;
- (iv) is expected to give birth 12 weeks (16 weeks in the case of multiple pregnancy) before your planned return date;
- (v) has been given a terminal prognosis by a medical practitioner.

We will not be liable for cancellations arising directly or indirectly from:

- (i) acts of terrorism in countries to which the Foreign and Commonwealth Office has advised against travelling;
- (ii) an accident or breakdown of the vehicle in which you are travelling for which a professional repairer's report is not provided;
- (iii) breakdown of any vehicle in which you are travelling if the vehicle is owned by you and has not been serviced properly or maintained in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions;
- (iv) withdrawal from service (temporary or otherwise) of an aircraft or sea vessel on the recommendation of the Civil Aviation Authority or a Port Authority, or any similar body in any country;
- (v) redundancy caused by, or resulting from, misconduct leading to dismissal, from resignation or voluntary redundancy, or where a warning or notification of redundancy was given prior to the date the optional insurance policy was purchased by you;
- (vi) suicide or attempted suicide, intentional self-injury, the effect of intoxicating liquors or drugs or flying other than as a passenger in a fully licensed passenger carrying aircraft. This exclusion applies not only to the insured persons but also to close relatives or other persons whose health may affect your decision to travel or cut short your trip;
- (vii) any circumstance arising after the date of booking, but prior to the date of issue of the optional insurance policy purchased by you.

9. Responsibility for your holiday

Saga's responsibility

Saga is responsible for the proper performance of the contract. We will not be liable for any failure or improper performance where reasonable care and skill has been exercised or where such failure or improper performance is:

- (a) attributable to you or any member of your party;
- (b) attributable to a third party unconnected with the provision of your holiday and is unforeseeable or unavoidable;
- (c) due to an event which Saga or our suppliers, even with all due care, could not foresee or forestall.

In all cases, except where death or personal injury results, the liability of Saga and any company within the Saga Group (its employees, agents and subcontractors) is limited to twice the price of your holiday. Our liability for any damages (including in the event of death or personal injury) arising from non-performance or improper performance of the contract will also be limited to the limit imposed by:

- (a) the company that provides transportation for your holiday; and
- (b) any relevant international convention which we hereby incorporate into this contract for the benefit of Saga. You agree to be bound by the transport company's terms and conditions (including any limitations or exclusions of liability) which will also apply to your contract with Saga. Copies of each transport company's terms and conditions or the international conventions can be provided on request. Under EU law, in the event of denied boarding, cancellation or delay to your flight after you have checked in, you may be entitled to compensation from your airline. If you are unhappy with your airline's response, you may complain to the Civil Aviation Authority (telephone 020 7453 6888 or visit www.caa.co.uk/passengers). Any entitlement to compensation from Saga shall be offset by any payment made to you by your airline or third party. You agree to assign to Saga any rights that you may have against a third party or person which have caused or contributed to our legal liability to you or which result in us incurring costs on your behalf. You agree that you will provide us, or our insurers, with all reasonable assistance to pursue a claim against any third party or person.

After departure

If, after the departure date, a significant proportion of the holiday cannot be provided, where possible we will make alternative holiday arrangements for you and, where appropriate, refund any difference in price.

If alternative arrangements are not possible, or if you immediately notify us of good reason not to accept them, we will repatriate you to the United Kingdom as soon as reasonably possible and by means of equivalent transport, where available.

Your responsibility

Saga kindly requests your co-operation and consideration for others while on holiday and reserves the right to curtail your holiday if, in our view, your conduct or behaviour is disruptive, antisocial, or otherwise unacceptable. In such an event, no compensation or refund will be payable and you will be liable to pay any additional expenses reasonably incurred in arranging the curtailment.

In addition you must comply with the terms and conditions of the third party suppliers of any transport or accommodation element of your holiday. Failure by you to observe such terms and conditions which are incorporated into this contract and available upon request may affect any compensation or liability we may have towards you.

Medical information

You are responsible for ensuring that any existing medical conditions are declared to us before you book your holiday for you and your party or, if newly diagnosed, before your date of departure.

If there is any change in your medical conditions or you develop a new medical condition, please call us to see if we can continue to offer our optional insurance. The insurance company will not accept a claim as valid if you do not do this.

In addition, there are other instances where cover is not available under the Medical Expenses or Curtailment sections of our Saga Travel Insurance policy Booklet. These include where the person(s) making the claim:

- does not follow the advice of a medical practitioner
- is travelling to get medical treatment abroad
- has been given a terminal prognosis by a medical practitioner
- is expected to give birth within 12 weeks (16 weeks in the case of a multiple pregnancy) of arrival home.

The policy booklet contains full details of the medical cover provided along with the terms and exclusions. We recommend you read it carefully.

