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New ship Arvia and first-ever Canary Islands fly/cruises now on sale for winter 2022 / 2023

Holidays on new ship Arvia, Canary Islands fly/cruises and a 99-night world cruise are all now on sale, accompanied by launch booking offers, in P&O Cruises new winter 2022 / 2023 programme of holidays.

Arvia's 14-night Canary Islands maiden voyage, departing from and returning to Southampton, is followed by a special Canary Islands Christmas and New Year cruise before a season of seven and 14-night Caribbean fly/cruises from home port Barbados and, new turnaround port, Antigua.

Arvia's Caribbean holidays all include an overnight call in Barbados with new itineraries also featuring La Romana in the Dominican Republic - a maiden port of call for P&O Cruises; Curaçao; Martinique; St Kitts; St Lucia and St Maarten.

In a P&O Cruises first, winter sun Canary Islands fly/cruises from Tenerife will be available as Azura offers a programme of two alternating seven-night cruises which can be combined to create a 14-night holiday. To celebrate this double on board spending money is available on Azura's Canary Islands holidays booked before June 1, 2021. 14-night holidays start at £879 visiting Madeira, La Palma, Fuerteventura, Tenerife, Madeira, Gran Canaria and Lanzarote.

lona, Arvia's sister ship which joins the P&O Cruises fleet this summer, will sail a winter '22 season of Spain, Portugal and Canary Islands holidays featuring overnight calls in Lisbon or Barcelona as well as European city breaks.

For guests looking to pack even more into their next holiday P&O Cruises full world cruise, over 99 nights on Arcadia departing January 3, 2023, includes calls to Sydney, Hong Kong, Singapore, Dubai, Tauranga New Zealand, and Kuala Lumpur (from Port Kelang) and is now on sale priced from £9,499.

Aurora's 65 night circumnavigation of South America will depart January 6, 2023, priced from £4,999, spending two days in Rio de Janeiro, Montevideo, San Antonio and Lima (from Callao) among many more destinations.

P&O Cruises president Paul Ludlow said: "The first holidays on new ship Arvia, exemplifying design excellence and built for sunshine cruising, and our first-ever Canary Islands fly/cruises are just two of the exciting highlights of our winter 2022 programme.

"We're all longing to get back to travelling the world so we're making it as easy as possible to have a P&O Cruises holiday to look forward to. All our winter 2022 holidays are available with flexible booking terms, 5% low deposit, plus the opportunity to spread the cost monthly at no additional cost."

Further highlights of the programme, which runs from October 2022 to March 2023, include:

- Ventura's short European breaks to Hamburg, Bruges (from Zeebrugge) and Amsterdam plus ex-UK Caribbean holidays.
- Fly-Caribbean holidays on P&O Cruises flagship Britannia.

Example itineraries for winter 2022 include:

Caribbean, 14 nights, £1,249

14 cruise on Arvia (K301) from £1,249 per person. Departing January 6, 2023 the price includes kids' clubs, full board meals and entertainment on board.

Departing from Southampton, with a return flight Barbados to the UK, ports of call are Tenerife, St Maarten, St Kitts, St Lucia and Barbados.

Canary Islands fly/cruise, seven nights, £629

Seven night cruise on Azura (A226) from £629 per person. Departing November 18, 2022 the price includes kids' clubs, full board meals and entertainment on board.

Departing from and returning to Tenerife, including flights to and from the UK, ports of call are Madeira, Gran Canaria and Lanzarote.

Canary Islands fly/cruise, 14 nights, £879

14 night cruise on Azura (A229A) from £879 per person. Departing December 9, 2022 the price includes kids' clubs, full board meals and entertainment on board.

Departing from and returning to Tenerife, including flights to and from the UK, ports of call are Madeira, La Palma, Fuerteventura, Tenerife, Madeira, Gran Canaria and Lanzarote.

Spain, Portugal and Canary Islands, 14 nights, £749

14 night cruise on Iona (G237) from £749 per person. Departing November 12, 2022 the price includes kids' clubs, full board meals and entertainment on board.

