



POSEIDON
EXPEDITIONS

21
YEARS



adventure
associates

EXPLORE THE POLAR
WORLD

2020-21



Dear Adventurers,

I am delighted to present you with our 2020-21 expedition cruise catalog containing our handcrafted itineraries to the Arctic and Antarctica, as well as the British Isles.

We started Poseidon Expeditions back in 1999 with the dream of organizing best-in-class expeditions for individual travelers seeking to explore the magnificent polar realm. For almost 20 years our dream has been realized thanks to the trust of over 18,000 passengers and our team of devoted and enthusiastic polar professionals and staff who are so generous with their bright ideas and inexhaustible energy.

Whether you are planning to make your first polar sojourn or wish to extend your exploration into new frontiers of the polar world beyond the reach of independent travel, we would be privileged to take you there in safety, comfort and the true spirit of adventure.

Witness up-close the iconic Arctic wildlife in the icy realm of Spitsbergen. Explore mythical landscapes and follow the footsteps of legendary polar heroes in Russia's fabled Franz Josef Land archipelago.

Admire the haunting, quivering beauty of the Northern Lights while surrounded by monumental icebergs in Greenland's fjords. Adore the nesting albatross and other birdlife in the Falkland Islands and South Georgia. Experience towering, majestic snow-clad mountains and thousands of nesting gentoo, chinstrap and Adélie penguins at the Antarctic Peninsula. Pause alongside a pod of curious whales in the Southern Ocean. Achieve your goal of reaching the geographic North Pole – the Top of the World – aboard the most powerful icebreaker in the world. Discover enchanting, migratory birdlife and the legendary heritage so evident along the coastal waters of the British Isles.

It is our mission to turn your dream of polar adventure today into an unforgettable reality tomorrow.

We look forward to seeing you on one of our ships for a memorable polar expedition that will change the way you view the natural world. And, who knows, it might even change your inner world as well!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "A. Vorea".

Angelica Vorea
CEO, Poseidon Expeditions



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About Us

For over 20 years, Poseidon Expeditions has been at the forefront of polar expedition cruising. Our goal is to provide travelers with the perfect combination of comfort and personal service, balanced with maximum opportunities for outdoor activities in the spirit of adventure.

OUR DESTINATIONS

Arctic

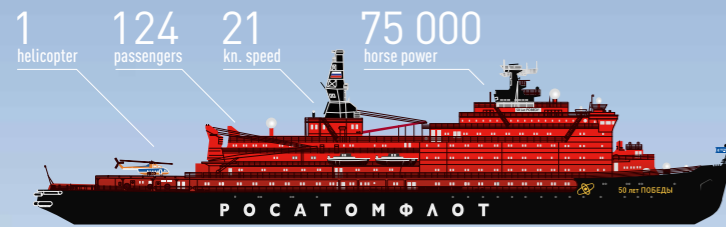
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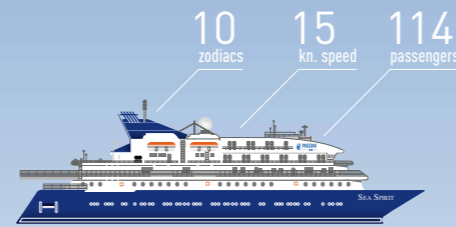
OUR OFFICES



OUR SHIPS



I/B 50 Let Pobedy



M/V Sea Spirit

We Care

WE ARE PASSIONATE ABOUT CONSERVATION IN THE POLAR REGIONS. TO EXPERIENCE THESE PLACES IS TO BE A LIFELONG CHAMPION FOR THEIR PROTECTION.

Throughout the Polar Regions, we are proud to join the Clean up Svalbard project or initiate our own clean-up program. Beach debris is of special concern in the Arctic and Antarctica as it can be deadly to seabirds and other wildlife. As one of only a handful of operators visiting these areas each year, Poseidon Expeditions strongly believes that the removal of debris by our guests and staff is an important contribution to the health of these fragile ecosystems. We are also pleased to take part in the SeaGreen Recycling project that aims to process recyclable waste materials from vessels returning from Antarctica.

To limit the production of waste, Poseidon Expeditions provides complimentary reusable water bottles and encourages passengers to use waterproof fabric bags instead of plastic bags to help prevent plastic pollution while keeping cameras and personal items dry. Poseidon Expeditions is a member in good standing of both the Association of Arctic Expedition Cruise Operators (AECO) and the International Association of Antarctica Tour Operators (IAATO).



Our Polar Leaders

OUR POLAR LEADERS ARE AMONG THE MOST EXPERIENCED IN THE WORLD. THEIR PROVEN LEADERSHIP ABILITY AND POLAR SKILLS MAKE THEM IDEALLY QUALIFIED TO PROVIDE YOU WITH THE EXPEDITION OF YOUR DREAMS.



Jan Bryde | Expedition Leader

Jan has been an expedition leader since 1994. He has made more than 70 trips to Antarctica and has led more than 30 cruises to the Arctic regions, including Greenland, Svalbard, Franz Josef Land and the North Pole. A charismatic leader and polyglot, Jan infuses passion and excitement into every expedition he leads.



Anja Erdmann | Expedition Leader

Anja has been leading polar expeditions since 2000. She feels most at home in the icy realm of Antarctica and the wilderness of Greenland. Anja is renowned for her knowledge of natural and cultural history, her enthusiastic and engaging multilingual lectures, and her steadfast commitment to conservation.



Ab Steenvoorden | Expedition Leader

Ab's career as a seafarer and leader of ornithological expeditions has led him all over the globe and Polar regions in search of unique birdlife. He's an energetic leader with an encyclopedic knowledge and almost supernatural ability to find wildlife in the vast polar wilderness.



Christian Bruttel | Expedition Leader

After having traveled around the world many times in his pursuit of the adventurous life, Christian found his calling in the High Arctic settlement of Longyearbyen and started his immensely successful career as a polar guide and expedition leader in 2012. He has a well-earned reputation as a "polar bear whisperer".



Ryan Hope-Inglis | Expedition Leader

Ryan is a highly accomplished expedition leader with significant experience in both the Arctic and Antarctica. Drawing from his background in expedition logistics, adventure sports, seafaring and polar guiding, he meets every challenge with unrivaled confidence and skill. He is also known for his affability and storytelling.



Dr. Huw Lewis-Jones | Expedition Leader

Huw has extensive experience leading expeditions to all corners of the world. He earned a Ph.D. from the University of Cambridge and served as curator of the Scott Polar Research Institute. He is also an award-winning author and presenter in the fields of polar exploration, heritage, and the environment.



Saskia Travert | Assistant Expedition Leader

Saskia's lifelong love for travel and wildlife has taken her around the world and to the Polar Regions countless times. She brings boundless enthusiasm and superb organizational skills to her role of Assistant Expedition Leader on our North Pole icebreaker voyages.



Marta Duch | Assistant Expedition Leader

Marta is one of the most experienced polar seafarers in the world, having traveled to the Arctic and Antarctica in almost every type of vessel imaginable. Her passion for adventure, along with her legendary ability to turn any challenge into an opportunity for greatness, make her an invaluable part of our expedition team.

Our Polar Experts

OUR EXPERT TEAM OF RENOWNED NATURALISTS, HISTORIANS AND EXPLORERS COMES FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD. THEIR GOAL IS TO ELEVATE YOUR EXPERIENCE WITH UNIQUE INSIGHTS AND PERSONAL PERSPECTIVES.



FELICITY ASTON
—
Polar Adventurer



AARON STRAHLKE
—
Geologist



IDA OLSSON
—
Kayak Master



BORIS SOLOVEV
—
Biologist



PETER VON SASSEN
—
Historian



JOHN BOZINOV
—
Photographer

At the heart of the small-ship experience is the availability of our multilingual lecturers and seasoned expedition staff. In both the presentation lounge and on excursions, the secrets of the polar world are revealed by experts in the fields of ornithology, marine biology, glaciology, polar exploration and more. On shore and on the water, you will be accompanied by some of the most experienced guides in the Polar Regions. Our expedition staff undergo rigorous training to ensure our safety record remains among the best in the industry. From our photographers to our certified kayak guides, our team of experts is always on hand to make your expedition safe, exciting, entertaining and educational.



A Day in the Polar Regions: The Arctic and Antarctica

Every voyage in the Polar Regions is an adventure and no two days are alike. Weather, ice and wildlife will play an important role in determining just where the adventure will take us and what exciting discoveries we will make along the way. You can be sure that the best

advantage will be taken of the circumstances presented to us by nature. Your days will be filled with memorable activities, sumptuous meals, presentations by our experts, dramatic landscapes and enough amazing memories to last a lifetime. Here is a sample day:

7:00 a.m. A New Day in Paradise

Awake refreshed and take in your beautiful new surroundings.



