BON VOYAGE WITH DANCERS AT SEA!

Western Mediterranean - August 22, 2022

14 nights sailing round trip from Barcelona aboard the exquisite Queen Elizabeth. This inspiring 14-night exploration of France, Italy and Spain presents the full spectrum of the Mediterranean, with island visits to Ajaccio and Palma de Mallorca. With fares starting at \$4590 per person, you won't want to miss out on this experience!

DAY 1



Delve into the Picasso Museum or Miró Foundation. Take in Gaudi's rare architectural genius with Parc Güell, Casa Mila and Casa Batlló - and his incredible unfinished masterpiece, the Sagrada Familia. Post-sightseeing, take a shady spot in one of Barcelona's numerous cafés for a dose of Las Ramblas' charming evening atmosphere of street performers and social city life.

DAY 2

Day at Sea

Dance Workships!

DAY 3



Villefranche

Set within a beautiful natural bay, the authentic fishing village Villefranche is a step back in time. The charm and romance of its old town lies in the colorful buildings and peaceful pace of life. The public gardens of the Citadelle, art museums and cafés cast a laid-back spell, while the Riviera's grand names of Nice, Antibes, Cannes and Monte Carlo are all within easy reach.

DAY 4



Rome

A visit to Rome is a genuinely unforgettable experience. Explore legends throughout the ages, including the Vatican and Michelangelo's Sistine Chapel, the Colosseum, the Roman Forum and the Catacombs. Calling at Civitavecchia brings you within an hour of Rome, Italy's ancient UNESCO heritage city. From port it's just a 60-minute train connection to the Eternal City, where architectural wonders of yesteryear abound, ready to transport you back to a time of Emperors, sculptors and gladiators. Step inside the iconic curved amphitheater of the Colosseum, scale the Spanish Steps or seal your wish with a coin at the Trevi Fountain. While there, don't miss the opportunity to visit Vatican City, Europe's smallest independent state. It's here that you'll find the Sistine Chapel with its beautiful ceiling frescoes artfully painted by Michelangelo - a simply stunning sight to behold.

DAY 5	Naples	Sail into the beautiful Bay of Naples with its spectacular views of Capri and Ischia islands, and explore the wide choice of beautiful buildings, stunning parks and truly appetizing Italian eateries. A visit to the Museo Archeologico Nazionale is an excellent way to spend time here. Among many unique and interesting items, you'll get to see mosaics rescued from the buried city of Pompeii. Or, the delightful town of Sorrento is yours to discover on this tour. As you arrive via the coastal road, views stretch across the Bay of Naples to Vesuvius and the Isle of Capri. You'll soon see why Sorrento is considered such a gem. With its elevated cliff-top position, Sorrento looks out over the colourful marina and sparkling Mediterranean Sea below. Your guide will offer a little information upon arrival, before you set off on your own adventure, whether strolling through its charming streets, browsing the quaint shops or soaking up the atmosphere from an authentic café.
DAY 6	Day at Sea	Dance Workships!
DAY 7	Palma de Majorca	Mallorca's capital, Palma, features a vibrant mix of boutiques, lovely cafés and old markets in medieval lanes, all under the watchful gaze of the immense and a photogenic Gothic sandstone cathedral. Beyond Palma, the island's gorgeous coast shelters beautiful coves, calm harbors, and the lavish villas of the rich and famous.
DAY 8	Barcelona	Relax and explore Barcelona's attractions at a leisurely pace. Some of the great sights of the Catalonian capital you'll take in include the Citadel Park, the neo-moorish Arch of Triumph, and the lovely Art Nouveau buildings that line Passeig de Gracia. Free time at the Olympic Village offers a wonderful opportunity to stroll through the beautiful marina and promenade. The highlight of your journey is sure to be the spectacular views from Montjuïc's mirador, from which you can see nearly all Barcelona's most famous landmarks.
DAY 9	Day at Sea	Dance Workships!

DAY 10	Cannes	On the French Riviera, Cannes is prized for its brilliant beaches, chic boutiques and the elegant nightspots around the La Croisette promenade. A climate that sees 12 hours of sun during summer. Visit the Palais des Festivals, a focal point for the annual throng of film stars, or the nearby La Malmaison hotel, a marvellous 19th-century mansion that welcomes passing visitors to explore. Stroll around La Croisette promenade. It was a sleepy harbor until 1834, when Lord Brougham stayed here on his travels to Italy and began its transformation into a fashionable resort. It's now home to the famous film festival and the immortalized handprints of A-list movie stars. Or, spend an unforgettable day walking amidst the splendour of Monaco and Monte Carlo, playground of the rich and famous. You'll have free time to stroll amidst the designer boutiques, restaurants and gardens or perhaps enjoy a spot of people watching. Don't miss one of Monte Carlo's most legendary landmarks, The Grand Casino, while you'll also enjoy a delicious lunch at a restaurant in Monaco.
DAY 11	Florence / Pisa	Florence is one of Tuscany's Renaissance treasures, with its red tiled roofs, tiny shops and wonderful architecture. For many, this is the romantic capital of Italy and all that visit long to return. Marvel the mosaic façade and stained glass of the Duomo, gaze up at the tilting bell tower of Pisa or visit the beautiful gold and silver workshops huddled together over the River Arno. The Piazza del Duomo holds a trio of beautiful buildings, which complement perfectly - the Campanile, Baptistry, and the stunning Cathedral (exterior visits only). In Signoria Square you'll find the Fountain of Neptune, Donatello's 'Judith and Holophernes', and a copy of Michelangelo's 'David'. Soak up the charming atmosphere of Santa Croce Square, with its colourful frescoes, shops, and quaint cafés, and stroll across the bustling 14th century Ponte Vecchio Bridge. On return, explore the Renaissance splendours of charming Pisa, and witness the iconic Leaning Tower.
DAY 12	Ajjacio, Corsica, France	Ajaccio presents an opportunity to retrace the early footsteps of Napoleon Bonaparte. The house where he was born is rich with Bonaparte family documents and portraits. A remarkable step into history. Ponder the journey that made Napoleon one of Europe's most notorious leaders. But don't forget to experience Tino Rossi harbor's pastel façades, brightly painted fishing boats and rustling palms.
DAY 13	Day at Sea	Dance Workships!
DAY 14	Valencia	Valencia is an exhilarating mix of history, art and intellectual activity. Brave the 200 steps up to the summit of the amphitheater, for a giddying panorama of orange rooftops and blue-domed churches. Valencia's rich Hispanic culture is visible everywhere in the city's architecture, often reflecting Roman, Visigoth, Moorish, and Aragonese traditions.
DAY 15	Barcelona	Disembark this morning with experiences of a lifetime, new friends, and dancing to your hearts' content!

PRICING

	Double Occupancy	Single Occupancy
Inside	\$4590 Per person	\$7790
Outside	\$5090 Per person	\$8390
Balcony	\$5690 Per person	\$8990

^{*} Plus port charges, tax and government fees \$339.76 per person

^{*} Special group fares available