TRAVELSHOPSOUTHAFRICA PRESENTS

7NIGHTS/8DAYS

THE 5 WONDERS OF THE MEDITERANEAN CRUISE

17-25 APRIL 2020

24 APRIL - 02 MAY 2020

01 - 09 MAY 2020

FROM R24490.00 P/P SHARING / INSIDE CABIN
R26350.00 P/P SHARING / OUTSIDE CABIN



DISCOVER BARCELONA, NAPLES, LIVORNA AND MARSEILLES



Itinerary

Day Date Arrive Depart

DAY 1 Friday Johannesburg - Barcelona

17 April 2020 / 24 April 2020 / 01 May 2020

Depart Johannesburg OR Tambo Airport on overnight flight to Barcelona.

Day	Date	Port	Arrive Depart
DAY 2 Saturo	lay	Barcelona	Embark 18h00

18 April 2020 / 25 April 2020 / 02 May 2020

Barcelona, Spain



Upon your arrival at Barcelona airport and after clearing custom formalities, you will be met by your local Tour Representative and transfer to Barcelona port to embark onto your Mediterranean cruise. The city of Barcelona in the region of Catalonia is famous for spectacular churches, with the most notable being Gaudi's planned masterpiece: the Sagrada Familia which has been under construction since 1882. There is also an array of gorgeous historical parks worth visiting, particularly the Park Güell which is filled with colourful mosaic artwork and design.

Day	Date	Port	Arrive	Depart
DAY 2 Sunday		At Sea		

19 April 2020 / 26 April 2020 / 03 May 2020

At Sea

Day	Date	Port	Arrive	Depart
DAY 3 Monda	ıy	Naples	09h00	19h00

20 April 2020 / 27 April 2020 / 04 May 2020

Naples, Italy



Two hours south of Rome is the city of Naples. The iconic sight of the gulf of Naples, along with Mount Vesuvius, makes this one of the most powerful symbolic images of Italy. The historic centre of Naples is one of biggest in the world and features 448 historical and monumental churches – the most in any one city in the world.

Day	Date	Port	Arrive Depart
DAY 4 Tues	sdav	Civitavecchia	08h00 19h00

21 April 2020 / 28 April 2020 / 05 May 2020

Civitavecchia, Rome, Italy



Between the piers and the lighthouse lies the huge "Forte Michelangelo" which greets visitors as they arrive in this Italian port town. Civitavecchia means "ancient town" and, along with the port, the town is also home to the "Rocca" Castle and the Cathedral of San Francesco. Civitavecchia is also the gateway to Rome - one of the world's greatest cities.

DayDatePortArriveDepartDAY 5 WednesdayLivorno08h0020h00

22 April 2020 / 29 April 2020 / 06 May 2020

Livorno, Italy



Livorno is a port city located on the Ligurian Sea on the western coast of Tuscany, Italy. Whilst here, visit the "Quartiere La Venezia" (Venice Neighbourhood). This is one of the oldest parts of the city and is surrounded by canals and it is here that you can also visit "San Marco's Theatre" where the Italian Communist Party was born in 1921.

Day	Date	Port	Arrive Depart
DAY 6 Thur	sday	Villefranche	08h00 17h00

23 April 2020 / 30 April 2020 / 07 May 2020

Villefranche, France



Villefranche sur Mer is located in south-eastern France, along the French Riviera and features one of the deepest natural harbours of any port in the Mediterranean Sea. This small beach resort features a coarse sandy beach and the town does not receive a great number of visitors; so you can be sure to relax in tranquil peace and quiet.

Day Date Port Arrive Depart

DAY 7 Friday Marseilles 08h00 17h00

24 April 2020 / 01 May 2020 / 08 May 2020

Marseilles, France



Off the southern coast of France lies Marseilles, an artists' commune and your gateway to the UNESCO-designated city of Carcassonne. As though stolen from the pages of a fairytale, the walled city of Carcassonne features an enormous yet picturesque castle overlooking the Aude River.

Day Date Port Arrive Depart

DAY 8 Saturday Barcelona 08h00 Disembark

25 April 2020 / 02 May 2020 / 09 May 2020

Barcelona, Spain



Disembark Barcelona. The city of Barcelona in the region of Catalonia is famous for spectacular churches, with the most notable being Gaudi's planned masterpiece: the Sagrada Familia which has been under construction since 1882. There is also an array of gorgeous historical parks worth visiting, particularly the Park Güell which is filled with colourful mosaic artwork and design.

Day Date Airport Arrive Depart

DAY 9 Sunday Johannesburg

26 April 2020 / 03 May 2020 / 10 May 2020

Arrive Johannesburg OR Tambo International airport.