9:00 a.m. Zodiac Cruise

Gear up and board our fleet of Zodiac landing craft for a closer look at stunning scenery and polar wildlife!



12:00 p.m. BBQ on Deck

Enjoy a delicious BBQ lunch on the open deck while admiring polar views and possible wildlife sightings!



2:00 p.m. Landing

Disembark by Zodiac landing craft for an excursion ashore. Activities include hiking, photography and wildlife viewing.



4:00 p.m. Sea Kayaking

Kayakers have the option of exploring the area in depth as part of a guided paddling group.



7:00 p.m. Recap and Briefing

Come to the Oceanus Lounge to learn about what you saw today and hear what you can expect for tomorrow, followed by dinner in the Restaurant!



ABOARD M/V SEA SPIRIT

An ideal vessel for the Polar Regions, the nimble Sea Spirit features an ice-strengthened hull, fleet of Zodiac landing craft, ample deck space for wildlife viewing, and state-of-the-art fin stabilizers for smooth sailing. Spacious, well-appointed suites provide a generous measure of comfort. Public areas are bright and airy, ideal for socializing and learning about the polar environments. Her friendly crew and expert expedition staff look forward to providing you the expedition cruise of your dreams.





Activities

Guests are afforded many opportunities to venture from the ship. Shore excursions and Zodiac cruises provide chances for exploration and wildlife viewing. You may also partake in optional adventures like camping and sea kayaking, as well as our famous Polar Plunge!





Edutainment

The polar world is interpreted by our team of multilingual lecturers during presentations on board and informal discussions while ashore and in the Zodiacs. Our expert photographer will show you how to capture the perfect wildlife or landscape shot. We also invite you to the bridge to meet the captain and officers.



Leisure

Panoramic open-air decks make excellent platforms for observing polar scenery and wildlife, and the ideal place for a BBQ. Guests may also relax in an outdoor Jacuzzi, hit the gym, play games in our library or socialize in the Club Lounge with nightly live music and full-service bar.



DISCOVER



BRITISH ISLES

SURPRISING REALMS OF WILD NATURE AND HISTORICAL RICHES AWAIT THOSE WITH THE CURIOSITY TO DISCOVER THEIR SECRETS.

Fair Isle can claim to be the best place in Britain to find rare birds, with at least 27 first records.





British Isles > Legendary History & Wild Nature

01 Flocks of seabirds near St Kilda
 02 Atlantic puffins arrive at their nest
 03 Standing stone at the Ring of Brodgar

DISCOVER:

- Castles, abbeys and botanical gardens along the coasts of southwest England, the Republic of Ireland, Wales, Northern Ireland and Scotland.
- Colorful puffins, medieval history and fascinating geology in the scenic and tranquil Hebrides, including the isolated island of St Kilda.
- Well-preserved Neolithic village sites and ancient henge monuments on the Orkney and Shetland Islands.
- Enormous seabird colonies and the rare corncrake at some of the best birding destinations in Europe.



From
\$5 995

When to go
May 8 – May 20, 2020

Duration
13 Days

Special activities



Crossing the Arctic Circle, Jan Mayen & Spitsbergen > From the Highlands to the High Arctic

01 Signpost and Beerenberg volcano on Jan Mayen
 02 Svalbard reindeer grazing on tundra
 03 Zodiac cruising near glaciers and icebergs

DISCOVER:

- World-class historical sites and fairytale landscapes in Scotland's mesmerizing Northern Isles.
- Unique cultural heritage, abundant birdlife and world-class hiking in the enticing Faroe Islands.
- Arctic seabird colonies on the world's northernmost active volcano at the remote and rarely visited Norwegian island of Jan Mayen.
- Spectacular polar scenery and superb Arctic wildlife viewing in Spitsbergen's untamed western fjords, where polar bears outnumber humans.



From
\$4 795

When to go
May 21 – Jun 1, 2020

Duration
12 Days

Special activities

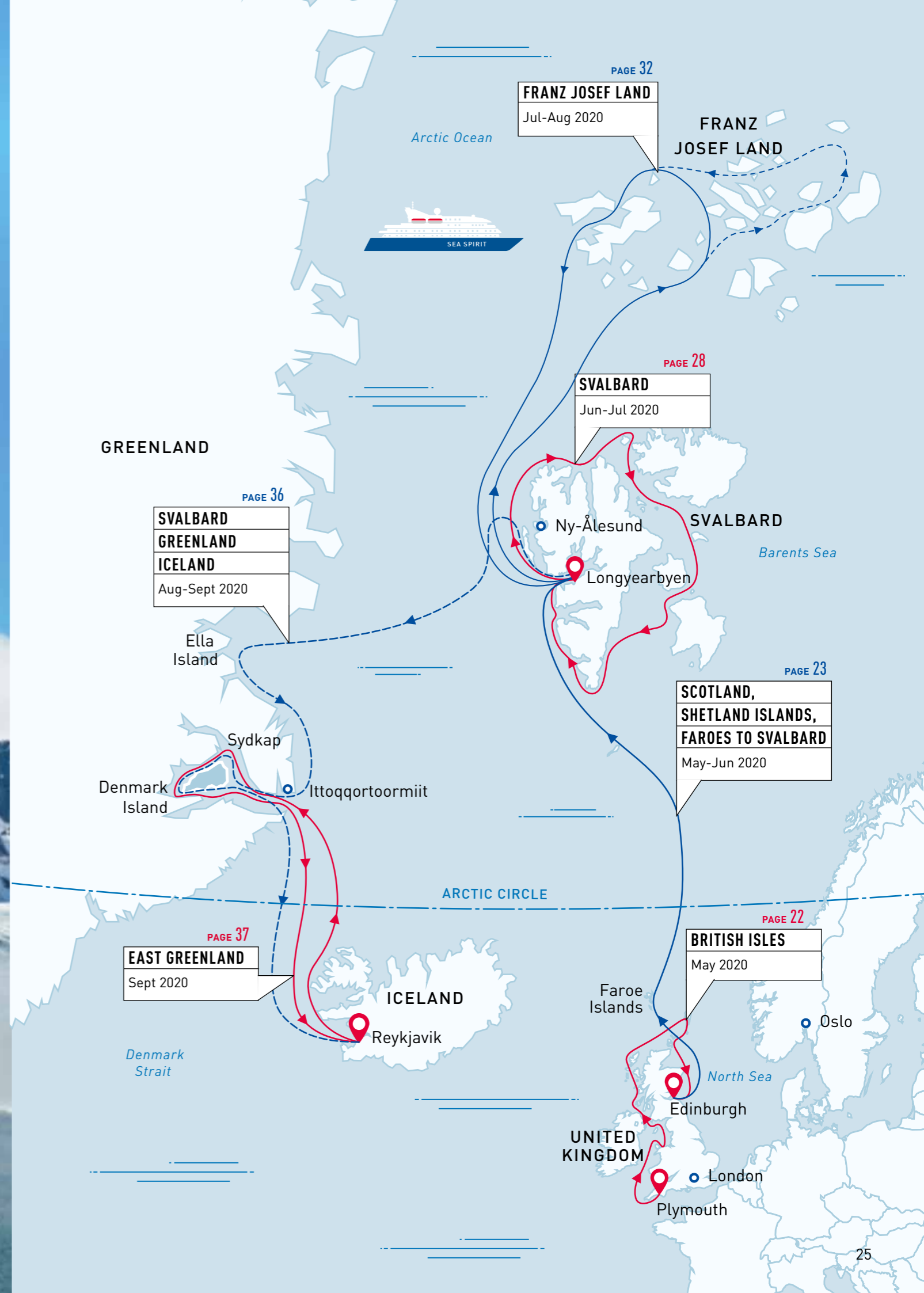
THE ARCTIC

FOLLOWING THE FOOTSTEPS OF EARLY EXPLORERS AND POLAR BEARS ACROSS TIMELESS LANDSCAPES AND FROZEN SEAS, OUR ARCTIC VOYAGES COVER THE ESSENTIAL HIGHLIGHTS AS WELL AS LITTLE-KNOWN SECRETS OF THE REGION.

With its awe-inspiring combination of unique wildlife, breathtaking scenery and fascinating history, the Arctic is at the top of many people's list of must-dos. One visit is usually not enough!