Please note: Regardless of whether you take out the optional travel insurance, for cruises, women who are up to 24 weeks pregnant at the end of the holiday are required to provide a medical certificate of fitness to travel. We cannot, carry passengers who will be up to 24 weeks or more pregnant at the end of the holiday. We reserve the right to request a medical certificate at any stage of pregnancy and to refuse travel if we and/or the Master of the ship are not satisfied that you will be safe during your holiday. The doctors aboard the ships may not be qualified to deliver babies on board, or to offer pre or postnatal treatment, and no responsibility is accepted by Saga in respect of the ability to provide such services or equipment. For air travel, you are subject to the terms and conditions of your airline, who have their own policies. Please let us know if you are pregnant or become pregnant prior to departure.

Please also refer to Mobility and Assistance in section 12.

10. If you have a complaint

We aim to provide you with an enjoyable and relaxing holiday. In the unlikely event that you have any reason to complain or experience any problems with your holiday arrangements it is imperative that you report it to our representative or locally appointed agent or hotel director as soon as possible to give them the best opportunity to resolve any issues in resort. If you remain unhappy, please contact us within 28 days of returning home. You should send us a detailed covering letter of your complaint, quoting your holiday reference number. All correspondence should be addressed to: Customer Relations Department, Saga Holidays, Enbrook Park, Folkestone, Kent CT20 3SE.

Alternatively, e-mail us at: customer.relations@saga.co.uk or call 01303 774122. If you do not contact Saga within 28 days of your return from holiday, this will affect Saga's ability to investigate your complaint and impact on the way your complaint is dealt with.

We would like to be given the opportunity to resolve any complaint you may have. However, if a dispute cannot be settled amicably you may, if you wish, be referred to arbitration under a special scheme arranged by ABTA, which is administered independently by CEDR Solve. The scheme provides for a simple and inexpensive method of arbitration on documents alone, with restricted liability for the customer in respect of costs. The scheme does not apply to claims of more than £5,000 per person or £25,000 in total. Where a claim for personal injury or illness is made, the limit on the amount claimed is £1,500 per person. The scheme also allows for either party to have the Arbitrator's decision reviewed. You should apply for arbitration within 18 months of your return home from holiday.

11. Data protection

Any personal data you provide will be held securely and for the purpose you have provided it, in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998. We may need to disclose personal data to a third party including countries outside the European Economic Area (EEA) for the purpose of providing your holiday. In addition, your data may be disclosed to regulatory bodies or public authorities, such as customs or immigration, for the purposes of monitoring and/or enforcing compliance with any regulatory rules/codes; and it may be used for marketing, offering renewals, research and statistical purposes and crime prevention.

By providing us with your personal data and contact details, you consent to the use of that data and to your being contacted by Saga plc group company or any of its subsidiaries by post, telephone, e-mail, SMS or other electronic means, to inform you about any products and services which it considers may be of interest to you. Where you provide information about another person, we accept it on the basis that you have their permission to give us access to their personal data (including any sensitive personal data) and that you have told them who we are and what we will use their data for, as set out above.

You can contact the Saga Group Data Protection Officer in writing at any time to suppress contact for some or all Saga products or for the right to access and if necessary rectify information held about you. For a copy of Saga's privacy policy, please refer to saga.co.uk/holidays or write to Saga's Group Data Protection Officer at: Enbrook Park, Folkestone, Kent CT20 3SE.

12. Holiday information

Passports

You will need a valid passport for all overseas holidays featured. As requirements vary and can change without notice, we strongly advise you to ensure that your passport is valid for at least six months after the end of your holiday. We recommend that you have at least three blank pages in your passport to cover potential immigration formalities, which may be required in some countries.

We recommend that you also take your passport for identification purposes when taking domestic flights.

Visas

If you are a full British citizen resident in the UK for the majority of destinations, if required, Saga will obtain your visa or tourist card free of charge (postage is not included). We will advise you at the time of booking where you are responsible for obtaining your own visa. For Russian visas, Saga will obtain the paperwork and you will be responsible for purchasing the visa at the Russian visa centre. Should you be unable to obtain a visa for whatever reason and as a result are unable to travel, our usual cancellation fees apply. An application pack will be sent to you approximately 60 days before you travel (90 days for Russia). In order to obtain your visa, it is important that we receive your passport and any applicable documentation in good time before your holiday starts. If you return these documents late, you may incur an additional charge. Please note that you must confirm your nationality or status at the time of booking if you are not a full British citizen resident in the UK so that we can advise you of any applicable passport and visa requirements.

For passengers cruising into Libya, a group visa will be issued on arrival in Libya for all holders of UK passports, allowing you to go ashore independently and on an organised shore excursion. Passengers holding a US or Swiss passport will not be able to enter Libya. Passports must be valid for at least six months and must not contain evidence of a visit to Israel.