Cruise Details

What's included:

- Return economy class airline ticket from Johannesburg to Barcelona
- Return airport/port transfers in Barcelona
- 7nights/8days Ship Accommodation in chosen catecory
- All Meals in non-speciality restaurants
- Onboard bars and lounges
- Live music
- All non-alcoholic beverages
- Alcoholic beverages including some premium brands
- Kids' Activities
- Most onboard entertainment
- Gymnasium and jogging track
- Basketball court and table tennis where available
- Library
- Disco
- Poolside entertainment
- Rock climbing wall where available
- Port charges & airport charges

What's not included:

- Travel Insurance (we can assist with this, please consult with us for best quotation)
- Schengen Visa cost & Passport cost (South African passport holders will require a Schengen visa for this cruise, we will be able to assist with request at an additional cost)
- Medical Services
- Ship to Shore Telephone Calls
- Passport and visa costs
- Laundry Services
- Babysitting Services
- Gambling
- Shop and other onboard purchases
- Port or airport parking
- Spa and beauty treatments
- Single Supplement where applicable (unless stated)

- Speciality Restaurants
- 24 hour room service
- Internet Access
- Photographs
- Art Auctions
- Shore excursions

Life on Board

Life on board each of our five ships couldn't be simpler. You're free to do as little or as much as you wish so that your holiday is just the way you like it. Our dedicated crew members are passionate about providing a high level of service so that wherever you are on the ship - restaurant, spa or casino - everything is taken care of.

With a comprehensive <u>all inclusive package</u>, there's no need to worry about your onboard spend. And when we say all inclusive, we mean it. Paying extra for things such as alcohol and exciting facilities is a thing of the past as all of this and more is included in the price you pay before you step on board. You can even upgrade your package to include a wide range of premium branded beverages. This allows you to indulge as much as you like without being brought back down to earth with a bump by a surprising bill at the end of your cruise.



With a keen focus on looking after the little ones; life on board is a family affair. You'll have no concerns about letting your children forge their own adventures as they get stuck into a wide range of activities in the kid's clubs, let off some steam on the sports deck or follow the bright lights of the games arcade. And once the family is back together, there are some culinary explorations to embark on in the many different dining areas.

Thanks to our Spanish crew members, your Pullmantur cruise will be an international affair. However, our multi-lingual staff speak excellent English and various tours can be arranged in your native tongue too. This, of course, also provides an opportunity to experience the Spanish zest for life and an all-round party atmosphere.



Just like <u>Empress</u> and <u>Monarch</u>, the Sovereign cruise ship was previously part of the Royal Caribbean's ranks and served the operator for no less than 20 years. Having been built in 1988, she was transferred to Pullmantur prior to her maiden voyage as Sovereign (previously she was known as Sovereign of the Seas) in 2009.

Not only does she have great experience and classic seafaring charm, she's also had her fifteen minutes of fame. During her refurbishment in 2004 she was the subject of a TV programme which followed her renovation throughout her time in dry dock. Sovereign received another minor refit in 2008 when she first became part of our Pullmatur fleet; allowing her to proudly boast our livery wherever she goes.

With five different <u>restaurants</u> to choose from and a number of bars and lounges to relax in, there will be plenty of choice during your Sovereign cruise.

The whole family are welcomed aboard thanks to the excellent range of activities for younger travellers too. From the kid's and teen's clubs run by our passionate crew to the games arcade and the ping pong table; children are never an afterthought.

Sovereign spends most of her time cruising around the <u>Mediterranean</u>, helping guests discover stunning ports like Kotor (Montenegro), Kusadasi (Turkey) and Olbia (Sardinia) which they may never have thought to visit.

Before embarking

What documents do I need?

All passengers, including children and babies, must have their personal documentation in order, passport, visas or national identification document, according to the country or countries you are going to visit.

Children under the age of 18 who travel without their parents must provide a written permission signed by their parents or tutors due to it may be asked for any authority.

We remind the passengers that they should make sure they have completed all the rules and requirements regarding visas before starting the journey.

How much luggage can I bring?

Your luggage quota will be determined by which airline you are travelling with. If we our arranging your flights for you we will inform you of your weight/size allowance. If you choose to book your own flight's please refer to your carriers terms and conditions.

Can you arrange travel insurance?

We can arrange travel insurance for you, please contact us for a quotation.

May I travel while pregnant?

Pregnant women who have not reached the 24th week of pregnancy on the date of the end of the cruise can travel. Pregnant women must have a doctor's certificate confirming they and their unborn baby are fit to travel.

Is there a minimum age for travelling?

Babies under six months of age on the scheduled boarding date cannot travel.

Can I bring my pet on board?

No animals of any type are permitted on board(except duly-trained and registered guide dogs, and always with Pullmantur's prior consent).

Can you accommodate a guest with a disability?

For safety reasons on board, we limit the number of disabled guests. All disabled guests must travel with a companion. Please let us know of your physical disability when making your reservation.

Is there a special menu for people with special diets such as coeliac, diabetic, salt-free food, kosher food...?

Yes, they only have to specify it when they make the reservations. They will be informed upon their arrival on the ship.