Anja Erdmann
Expedition Leader



WITNESSES



The polar bear population in and around the Svalbard Archipelago and the Barents Sea has been estimated at around 3000 animals, making them more numerous than humans.

SPITSBERGEN

THE PREMIER DESTINATION FOR ANYONE EAGER TO WITNESS THE ARCTIC REGION AND ALL ITS AMAZING WILD INHABITANTS.





West Spitsbergen & Polar Ice Edge > Arctic Wildlife Safari

- 01 A polar bear surveys his domain
- 02 Celebrating a landing in Svalbard
- 03 Arctic fox kit on the tundra

West Spitsbergen & Polar Ice Edge > Best of Svalbard

- 01 Bust of Roald Amundsen at Ny-Ålesund
- 02 Zodiac cruising the face of a blue glacier
- 03 An inquisitive walrus herd in Svalbard

WITNESS:

- Polar bears—nomads of the Arctic—stalking the ice and hunting seals in their natural habitat.
- Scenic splendor and abundant wildlife, including Arctic fox, reindeer and a variety of whales and seals, in one of the High Arctic's most pristine and protected environments.
- The incredible spectacle of the polar ice edge—the dynamic boundary of water and ice—where amazing creatures are participants in dramatic events.
- Life at a multinational polar research station.



WITNESS:

- The full majesty of Spitsbergen and its icy fjords, calving glaciers, snowy mountains and flowering tundra in continuous daylight.
- Diverse and unique polar wildlife and birds on land, sea and ice, including walrus and the world's highest concentration of polar bears.
- Historical sites recalling Svalbard's significance in the earliest chapters of Arctic whaling, trapping, exploration and polar research.



From
\$5 895

When to go

May 31 – Jun 8, 2020 / Jun 7 – Jun 15, 2020 /
Jun 14 – Jun 22, 2020

Duration
9 Days

Special activities



From
\$7 295

When to go

Jun 21 – Jul 1, 2020 / Jun 30 – Jul 11, 2020

Duration
11-12 Days

Special activities



EXPLORE

FRANZ JOSEF LAND

A REMOTE ARCHIPELAGO OF ISLANDS, EACH ONE A PRIZE FOR THOSE SEEKING TO EXPLORE PAST THE EDGES OF THE KNOWN WORLD.

The Archipelago consists of 191 islands, none of which are permanently inhabited, with a combined land area of 16 134 square kilometers, 85% of which is glaciated.



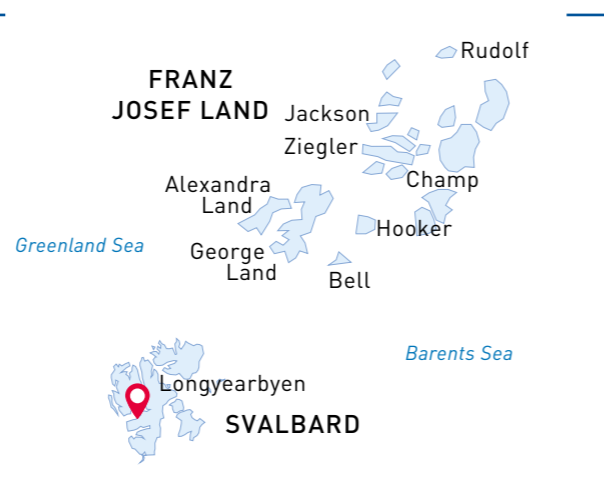


Franz Josef Land Archipelago > Russian High Arctic

- 01 Stone sphere at Champ Island
- 02 Historic "Eira Lodge" on Bell Island
- 03 A polar bear stalks the icescape
- 04 Walruses reposing on an ice floe

EXPLORE:

- An enigmatic group of glaciated islands, barely changed since the Ice Age, long closed to tourism and well deserving of its legendary reputation.
- Historical sites, monuments and relics steeped in the drama of the Heroic Era of Polar exploration.
- Ice-filled polar seas and fjords home to bowhead whales, walrus and the majestic polar bear.
- A primeval High Arctic wilderness of incomparable beauty and isolation, rich with unique geological wonders and rare seabirds such as Ivory Gulls.



From

\$9 995

When to go

Jul 20 – Aug 2, 2020 / Aug 1 – Aug 14, 2020 /
Aug 13 – Aug 26, 2020

Duration

14 Days

Special activities



ADMIRE

GREENLAND

A PLACE OF SUCH ASTONISHING BEAUTY AND GRACE THAT VISITORS HAVE SIMPLY TO ADMIRE EVERYTHING AROUND THEM.

The Greenland Ice Sheet, covering an area of 1.8 million sq. km, has a thickness of more than 3 500 m. and reaches up to 3 300 m. above sea level.



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Spitsbergen, Greenland & Iceland > Arctic Odyssey

ADMIRE:

- Spitsbergen's renowned abundance of Arctic birdlife, marine mammals and polar bears.
- World-class scenery and historical sites on an in-depth exploration of East Greenland, including parts of rarely visited Northeast Greenland National Park—the largest nature reserve in the world.
- Cathedral-like icebergs, calving tidewater glaciers and the Northern Lights in Scoresby Sund.
- Charming villages, dramatic landscapes and marine wildlife along the northwest coast of Iceland.



From
\$8 795

When to go
Aug 25 – Sept 7, 2020

Duration
14 Days

Special activities



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East Greenland > Arctic Sights and Northern Lights

ADMIRE:

- Magnificent mountain scenery, immense glaciers and colorful tundra in wild Scoresby Sund, home to Ice-Age creatures such as muskox and Arctic hare.
- The world's largest fjord system, filled with colossal icebergs and flanked by sheer cliffs, reaching deep into the glaciated heart of Greenland.
- The unearthly magic of the Northern Lights shimmering across the whole sky on clear nights.
- Ancient Thule settlement sites, historical huts and the contemporary Inuit village of Ittoqqortoormiit.



From
\$6 295

When to go
Sept 6 – Sept 16, 2020 /
Sept 15 – Sept 25, 2020

Duration
11 Days

Special activities

01 Polychromatic Arctic geology
02 Northern Lights dance across the sky
03 A muskox grazing in Greenland

THE ANTARCTIC

FROM THE PRISMATIC ICE-WORLDS OF THE ANTARCTIC PENINSULA TO THE WILDLIFE SPECTACLES OF SOUTH GEORGIA: OUR ANTARCTIC VOYAGES COVER ALL THE BEST ASPECTS OF THIS CONTINENT AND SOUTHERN OCEAN.

There is a clarity of thought and purity of feeling that comes from experiencing the clearest air and the purest natural environment on the planet. No one leaves Antarctica unchanged.



Ryan Hope-Inglis
Expedition Leader



EXPERIENCE



ANTARCTIC PENINSULA

A HAVEN FOR WILDLIFE AND A PARADISE FOR ECO-TRAVELERS WHO WANT TO EXPERIENCE WILD NATURE AT ITS MOST RESPLENDENT.

At their enormous breeding colonies, chinstrap penguins display many forms of social behavior and communication, such as preening, bowing, gesturing and flipper waving.





Antarctic Peninsula > Land of Penguins & Icebergs

01 A Weddell seal dozes on an iceberg
02 Celebrating a landing on Antarctica
03 Historic British Base A at Port Lockroy

EXPERIENCE:

- A pristine polar wilderness and nutrient-rich seas inhabited by robust populations of seabirds, voracious whales and dauntless seals.
- The endlessly entertaining antics of countless penguins in boisterous breeding colonies.
- Icebergs and glaciers of every description and scenery beyond comparison providing fantastic opportunities for photography and adventure.
- Human endeavor of the past and present at historical sites and modern research bases.



From
\$7 495

When to go
Nov 29 – Dec 9, 2020 / Dec 18 – Dec 28, 2020 /
Dec 27 – Jan 7, 2021 / Feb 7 – Feb 18, 2021 /
Feb 17 – Feb 28, 2021

Duration
10-12 Days

Special activities
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Antarctic Circle > Crossing 66° South Latitude

01 Chinstrap penguin with downy chicks
02 Zodiac cruising with a humpback whale

EXPERIENCE:

- A supremely picturesque environment supporting an abundance of iconic Antarctic wildlife, including several species of penguin and albatross.
- High concentrations of cetaceans and pinnipeds at the height of the summer feeding frenzy.
- The drama of penguin chicks entering a world of predatory leopard seals and rapacious skuas.
- The untamed and capricious realm of wildest nature south of the Antarctic Circle—66° South.
- Explorers' huts and polar research stations.