Departing from and returning to Southampton, ports of call are Madeira, Tenerife, Gran Canaria, Lanzarote, Seville (from Cadiz) and Lisbon (for two days).

USA and Caribbean, 35 nights, £2,549

35 night cruise on Ventura (N306) from £2,549 per person. Departing March 2, 2023 the price includes kids' clubs, full board meals and entertainment on board.

Departing from and returning to Southampton, ports of call are La Coruna, Bermuda, Bahamas, Cozumel, Roatan, Belize, New Orleans (for two days), Key West, Miami, Port Canaveral, Ponta Delgada Azores.

South America Grand Tour, 65 nights, £4,999

65 night cruise on Aurora (R301) from £4,999 per person. Departing January 6, 2023 the price includes full board meals and entertainment on board.

Departing from and returning to Southampton, ports of call are Tenerife, St Vincent, Salvador, Búzios, Rio de Janeiro (two days), Montevideo (two days), Port Stanley, cruise around Cape Horn, cruise through Beagle Channel, cruise through Magellan Straits, Punta Arenas, cruise by Amalia Glacier, cruise by PIO XI glacier, Santiago (from San Antonio - two days), Coquimbo, Arica, Lima (from Callao - two days), Manta, Fuerte Amador, transit Panama Canal, Cartagena, Aruba, Barbados, St Lucia, Antigua, St Maarten and Ponta Delgada, Azores.

Nearly 200 new holidays are now available to book accompanied by launch booking offers. All holidays can be secured with a low 5% deposit while a 10% discount for past guests and 5% discount for new guests making a Select Price booking is applicable. Child places are available at £49 for off-peak holidays and £199 for peak holiday periods. All offers are available until June 1, 2021.

Pre-registration for winter 2022 holidays starts April 8, 2021 with holidays on new ship Arvia on sale from Wednesday April 21, 2021 and the rest of the fleet from Wednesday April 28, 2021.

For more information or to book call P&O Cruises on 03453 555 111, visit www.pocruises.co.uk or contact a travel agent.

All prices are for the Early Saver fare type.

Notes to editors

Pay Monthly

Guests are able to spread the cost of their holiday across a number of monthly payments, at no extra cost, when booking directly with P&O Cruises.

About P&O Cruises

P&O Cruises is Britain's favourite cruise line, welcoming guests to experience holidays with a blend of discovery, choice, relaxation and exceptional service catered towards British tastes. P&O Cruises fleet of premium ships combine genuine service, a sense of occasion and attention to detail.

In 2021, P&O Cruises will launch Iona its first Excel class ship. The new LNG-powered ship, with 5,200-guest capacity, will be the largest ship built to serve the UK market. Iona will feature enhancements to already successful brand signature venues from the existing fleet, as well as features newly developed for Iona. These include a breath taking three deck atrium in the heart of the ship as well as SkyDome – a glass dome exclusively designed by Martin Francis. This will be a world first at sea and offer a unique space for both relaxing in all weathers and providing entertainment, featuring aerial performers and a wealth of live acts.

P&O Cruises second LNG-powered Excel class ship and sister ship to Iona is named Arvia, meaning from the seashore, and will join the fleet in December 2022. Arvia is an innovative and future-focused ship and will offer outstanding, varied and contemporary holidays. Arvia has been designed to travel to the sun all year-round and to maximise views of the ocean and the seashore from everywhere on board.

With over 200 destinations worldwide, P&O Cruises itineraries are carefully curated to inspire discovery, and are varied to suit newcomers and experienced guests alike. With a wide choice of holidays from two days to three months there is something for everyone. P&O Cruises sails to Australia & New Zealand, Baltic, the British Isles, Canada, the Spain, Portugal & the Canary Islands, the Caribbean, Central America, the Far East & Asia, the Indian Ocean, the Mediterranean, Scandinavia, South America, the South Pacific, the United States and Western Europe.

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