If you request kosher food, it should be noted that the petition should be 6 weeks in advance to the cruise departure, because we have not these products on board and must be applied in advance.

Hotel in Barcelona

For passengers from other countries/provinces that would like to spend additional days in Barcelona, we will gladly assist and offer the best possible rates of staying in three- or four/five-star hotels with an unbeatable quality/price ratio and, in addition, located in the best areas of the city. Ask us for prices when you make your booking.

Can I smoke on board?

There are restrictions on smoking in public areas and cabins in all ships, but designated smoking areas are available on all ships in clearly marked zones.

On Board

What should I do with my luggage?

When you arrive at the port, Pullmantur staff will receive your luggage and take it to your cabin, where you will find it, normally, two hours after boarding. Do not forget to label your luggage and to take with you all your medicines, jewellery and any personal valuable items.

Objects that generate heat or cause flames are not permitted on board; this includes irons, hot plates, candles, incense or any other object that may cause fire (curling tongs and hair dryers are allowed); nor are weapons, explosives or any other object that presents a risk to people or property. These objects will be confiscated by the ship's security personnel and appropriate measures will be taken. Items such as divers knives must be declared to the ship's personnel at the time of boarding; these items are permitted on board, but will be retained by the ship's security personnel when they are not required on land. It is also prohibited to take on board food items that are potentially dangerous, such as items requiring refrigeration, heating or storage in the kitchen, and animals of any size (except duly-trained and registered guide dogs, and always with Pullmantur's prior consent).

Who will assist me at boarding time?

Pullmantur staff will welcome you at the port and help you expedite any paperwork necessary. Once on board and for the entire length of the cruise, they will be at your service attending to your needs.

Ports of call

The ports of call and excursions are the ideal complement to your cruise. Take part in an impeccable programme of excursions, all in Spanish, that must be booked and paid for on board. On arriving at the port, the local authorities will go through the formalities so the passengers can disembark; this process takes approximately 30 minutes. Remember to board before the limit time indicated by the ship.

Do I need money on board?

It is not necessary. At the end of your cruise you can pay for your on board expenses in cash, or with any major credit cards. During the cruise to avoid you having to carry your money and cards, we will provide you with an id card with which you can also pay for all your extras on board.

For this purpose, at the start of your cruise you must open a credit account funded by your card or a cash deposit. The day before disembarking, on settling your account, you may choose to pay in cash or charge it to the credit card.

How to dress on board

Most people think that you must be impeccably dressed at all times while on board. The Gala Dinner is a special occasion so women can wear an cocktail dress or a suit, and men can wear a suit and tie. You can also dress a bit more casually, however please note that bathing suits and shorts are not allowed in our dining areas after 7:00 p.m. Please bring suitable footwear such as trainers and sportswear if you're planning to practice any kind of sport. We offer a nightly laundry service at very reasonable prices.

Is room service available on board?

Room service is available 24 hours a day at additional charge. You can choose from a wide variety of salads, sandwiches and desserts.

Is internet available on board

In all ships there is an area for the use of the Internet. We have a range of plans or pay as you go options for accessing the internet.

Medical Service

There is always a resident doctor on board and nursing staff that can see you during consultation hours or at any time in case of an emergency. Our medical facility is equipped with the most frequently-used medicines, clinical supplies and surgery equipment for emergencies. Medical services are not included in the price of your cruise.

End of the Cruise

The night before landing you'll be very busy remembering the most emotive moments of your holiday, saying goodbye to the new friends that you will have made. But don't forget to pack your luggage and leave your suitcase outside your cabin door, you'll get it back at the port after disembarking. If you have deposited valuable objects in the safe, don't forget to take them with you and pay your extra expenses bill.

Disembarkation procedure for all the ships

All disembarkations are organised by priority levels and after all the priority passengers and organised groups. The priority levels are:

- 1. Grand Class passengers have priority in the disembarkation and can disembark whenever they want. These passengers have a special magnetic card.
- 2. Passengers who have booked Pullmantur excursions have priority over other passengers in disembarkation in any port. They will be organised in numbered groups by the excursions and entertainment team in coordination with the dock operator.
- 3. Organised groups or individual passengers who want to disembark before the general disembarkation will be organised in groups in a specific area on the ship.

The ship staff are in charge of these groups coming to the meeting point (or public places), and disembarking after the PA calls. In all cases, all the stairs, halls and lifts to the hall should be empty for the groups to be able to leave accompanied by the ship staff. The necessary safety controls and barriers will be placed, and only public areas such as bars and buffets be free to access.

Rules of conduct for passengers on board

At the start of the cruise, each passenger will receive a copy of the rules of conduct for passengers on board, which all passengers should read and adhere to during the whole voyage. Should passengers violate the aforementioned policies, the Captain will be entitled to order them to disembark, and to take any other measures that he believes necessary for ensuring compliance, notwithstanding the consequences that could be derived from such violation.