From
\$11 995

When to go
Jan 25 – Feb 8, 2021

Duration
15 Days

Special activities
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ADORE



SOUTH GEORGIA AND FALKLAND ISLANDS

ISLANDS WITH COUNTLESS VOICES GREETING NATURE LOVERS WHO TRAVEL FAR TO ADORE THEIR BEAUTIFUL AND BOUNTIFUL SHORES.

Seals are very much at home in their marine environment; they can dive for longer than 30 minutes and they can even sleep underwater, surfacing to breathe without waking.





Falklands, South Georgia & Antarctica > Antarctic Wildlife Adventure

- 01 Shackleton's memorial at Grytviken
- 02 King penguins in South Georgia
- 03 A dominant male fur seal
- 04 Black-browed albatross colony

ENJOY:

- Accessible albatross and penguin rookeries at idyllic farmsteads in the charming Falkland Islands.
- South Georgia's legendary marine wildlife and world-class seabird viewing at spectacular landing sites shared with dashing king penguins, pugnacious elephant seals and spirited fur seals.
- Walking in the footsteps of Ernest Shackleton at Grytviken, Elephant Island and the Shackleton Walk between Fortuna Bay and Stromness.
- Unforgettable encounters with whales and penguins in the icy wilderness of the Antarctic Peninsula.



From

\$12 995

When to go

Oct 19 – Nov 11, 2020* / Nov 10 – Nov 30, 2020
Jan 6 – Jan 26, 2021 / Feb 27 – Mar 21, 2021**

*From Montevideo to Ushuaia, **From Ushuaia to Montevideo

Duration

21-24 Days

Special activities



ABOARD I/B 50 LET POBEDY (I/B 50 Years of Victory)

75 000-horsepower nuclear engines and a formidable spoon-shaped bow allow I/B 50 Let Pobedy ("50 Years of Victory") to crush through multi-year sea ice up to three meters thick. She is not a tourist ship. Rather, she was purpose-built to pilot scientific and cargo ships to otherwise inaccessible parts of the Russian High Arctic. Only during the brief Arctic summer do adventurers get the once-in-a-lifetime experience of traveling aboard this working icebreaker to the geographic North Pole.





Edutainment

The mysteries of the North Pole and Franz Josef Land are explained by expert naturalists, polar scientists and historians during presentations. Professional artists, photographers and storytellers reveal the secrets of their craft. Joining a guided tour of the Engine Room and visiting the open Bridge are also real highlights.



Activities

In addition to the exhilaration of riding on an icebreaker as it plows through the polar pack ice, guests are offered shore landings via Zodiac and flightseeing tours on our helicopter. At the pole, festivities on the ice include a BBQ, dancing around the globe and an optional polar plunge.



Leisure

Guests are invited to enjoy such facilities as our Polar Library, gym, two saunas, warm seawater pool, basketball court, gift shop and massage treatments. Poseidon and his magical friends will help you to enjoy a BBQ on deck. The Victory Bar has great views for enjoying fine wines.



THE NORTH POLE

BEYOND THE BOUNDARIES OF CONVENTIONAL CRUISING, BEYOND THE LIMITS OF THE WORLD AS YOU KNOW IT, YOUR NORTH POLE VOYAGE WILL STAND OUT AMONG THE MOST MEMORABLE ADVENTURES OF YOUR LIFE.

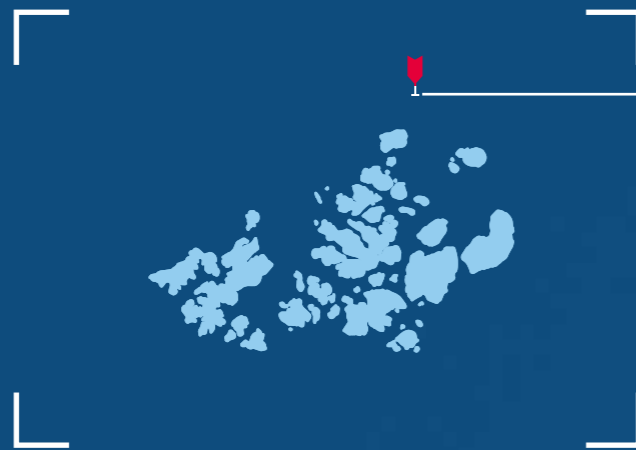
The immensity and impermanence of the Arctic Ocean inspire a cascade of emotions. To travel across its frozen surface is to undertake a journey of the heart, an adventure of the spirit.



Jan Bryde
Expedition Leader



ACHIEVE



At the North Pole, where Earth's axis meets the surface, all longitudes and time zones converge. Everywhere you look is South. You are literally standing on top of the world.

THE NORTH POLE

AN EXTRAORDINARY JOURNEY REWARDING ADVENTURERS WHO SEEK TO ACHIEVE THEIR GOAL OF STANDING ON TOP OF THE WORLD.



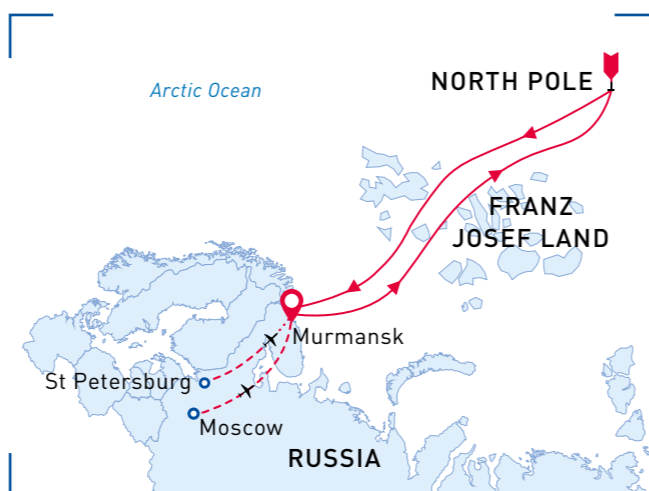


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The North Pole > Top of the World

ACHIEVE:

- The thrill of breaking through frozen seas aboard a 75 000 HP nuclear-powered icebreaker.
- Endless wildlife-viewing and birding opportunities at sea and in Russia's Franz Josef Land Archipelago, home to polar bears and walrus, in 24-hour daylight.
- Freedom as you take to the skies over the Arctic Ocean on a tour with in our onboard helicopter.
- The ultimate polar prize and a unique global perspective at the geographic North Pole — 90° North, Top of the World.



- 01 Celebrating the arrival at the North Pole
- 02 A polar bear approaches the icebreaker
- 03 Enjoying an ice landing at 90° North
- 04 Breaking through the frozen Arctic Ocean



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When to go
Jul – Aug 2020

Duration
13 Days

Special activities





Antarctica Camping

In our Antarctica camping program, you can slow down and settle in with the awesome sights and mysterious sounds of the White Continent with the benefit of our warm and comfortable camping gear.

Witness the drama of endlessly changing light upon the landscape as icebergs crack and glaciers groan under the weight of the gathering night. Capture that perfect photo of a moonlit snowscape and fall gently to sleep while appreciating your connection to Heroic Age explorers and modern-day polar adventurers.

This is an optional activity with limited availability. Don't miss your chance to spend a memorable night out on the snow and ice. Sign up for camping and gain undeniable bragging rights and an unforgettable experience!



Sea Kayak Club

As a member of our Sea Kayak Club, you can experience the thrill and tranquility of kayaking in the Polar Regions as part of a small, expertly guided paddling group. Join us as we explore coastlines and remote islands where very few kayakers have paddled before.

Enjoy magnificent scenery, glittering brash ice, and unique marine wildlife from our comfortable, stable and stealthy sea kayaks. Escape the ordinary and immerse yourself in the serenity of true polar wilderness.

This is an optional activity with limited availability. If you enjoy sea kayaking, then don't miss your chance to paddle one of the sport's most rewarding destinations. Sign up for kayaking and discover the polar paradise of your dreams!



Polar Fashion Our Expedition Parka



1. Inner layer is luxuriously soft, warm and breathable.
2. Belgian NorthSea outer layer is water-resistant, windproof and breathable.
3. Fleece cuffs are designed specifically to keep your hands warm without gloves.
4. Write your name here — it's yours to keep!
5. Patches, depending on the region:



Muck Boots Arctic Sport

We provide Wellington-style rubber boots for the duration of the voyage. You will be able to try on the boots and find a suitable size on board at the beginning of your voyage with us. We have the following ranges of sizes on board:

- US Men's: 4-13
- EURO: 35/36 – 47
- US Women's: 5-14
- UK: 3-12



How to Dress for the Polar Regions



1. Base layer

Lightweight merino wool or moisture wicking thermal underwear and thin socks.