For passengers cruising into Algeria, a group visa will be issued prior to arrival for all holders of UK passports, allowing you to go ashore on an organised excursion only. Because of this, all Algerian excursions must be pre-booked. Passports must be valid for at least six months and must not contain evidence of a visit to Israel.

It may be necessary for you to arrange your own individual visas for independent travel in some ports.

For further information about passports and Saga's visa service call Saga on 0800 525 290 or email visa@saga.co.uk. If you are telephoning from outside the UK, please call +44 (0)1303 771138 (please note that this is not a freephone number).

Optional excursions, entertainment, activities and amenities

Full details of the optional excursions and Holiday Experience activities will be provided in the passenger itinerary sent to you before you travel. They will also be available to you in resort. We cannot guarantee that they will be available during your holiday and will only operate if sufficient people wish to take part. Optional excursions do not form part of your contract with Saga. Saga acts as a booking agent only for any optional excursion booked overseas through its resort or cruise staff, and your contract is with the supplier of the excursion. Excursions are sold subject to the laws of the country or state where purchased and to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of that country or state. We have included them in the brochures to illustrate your choice, not as a recommendation to take part. Saga neither owns nor operates these facilities and they may not be maintained or operated with the comfort and safety of customers in mind. If you intend to take part, please check your insurance policy to ensure that you are covered for anything that may be considered hazardous. If you are in any doubt, you should contact your insurer. Please also note that any medical services on board our cruises are similarly provided by independent contractors, which do not form part of the holiday package and for which we cannot accept any responsibility.

Cabins – inside/outside guarantees

With these special offer fares, you are guaranteed the minimum grade of cabin shown in the brochure, just not the specific cabin. This will be allocated to you later on, sometimes as you embark the ship. If you choose not to accept your allocated cabin, which could be located anywhere on the ship, this is treated as a cancellation (see 'If you cancel your holiday'). There is the chance you may be upgraded, although this is subject to cabin availability and in no way forms part of this offer. Note that twin cabins may have two single beds or a double bed.

Mobility and assistance

Our ships have a limited number of cabins adapted for use by those with restricted mobility and we are limited as to the number of disabled passengers or passengers with reduced mobility that we can carry. We reserve the right to refuse the carriage of any person if carrying such a passenger would put us in breach of any applicable safety requirement or law. We also reserve the right to refuse carriage if the design of the vessel and/or the port infrastructure and equipment would make carriage unsafe or not operationally feasible.

We reserve the right to require that a disabled passenger or a passenger of reduced mobility is accompanied by another fare paying person capable of providing assistance to ensure compliance with any applicable safety requirement or law or if the design of the vessel and/or the port infrastructure and equipment means that a disabled passenger or person of reduced mobility cannot be carried in a safe or operationally feasible manner without the assistance of another person.

Please advise us at the time of booking if you or any member of your party has reduced mobility, requires a specially adapted cabin or would require assistance in an emergency, or as soon as possible before departure should there be a change in circumstances. This is essential for travel by sea or inland waterways, as a risk assessment may need to be carried out prior to your departure. If you do not inform us of such a condition we will not be liable if an airline or cruise line refuses to accept you or any member of your party as a passenger. In the same respect, for land based holidays we need to be made aware of any special requirements that may affect your holiday as our representatives will only be able to provide support in an emergency.

Under European law if you are disabled or have difficulty moving around, you can receive assistance when you fly. This free service is available to anyone with mobility problems, for example, because of your disability, age or a temporary injury. To take full advantage of the service you need to book at least 48 hours in advance of your flight. Please contact us as soon as possible prior to your departure. You can also visit our website at saga.co.uk

Please note that personal daily care cannot be provided by any member of the ship's staff.

Health formalities

We will advise you with your holiday confirmation of any vaccinations that are required as a condition of entry to the country(ies) that you are visiting. We recommend that you consult your doctor at least 12 weeks before departure, and they will advise you about any other vaccinations required. You may wish to refer to government health advice for your destination at fco.gov.uk/en/travel-and-living-abroad/travel-advice-by-country/ or call the 24-hour phone line 0845 850 2829 – calls cost 4p per minute with BT; other network prices may vary. Please note: In the interests of the health and safety of fellow passengers, it is a condition of travel that passengers must use the hand sanitisers provided when embarking and disembarking our ships.

