

# **Ocean Endeavour**

The Ocean Endeavour is the perfect vessel for expedition cruising. Outfitted with twenty Zodiacs, advanced navigation equipment, multiple lounges and a top deck observation room, she is purposebuilt for passenger experiences in remote environments.

Launched in 1982, she has had numerous upgrades, most recently in 2016. At 137 meters in length, the Ocean Endeavour has plenty of interior and exterior space. Ample deck space offers comfortable lounge chairs, a swimming pool, two saunas and a hot tub! The spacious interior allows for varied workshop and presentations to occur simultaneously.

The three lounges aboard the Ocean Endeavour are optimal locations for seminars, events, parties and conversations. The Ocean Endeavour's crew is experienced and friendly. The shop's shallow draft and maneuverability allow her to access isolated fjords, bays and secluded communities.

#### **Ship Amenities**

- Expertise of expedition staff
- Two restaurants
- Nautilus lounge
- Gym
- · Newly built saunas and spa facilities
- Wellness cafe
- · Lecture theatre
- Polar boutique
- Sundeck and plenty of deck space for observation
- · Fully stocked Polar library
- Medical clinic
- Elevator
- Library

#### **Ship Specifications**

Staff and Crew: 124

Guests: 199Length: 137Draft: 5.6Ice Class: 1B

Cruising Speed: 15 KnotsRegistration: Marshall Islands

• Lifeboats: 6

# **Cruise 2018**

# **Iceland Circumnavigation**

#### 10. July - 19. July 2018

Experience an unforgettable journey around the island of fire and ice aboard the Ocean Endeavour. Discover this mystical land steeped in Viking traditions and volcanic landscapes rarely seen anywhere else on earth. This voyage reveals a diverse array of natural wonders and the Icelandic way of life. A range of exciting shore excursions offers countless ways to interact with Iceland's culture, nature, history and people.

# Included in the price:

- Accommodation in booked cabin category
- All meals (breakfast, lunch and dinner)
- Coffee, tea and water
- All Zodiac excursions (weather dependent)
- Icelandic/English speaking guide
- All presentations from cruise staff and guest speakers
- Onboard entertainment program
- Iceland ProCruises Windjacket

# **Itinerary:**

#### Day 1. Reykjavik

Use your leisure time in Reykjavik to discover the unique charm of the world's northernmost capital. The OCEAN ENDEAVOUR docks in Sundabakki Harbor, a five-minute drive from the main squares, shopping and dining. The embarkation is from 4-6pm and the ship departs at 8 in the evening.

### Day 2. Stykkisholmur

Stykkisholmur is the starting point of our adventures on the Snaefellnes Peninsula. Often called "Iceland in Miniature" because of its diverse landscapes, the area is home to bird-rich Breidafjordur Bay and Snaefellsjokull glacier, which sits atop a 700,000-year-old dormant volcano that was featured in the Jules Verne novel Journey to the Center of the Earth.

#### Day 3. Isafjordur

Today's destination is Isafjordur, an idyllic town in the Westfjords region. This secluded peninsula is connected to the Icelandic mainland by only a narrow strip of land and includes many roadless areas where cars have never been. The landscape includes jaw-dropping views of dramatic fjords carved by ancient glaciers, sheer table mountains that plunge into the sea and pristine North Atlantic vegetation.

### Day 4. Siglufjordur/Grimsey

By morning we reach the fjord town of Siglufjordur, once the hub of the global herring industry and now enjoying a rebirth in popularity. Learn about the golden age of herring at the award-winning Herring Era Museum located on the vibrant harbor-front. In the early afternoon we head to uninhabited Grimsey Island. Located about 25 miles (40 km) off the mainland on the Arctic Circle, the island

harbors a variety of bird species including puffins, guillemots and gulls. Later we set sail for Akureyri, Iceland's lovable second largest city

# Day 5. Akureyri

Ranging inland from Akureyri, we visit the fascinating Lake Myvatn region, where the schizophrenic landscape looks as if "heaven and hell" have clashed. One side of the lake features rugged volcanic remnants, while the other side is blessed with lush vegetation and varied bird life.

#### Day 6. Husavik

In the early morning hours we steam into Skjalfandi Bay and Husavik. Often called the "Whale watching capital" of Iceland, the town's offshore waters are home to 15 different whale species, as well as dolphins and 30 variety of bird. Watching these graceful ocean giants in their Arctic habitat is an unforgettable experience.

# Day 7. Seydisfjordur

Iceland's East Fjords are best explored from the impossibly picturesque port of Seydisfjordur, nestled between the sea and steep mountains. Activities include seal spotting, horseback riding, and visiting the beautiful nature reserve Skalanes.

# Day 8. Djupivogur

Today's port of call is Djupivogur, fishing village in southeast Iceland, starting point for an optional excursion to the amazing glacier lagoon. Huge blocks of ice constantly break off the glacier, Breiðamerkurjökull, and large icebergs float on the lagoon. The lagoon is not very wide but it is up to 250 meters deep which makes it the deepest lake in Iceland.

# Day 9. Vestmannaeyjar (Westman Islands)

Located off Iceland's south coast, the Westman Islands were formed by submarine volcanic eruptions around 10,000 years ago. Surtsey Island emerged from the sea in 1963 and is one the youngest land masses on earth. We go ashore on Heimaey, the only inhabited island, where half-buried houses remain from a violent 1973 eruption. During the shore landing there is time for bird watching and you might even spot whales.

#### Day 10. Reykjavik

After breakfast we bid farewell to the OCEAN ENDEAVOUR as we sail back into Reykjavik. Explore inland areas like the Golden Circle and its famous Gullfoss waterfall via our Air & Ground package or simply hang out in Reykjavik, a perfect city for those who want to refresh their spirit in a place that combines invigorating outdoor activities, great food and world-class entertainment.

# **The Ocean Endeavour**











# **Cabins**



#### **INTERIOR TRIPLE - Deck 4**

Interior cabin, three lower berths, two private baths — approx. 200 sq. ft.



#### **INTERIOR TWIN - Deck 5**

Interior cabin, two lower berths, private bath – approx. 125 sq. ft. (twin) / 110 sq. Ft. (single)

### **EXTERIOR TWIN - Deck 4**

Porthole window, unobstructed view; two lower berths, private bath — approx. 100 sq. ft. (Twin)



#### MAIN TWIN - Deck 5

Picture window, unobstructed view; two lower berths, private bath — approx. 115 sq. ft.



### COMFORT TWIN - Deck 4, 7, 8

Deck 4: Two porthole windows, unobstructed view; two lower berths OR matrimonial bed, private bath, refrigerator — approx. 175 sq. ft., Deck 7: picture window, partial obstruction; two lower berths, private bath, refrigerator — approx. 135 sq. ft., Deck 8: picture windows, obstructed view; matrimonial bed, private bath, refrigerator — approx. 160 sq. ft., private bath, refrigerator.



### SELECT TWIN - Deck 5, 8

Deck 5: Picture windows, unobstructed view, two lower berths, private bath, refrigerator — approx.. 190 sq. ft., Deck 8: Oversize windows, partial obstruction, queen bed, private bath, refrigerator — approx.. 145 sq. ft.

# Prices 2018

Cabin category	Occupancy	Price in GBP per person
Interior Triple	3	1.825
	2	2.670
	1	4.670
Interior Twin*	2	2.670
	1	4.670
Exterior Twin	2	4.085
	1	7.155
Main Twin	2	4.170
	1	7.299
Comfort Twin	2	4.570
	1	7.999
Select Twin	2	4.999
	1	8.760

# **Deck Plan**