2. Middle layer

Lightweight and/or heavy fleece jumper, depending on the conditions and activity. Thick woolen socks and Gore-Tex waterproof pants. We supply Muck Boots in your size (see opposite).



3. Top layer

A very warm, water-resistant and windproof parka with hood is provided for you to keep (see opposite). Warm gloves, hat, buff (neck-warmer), sunglasses and sunscreen are all essential items.

High Latitudes Loyalty Program

To express our appreciation to our loyal travellers, we've created the Polar Circle Card. It can be used to reduce the price of any future voyage with Poseidon. Besides the savings, our guests can also take advantage of the attractive benefits listed on the back of the card. The amount of the savings and the benefits depend on the number of trips taken with us.

These savings and benefits are for the exclusive use of the cardholder. However, the Polar Circle Card itself is transferrable and can be passed along to a friend or family member – it could be their entry ticket to the amazing polar world of Poseidon Expeditions. We look forward to welcoming you back aboard!

THE POSEIDON POLAR CIRCLE LOYALTY CARDS*



66° HIGH LATITUDE

for your 2nd trip with Poseidon Expeditions

- \$350 USD discount
- Complimentary beverage package — wine or beer — for lunch and dinner



80° HIGH LATITUDE

for your 3rd trip with Poseidon Expeditions

- \$450 USD discount
- Complimentary beverage package — wine or beer — for lunch and dinner
- Complimentary one-suite upgrade (subject to availability)



90° HIGH LATITUDE

for your 4th trip with Poseidon Expeditions

- \$650 USD discount
- Complimentary beverage package — wine or beer — for lunch and dinner
- Complimentary one-suite upgrade (subject to availability)
- Complimentary laundry service while aboard
- Complimentary pre-cruise private car transfer from the airport to the hotel

* More details about the Loyalty Program are available at poseidonexpeditions.com.



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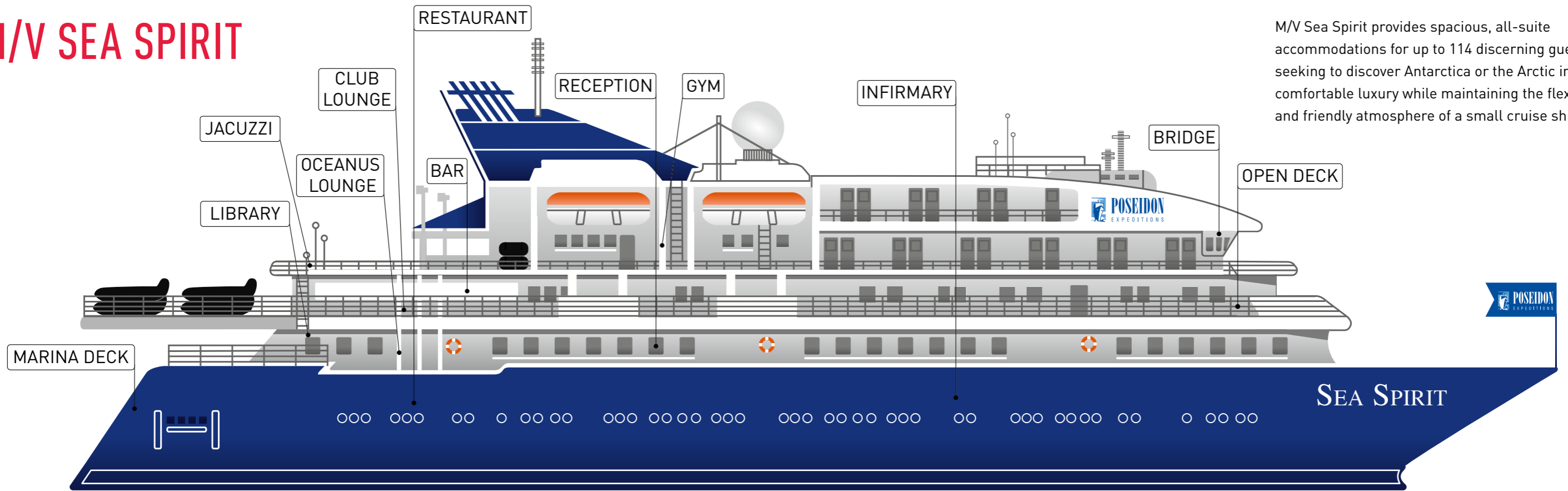
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BRIDGE



M/V SEA SPIRIT



M/V Sea Spirit provides spacious, all-suite accommodations for up to 114 discerning guests seeking to discover Antarctica or the Arctic in comfortable luxury while maintaining the flexibility and friendly atmosphere of a small cruise ship.

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OCEANUS LOUNGE



LIBRARY

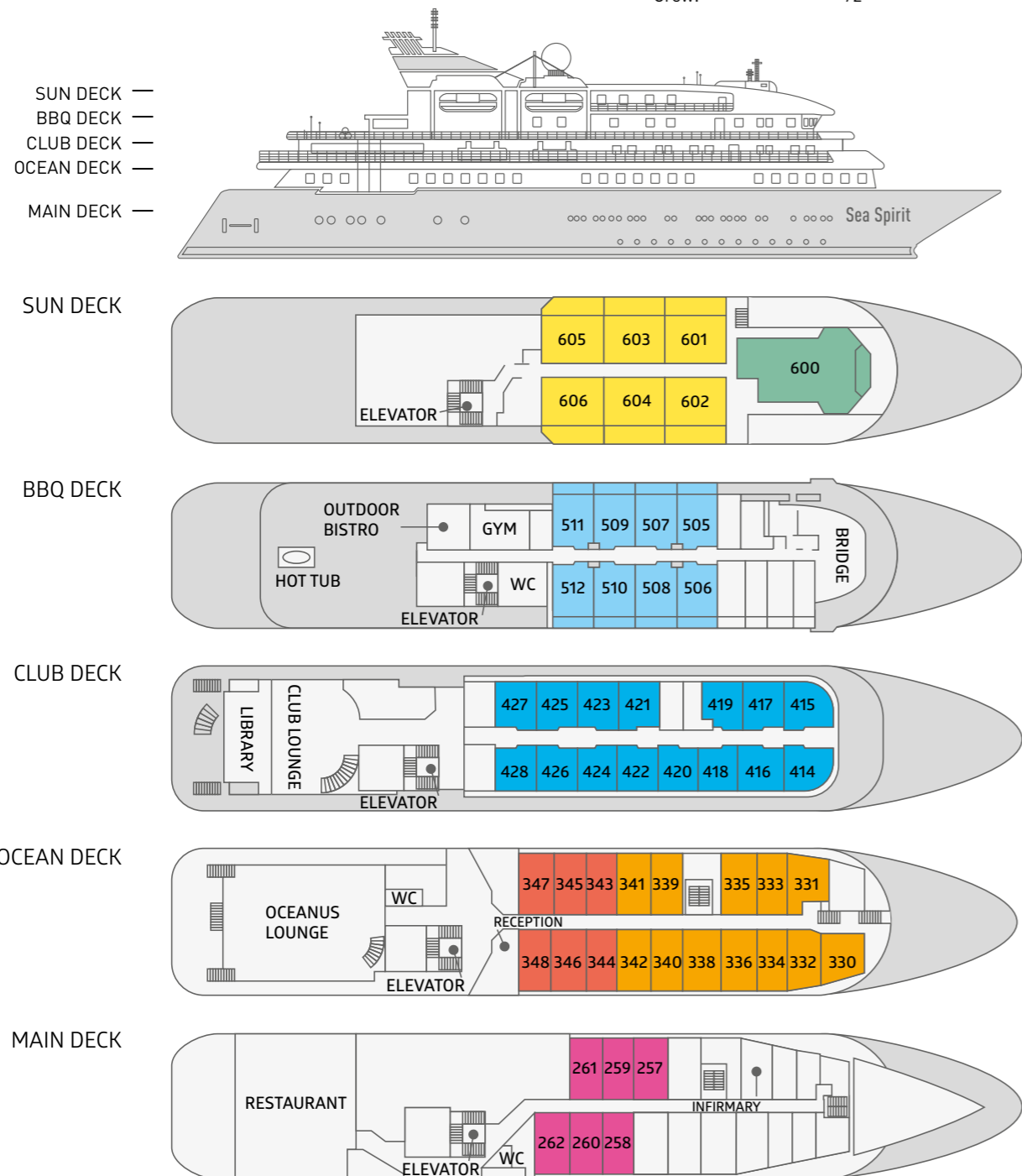


Choose Your Cabin

M/V Sea Spirit

- Owner's
- Premium
- Deluxe
- Superior
- Classic
- Triple
- Main Deck

Length:	90.6 meters (297 ft.)
Beam:	15.3 meters (50 ft.)
Speed:	15 knots
Passengers:	114
Crew:	72



Owner's suite

■ Size: 43 m² (463 ft²).