Travel advice and information

- The British Foreign and Commonwealth Office Travel Advice Unit provides up-to-date advice and safety information for British nationals travelling abroad. Please visit fco.gov.uk/travel.
- Some destinations can suffer extreme weather conditions.
- Travel information is provisional and approximate only. The final details are shown in your final travel documents (sent to you approximately 14 days before departure), which you should read carefully.
- Saga can accept no responsibility if you purchase connecting travel independently, and your holiday flight details subsequently change.
- Direct flights are not necessarily non-stop and may have to make an intermediate stop en route.
- Where a meal or snack is included on your flight, this is provided by the airline on a complimentary basis and has no cash value. Should the airline not offer this service for whatever reason, or your flight is amended to an airline which does not give refreshments, no refund shall be made.
- Banned or restricted air carriers: Regulation (EC) No. 2111/2005 came into force in January 2006, establishing a Community list of air carriers subject to an operating ban within the Community. The list is available at www.air-ban.europa.eu
- We want all of our customers to be comfortable and relaxed while travelling by coach. For this reason, we do not allow smoking, pets or personal audio equipment on coach journeys.
- We cannot guarantee the class of your rail travel. We will notify you if your preference is unavailable for all or part of your journey and explain your options.
- Where possible, Saga may facilitate pre-booking of seats and other ancillary items where offered by our transport suppliers. This may be subject to transport supplier charges and Saga administrative charges. Actual seat numbers booked by us cannot be guaranteed as there may be changes for airline operational, safety or security reasons. However, the airline will where possible re-accommodate your seats together and match your seating preferences. Where this is not possible then we will refund any applicable seating charges paid to us for the flights affected.
- We cannot accept responsibility for any purchases made on holiday, either individually or when taking part on a tour or excursion. A recommendation to visit a venue is not a recommendation to purchase and the customer does this at their own risk.

- Ships' cabins can vary in size within the same grade. We cannot guarantee the composition of your cabin. It may contain foldaway beds, upper and lower berths, sofa beds or permanent beds. Sea view cabins can be restricted by lifeboats and deadlights, and some inward facing cabins have no porthole. Your cabin may be affected by vibration and mechanical noises.
- In the interests of safety and the well-being of our customers, the Masters (and Saga Cruises Ltd) shall have absolute discretion to alter the routing of the cruises at any time and for any reason. The safe navigation of the ship is paramount and circumstances where the route may be changed include, but are not limited to, those described in the clause headed 'Force Majeure' in your Booking Conditions.
- All ships featured are measured by the gross registered tonnage. This is not the weight of the ship but the total volume of all permanently enclosed spaces
- The currency used on board cruise ships will depend on the ship's nationality. Many ships operate a 'cashless' system whereby you sign for all purchases which are then charged to your cabin. You settle up at the end of your cruise and can pay by credit card, cash or travellers cheque.
- Cruise escorts will only be available if a minimum number of passengers is achieved.
- Unless otherwise stated, there will be an extra charge for optional facilities, such as sports facilities, bars and Internet facilities. We cannot guarantee special requests that may also be subject to an additional charge.
- Don't forget to check that you have all your belongings before returning home. If necessary and if requested, we will do what we can to return any lost items, but please be aware that restrictions apply and there will be a cost for this service. Details can be obtained from our after-sales team.
- Please note, hotels reserve the right to change the delivery of their meal services, without notice. Where we refer in our brochure to buffet meal service or waiter meal service, this was correct at the time of publication.
- Due to local conditions in some ports, we may be unable to use the most accessible gangway. Passengers may be required to negotiate a steep gangway and/or steps. For customers who are unable to walk unaided or require a wheelchair/scooter, it may be necessary to remain on board.
- If you have any special difficulties or needs, such as a particular diet, you must notify Saga on 0800 373 034.

Saga Platinum credit card

The Saga Platinum credit card is available to customers who are aged 50 or over and are permanent residents of the UK, Channel Islands or Isle of Man. For more information please visit saga.co.uk/creditcard or call 0800 015 0567. Please quote reference code 5128C and allow three weeks from making an application to receiving your card.

Terms and conditions apply. Credit facilities are subject to repayment capacity and financial status and are not available to persons under 18 years of age.

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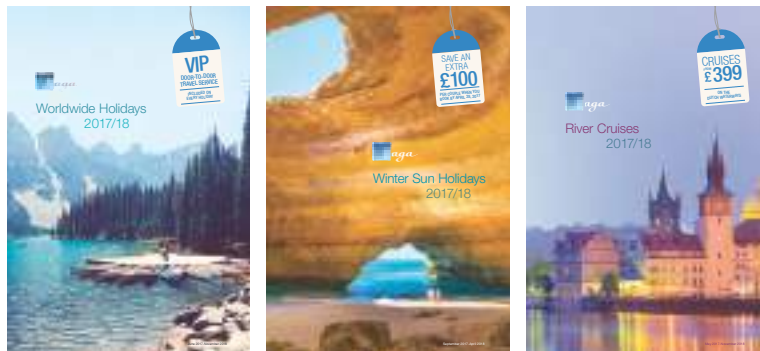
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