- Spacious lounge area with bar, kitchenette, dining table and a comfortable sofa bed
- King size bed
- Private forward deck above the Bridge
- En suite bathroom with jetted bathtub
- Huge walk-in closet
- BOSE stereo system & HD plasma TV
- In-room safe
- Satellite telephone access



Premium suite

Size: 30 m²
(323 ft²).

- Bedroom area with boudoir
- Twin or queen size bed
- Two spacious wardrobes
- Lounge area with comfortable sofa bed
- TV/ DVD
- En suite bathroom with shower
- Bathrobe, slippers, toiletries and hair dryer
- Private balcony
- Mini bar & in-room safe
- Satellite telephone access



Classic suite

Size: 21 m²
(226 ft²).

- Bedroom area
- Twin or queen size bed
- Spacious wardrobe
- Lounge area with comfortable sofa bed
- TV/ DVD
- En suite bathroom with shower
- Bathrobe, slippers, toiletries and hair dryer
- Picture window
- Mini bar & in-room safe
- Satellite telephone access



Deluxe suite

Size: 24 m²
(258 ft²).

- Bedroom area
- Twin or queen size bed
- Spacious wardrobe or walk-in closet
- TV/ DVD
- Lounge area with comfortable sofa bed
- En suite bathroom with shower
- Private balcony
- Bathrobe, slippers, toiletries and hair dryer
- Mini bar & in-room safe
- Satellite telephone access



Main deck suite

Size: 23 m²
(248 ft²).

- Bedroom area
- Twin or queen size bed
- Spacious wardrobe
- Lounge area with comfortable sofa bed
- TV/ DVD
- En suite bathroom with shower
- Bathrobe, slippers, toiletries and hair dryer
- Two or three portholes
- Mini bar & in-room safe
- Satellite telephone access



Superior suite

Size: 20 m²
(215 ft²).

- Bedroom area
- Twin or queen size bed
- Spacious wardrobe or walk-in closet
- TV/ DVD
- Lounge area with comfortable sofa bed
- En suite bathroom with shower
- Mini bar & in-room safe
- Bathrobe, slippers, toiletries and hair dryer
- Picture window to the outside deck
- Satellite telephone access



Triple suite

Size: 21 m²
(226 ft²).

- Bedroom area
- Twin or queen size bed
- Comfortable sofa bed
- En suite bathroom with shower
- TV/ DVD
- Bathrobe, slippers, toiletries and hair dryer
- Picture window
- Mini bar & in-room safe
- Satellite telephone access

RESTAURANT



VICTORY BAR



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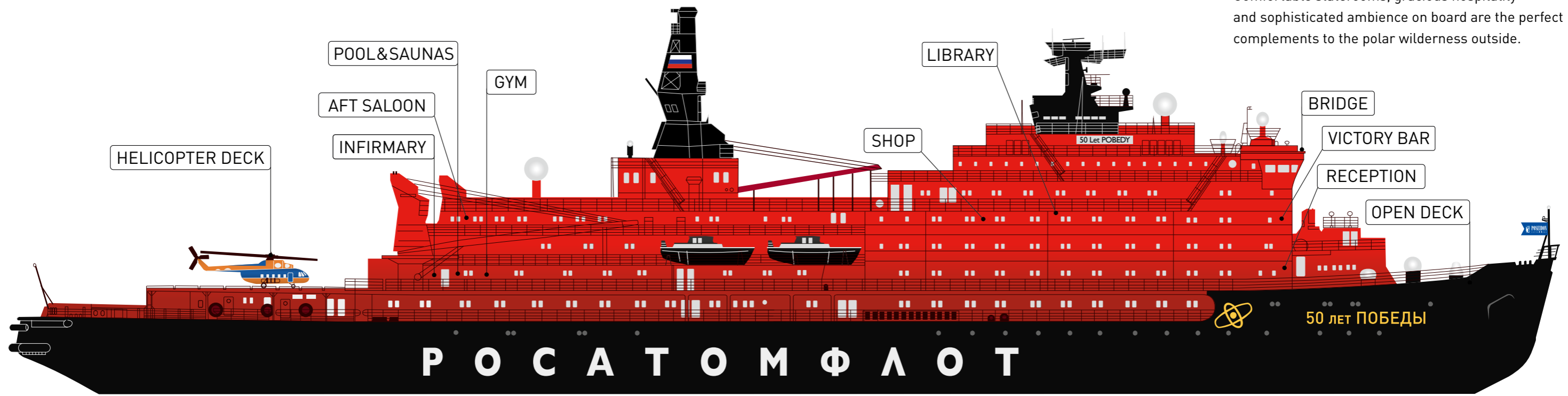


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I/B 50 LET POBEDY

Cruising to the North Pole aboard 50 Let Pobedy is a unique adventure on a one-of-a-kind ship. Comfortable staterooms, gracious hospitality and sophisticated ambience on board are the perfect complements to the polar wilderness outside.



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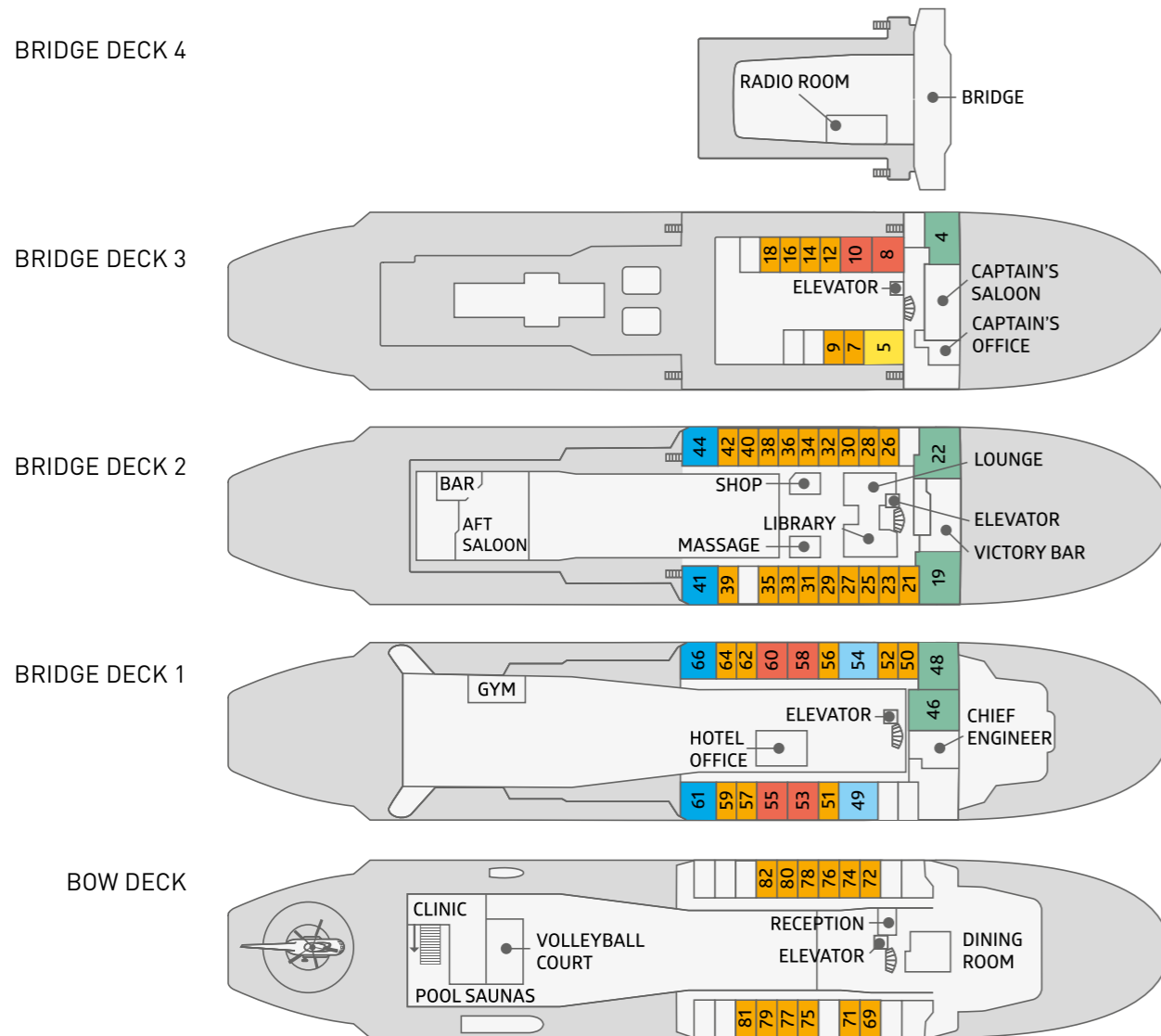
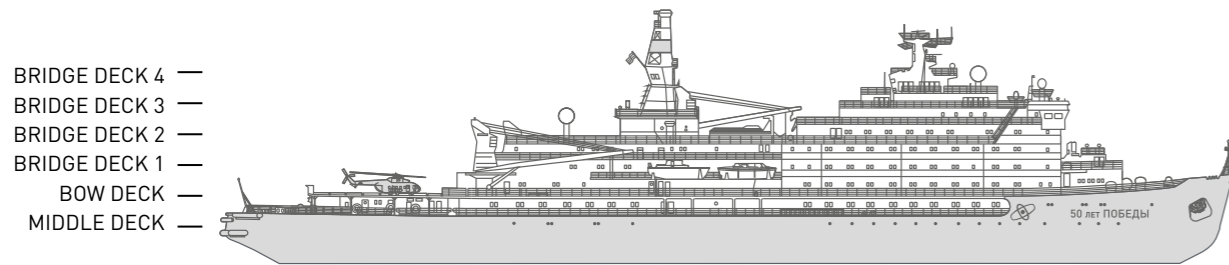


Choose your Cabin

I/B 50 Let Pobedy

- Arktika Suite
- Victory Suite
- Grand Suite
- Junior Suite
- Mini Suite
- Standard Twin

Length:	160 meters (525 ft.)
Beam:	30 meters (98 ft.)
Speed:	21 knots
Passengers:	124
Crew:	140



Arktika Suite

- Size: 33 m² (355 ft²).
- Spacious bedroom & sitting room
- Single bed and a sofa bed
- Opening windows
- En suite bathroom with a bathtub
- Refrigerator & drip coffee maker
- Lots of storage space
- TV/DVD



Victory Suite

Size: 28 m²
(301 ft²).

- Spacious bedroom & sitting room
- Single bed and a sofa bed
- Opening windows
- En suite bathroom with a bathtub
- Refrigerator
- Lots of storage space
- TV/DVD

Mini Suite

Size: 22 m²
(237 ft²).

- Bedroom & sitting room
- Single bed and a sofa bed
- Opening windows
- En suite bathroom with a shower
- Refrigerator
- TV/DVD



Grand Suite

Size: 26-27 m²
(280 ft²).

- Bedroom & sitting room
- Single bed and a sofa bed
- Opening windows
- En suite bathroom with a bathtub
- Refrigerator
- TV/DVD

Standard Twin

Size: 14 m²
(151 ft²).

- Single bed and a sofa bed
- Opening windows
- En suite bathroom with a shower
- Refrigerator
- TV/DVD



Junior Suite

Size: 24 m²
(258 ft²).

- Bedroom & sitting room
- Single bed and a sofa bed
- Opening windows
- En suite bathroom with a shower
- Refrigerator
- TV/DVD

Terms and Conditions

Expedition cruise

aboard I/B 50 YEARS OF VICTORY

By purchasing this product, you accept the present Terms and Conditions. In case you do not accept any of the Terms and Conditions of Poseidon Arctic Voyages Ltd. d.b.a. Poseidon Expeditions (Operator hereafter) you will not be able to take part in the expedition cruise.

Rates and Accommodation. Cruise rates are quoted per person and based on passengers sharing a cabin.

Cabin share is available only in Standard Twin cabin.

Single accommodation in Standard Twin cabin: 1.7x the shared rate; Single accommodation in Mini Suite, Junior Suite, Grand Suite, Victory Suite and Arktika Suite: 2x the shared rate.

Those who booked shared accommodations aboard the ship will also share accommodations at the pre-cruise hotel, if applicable.

Reservations and Payment. A deposit of 20% of the appropriate cabin rate is required to confirm the reservation; the final payment (80%) is due 90 days prior to the departure. All payments are to be made in the agreed currency indicated on the invoice. The deposit can be made by credit card or via bank transfer. The final payment is to be made via bank transfer. North America office also accepts credit cards and checks for deposit and final payment.

Payment Delay. The date of payment is considered to be the date of crediting the funds to the account of Operator.

In case of payment delay Operator has the right to apply payment delay fee which equals to 0.1% from the due amount for each day of delay.

Booking Cancellation/Refunds. All requests for cancellation must be made in writing. Reservations cancelled more than 120 days prior to departure will be fully refunded less an administrative fee of 5% of the offered rate. Reservations cancelled between 119 days and 91 days prior to departure will be fully refunded less the deposit of 20% of the offered rate.

In case a reservation is cancelled 90 days and less prior to departure, all payments are forfeited (cancellation fee is 100%). For these and other reasons mentioned below, passengers are strongly encouraged to obtain trip cancellation insurance.

The services included in the cruise rate are based on group participation, and no refunds will be made for any part of the program in which passengers choose not to participate, including any helicopter flight time. It should be understood that refunds will not be made to passengers who do not complete the tour for any reason whatsoever.

Voyage Cancellation. Operator reserves the right to cancel any departure due to insufficient reservations up to eight weeks before the date of departure (passengers may be offered alternative cruise dates). Operator also reserves the right to cancel any departure up until the date of that departure due to force majeure or other circumstances beyond the control of Operator that prevents the operation of the tour (this also includes governmental and administrative decisions).

In the very unlikely event that a voyage is cancelled prior to departure Operator will provide a full refund of all funds paid to Operator. Should a voyage cancel while in progress, Operator will provide a pro-rated refund of the funds paid to Operator.

Operator or its agents are not responsible for any costs or penalties relating to air transport or other services that are cancelled. Operator is not liable for failure to provide the services or accommodations offered to the extent that such services or accommodations cannot be provided due to force majeure or other circumstances beyond its control.

Transferred reservations/name changes. Bookings transferred from one departure (more than 90 days prior to departure) to another, for the same passenger can be made at no charge, based on availability. The transfer of the booking to another departure can only be made once. After the transfer is completed, the general cancellation terms are not applicable to the new departure date and the transferred deposit is non-refundable.

By direct permission, and on a limited basis, name changes on a reservation can be made at a fee of USD 300 per person, but not less than 90 days before the departure.

Children. Children must be at least 12 years of age to participate in an expedition cruise. However, Operator may accept children ages 8-11 on a case by case basis after additional consideration by the Operator.

On-board language. All voyages are conducted in English and German. For groups of passengers speaking other languages, Operator recruits multi-lingual staff members, who assist the passengers during briefings and lectures. Staff varies from voyage to voyage; please check when booking.

On-board authority. All passengers are subject to instructions or regulations given by the Captain or the Expedition Leader.

On-board payments. All payments are in US dollars. Passengers may run a tab which must be paid prior to disembarkation. Payments can be made in cash or via credit card.

Itinerary. The itineraries published on the Operator’s website and in any other sources serve as examples only. Real itineraries of any expedition cruise (including all scheduled landings and excursions) in polar regions are heavily dependent on weather and ice conditions. Occasionally, conditions and/or safety concerns require itinerary changes. The Captain and the Expedition Leader will accordingly make every effort to find the best alternative to the original itinerary while keeping passengers informed and updated. It is understood that such decisions will be made in the interests of all passengers aboard and with regard to the safety of the vessel. Itinerary changes are not subject to passenger approval/consent and in the event of such a change no refunds or price adjustments are possible. Nothing in this Itinerary is meant to signify the use of any specific design or model of helicopter.

Operator expressly reserves the right to change the itinerary, the date or place of departure due to weather conditions, availability of anchorages, political conditions and other factors beyond Operator’s control without consulting the participants. Placement of a booking with Operator amounts to an acknowledgement that itinerary changes are possible.

Photography/Video. Operator reserves the right to use photographs and/or videos taken during the operation of the voyage for promotional purposes for the Operator and/or its sales agents. Passengers may not charge for their appearance in any photographs or video.

Smoking. Smoking in cabins or public areas of the ship is strictly prohibited by safety regulations. There will be a designated smoking place aboard the ship.

Alcohol. Alcohol beverages are available for sale in the on-board bar. Operator reserves the right to refuse alcohol to anyone deemed to be intoxicated.

Eligibility. There are no specific physical requirements for travel in polar regions. However, the purchased expedition cruise is a cruise to the remote region of the world on a ship which, at times, may be in rough seas. Please also note that there is no specialized medical assistance available in these regions. Passengers with certain medical/health issues may not be appropriate for this type of expedition and are advised to exercise appropriate caution. Our medical information form lists a number of these conditions.

Pre-departure forms. Prior to boarding, specific passenger information is required by Operator for passenger safety and for international reporting regulations. Required information must be completed in the forms provided by Operator and submitted at least 60 days prior to departure. Final documents cannot be issued for passengers whose information has not been received.

Passenger Medical Information. We require all passengers to submit basic medical information prior to departure. Upon receipt of that basic medical information, specific physical conditions may necessitate additional documentation from a passenger’s physician certifying fitness to travel on a polar expedition voyage. If additional medical confirmation is requested, boarding will not be allowed absent receipt of that confirmation. Operator has a pregnancy policy that women are welcome with explicit doctor’s permission and having signed a specific waiver. Pregnancy policies of carriers (ship owners, airlines, bus companies, hotels, etc.) may also apply. Please note that medical information will, of necessity, be available to designated Operator’s staff.

Please note that regardless of general eligibility there may be instances where environmental conditions require a level of fitness/mobility. In these cases, individual participation in the landing(s) in question may be restricted by the Captain, Expedition Leader, or ship’s doctor.

Medical Evacuation and Repatriation Insurance. All passengers are covered by a medical insurance policy to the value of 100.000 EUR per person and the policy includes emergency evacuation and repatriation from remote regions. This is only for passengers under 85 years old. Passengers over 85 years old are to purchase their own insurance policy with coverage not less than 100,000 EUR. Such policy is to cover risks of repatriation/evacuation from extremely remote territories, and is to be sufficient for travelling in the High Arctic. Any risks, not covered by the insurance policy provided, are to be covered by passengers at his/her disposal and at his/her own expense. Insurance is in effect only on board the Ship and outside the port of Murmansk.

Responsibility. The payment of a deposit or full payment for a reservation on this tour shall constitute consent to all the provisions contained herein.

Operator or its agents are not responsible for any costs or penalties relating to air transport or other services that are cancelled. Operator is not liable for failure to provide the services or accommodations offered to the extent that such services or accommodations cannot be provided due to force majeure or other circumstances beyond its control.

Operator is a qualified tour operator that organizes and administers its polar voyages. Operator will provide services in conjunction with local operators and air and sea operators. The designated operator(s), in turn, acts only as an agent for any transportation carrier, hotel, ground operator, or other suppliers of services connected with these tours (“other providers”), and the other providers are solely responsible and liable for providing their respective services. The passenger tickets in use by the carriers shall constitute the sole contract between the carriers and the passenger; the carriers are not responsible for any act, omission, or event during the time participants are not aboard their conveyances.

Operator and its designated service providers shall not be held liable for (a) any damage to, or loss of, property or injury to, or death of, persons occasioned directly or indirectly by an act or omission of any other provider, including but not limited to any defect in any aircraft, watercraft, or vehicle operated or provided by such other provider; and (b) any loss or damage due to delay, cancellation, or disruption in any manner caused by the laws, regulations, acts or failures to act, demands, orders, or interpositions of any government or any subdivision or agent thereof, or by acts of God, strikes, fire, flood, war, rebellion, terrorism, insurrection, sickness, quarantine, epidemics, theft, or any other cause(s) beyond their control.

The participant waives any claim against Operator for any such loss, damage, injury, or death. In the event of Itinerary change due to any unforeseen circumstances or due to force majeure Operator is not to be held liable for any costs incurred by passengers in this case and no refunds or price adjustments are possible.

By registering for our voyage, the participant certifies that he/she does not have any mental, physical, or other condition or disability that would create a hazard for him/herself or other participants. Operator and its designated tour operator reserve the right in their sole discretion to accept, decline to accept, or remove any participant from a voyage. Operator reserves the right, without penalty, to make changes in the published itinerary whenever, in their judgment, conditions warrant, or if they deem it necessary for the comfort, convenience, or safety of participants.

If a passenger misses any scheduled sailing of the vessel from any port or place, including any stopover, Operator shall not be liable for any costs, expenses or damages incurred by the passenger as a result of his/her action and no refund of fare shall be granted.

Baggage. Baggage and personal effects are at all times the sole responsibility of the participant.

Limitations. Passengers are not permitted to bring or have on board any pets or animals, firearms, flammable or hazardous items, controlled or prohibited substances or drugs, contraband or items prohibited by any country or port to be visited.

Acceptance of the Terms & Conditions. Acceptance of the initial services to be provided on the trip shall constitute an acceptance by the trip member of these terms and conditions. On advancement of deposit to Operator, the depositor therefore agrees to be bound by the above-recited Terms & Conditions.

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Cabin share is available only in the following categories: Triple Classic, Main Deck, Classic and Superior Suites.

Single accommodation in Main Deck Suite, Classic Suite and Superior Suite: 1.7x the shared rate; Single accommodation in Deluxe, Premium and Owner Suite: 2x the shared rate.

Triple-share accommodations are restricted to either individual travelers of the same gender or parties of three.

Those who booked shared accommodations aboard the ship – on either triple- or double-occupancy basis – will also share accommodations at the pre-cruise hotel, if applicable.

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Alcohol. Alcohol beverages are available for sale in the on-board bar. Operator reserves the right to refuse alcohol to anyone deemed to be intoxicated.

Eligibility. There are no specific physical requirements for travel in polar regions. However, the purchased expedition cruise is a cruise to the remote region of the world on a ship which, at times, may be in rough seas. Please also note that there is no specialized medical assistance available in these regions. Passengers with certain medical/health issues may not be appropriate for this type of expedition and are advised to exercise appropriate caution. Our medical information form lists a number of these conditions.

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Please note that regardless of general eligibility there may be instances where environmental conditions require a level of fitness/mobility. In these cases, individual participation in the landing(s) in question may be restricted by the Captain, Expedition Leader, or ship's doctor.

Medical Evacuation and Repatriation Insurance. All passengers are required to carry valid evacuation and repatriation insurance which must contain medical and evacuation coverage.

As any potential evacuation from the polar regions can cost up to US\$150,000 for the Arctic and up to US\$200,000 for Antarctica, we recommend that no policy carries less than this amount of coverage. As part of pre-departure forms Operator will require information as to the insurance company, policy number, amount of coverage and 24-hour contact number. Any risks, not covered by the insurance policy provided, are to be covered by passengers at his/her disposal and at his/her own expense.

Cruises in non-polar regions require a minimum of US\$150,000 of evacuation insurance coverage.

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Operator and its designated service providers shall not be held liable for (a) any damage to, or loss of, property or injury to, or death of, persons occasioned directly or indirectly by an act or omission of any other provider, including but not limited to any defect in any aircraft, watercraft, or vehicle operated or provided by such other provider; and (b) any loss or damage due to delay, cancellation, or disruption in any manner caused by the laws, regulations, acts or failures to act, demands, orders, or interpositions of any government or any subdivision or agent thereof, or by acts of God, strikes, fire, flood, war, rebellion, terrorism, insurrection, sickness, quarantine, epidemics, theft, or any other cause(s) beyond their control.

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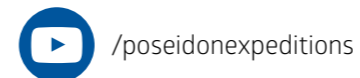
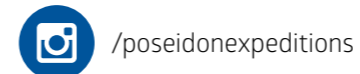
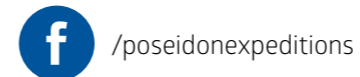
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Baggage. Baggage and personal effects are at all times the sole responsibility of the participant.

Limitations. Passengers are not permitted to bring or have onboard any pets or animals, firearms, flammable or hazardous items, controlled or prohibited substances or drugs, contraband or items prohibited by any country or port to be visited.

Acceptance of the Terms & Conditions. Acceptance of the initial services to be provided on the trip shall constitute an acceptance by the trip member of these terms and conditions. On advancement of deposit to Operator, the depositor therefore agrees to be bound by the above-recited Terms & Conditions. Above-recited Terms & Conditions are valid at the time of going to press. For the up to date version of Terms & Conditions please visit www.poseidonexpeditions.com

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