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2010 CRUISE SCHEDULE

CRUISE VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER-ALASKA CRUISE EXPERIENCE

Vancouver serves as an ideal port to begin an Alaskan adventure. As homeport to Alaska through Canada's Inside Passage, passengers can experience the natural beauty of the glaciers, mountains, wildlife, and culture of America's last frontier.

HOST CITY FOR 2010 WINTER GAMES

Ranked as one of the most beautiful and livable cities in the world by *Condé Nast Traveler* and the *Economist Intelligence Unit's Global Livability Survey*, Vancouver is renowned for its culture, international cuisine, and excellent attractions and shopping. The city also serves as an ideal home base for activities in the province of British Columbia, from visits to Whistler or the Rocky Mountains, to tours of Victoria or the wineries of the Okanagan Valley. The best cruises begin and end in Vancouver, Host City for the 2010 Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games.

PREMIER CRUISE LINES

From April to October, some of the most luxurious and largest ships afloat sail from Vancouver. This wide selection of cruise ships is operated by premier international cruise lines including, Carnival Cruise Lines, Celebrity Cruises, Holland America Line, Norwegian Cruise Line, NYK Line, Princess Cruises, Radisson Seven Seas, Royal Caribbean International and Silversea. During the 2009 season, 898,473 cruise passengers on 256 sailings, passed through the Port's two cruise terminals, Canada Place and Ballantyne.

ENHANCED CUSTOMER SERVICE

A variety of world-class services are available to Vancouver cruise passengers. By participating in the US Direct program, passengers can benefit from an expedited immigration and customs clearance process. There is also a wide selection of ground transportation services, including shuttles and tour packages, ground transfers, taxis, limousines, and bus service to Victoria, available at both terminals to connect passengers to post cruise destinations. Nearby connections include public transit, rapid transit to the airport, as well as floatplane and helicopter service to Vancouver Island destinations and Seattle.

TERMINALS

THE BEST CRUISES BEGIN AND END IN VANCOUVER

Port Metro Vancouver has two cruise ship terminals, Canada Place and Ballantyne. Survey results consistently rank the passenger experience at Vancouver's cruise terminals as extremely satisfactory. London-based travel publisher, *Berlitz*, has recognized Vancouver as the most passenger-friendly cruise port in North America and the Port's terminal operations have won several international awards.

CANADA PLACE – 999 CANADA PLACE

Port Metro Vancouver's premier cruise facility is located in the city centre near excellent hotels, shopping, dining, entertainment and attractions. Its distinctive white sail design, five-star hotel, and the Vancouver Convention and Exhibition Centre make Canada Place an attractive start and finish to any cruise experience.

BALLANTYNE – 851 CENTENNIAL ROAD

Ballantyne is located on a heritage-designated site, east of the city centre and just minutes away from Canada Place. Ballantyne is accessed through the Clark Drive overpass and offers a variety of ground transportation services and amenities to cruise passengers.

Both terminals also offer short and long term parking with shuttle service. Cruise passengers can also utilize a new rapid transit line to the airport. The Canada Line offers a 25 minute ride to the Vancouver International Airport every 4-6 minutes.

2010 CRUISE SCHEDULE (APRIL - OCTOBER)

Passengers have the option to choose from a variety of ships and departure dates, and one-way or round-trip itineraries through Canada's Inside Passage. Visit portmetrovancouver.com/cruise for full schedule.

A WEEKLY GLANCE

WEEK 1

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
Mercury			Volendam		Millennium	Zuiderdam
Ryndam			Seven Seas Navigator			Coral Princess

Silver Shadow in port regularly, check portmetrovancouver.com/cruise for specific dates

WEEK 2

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
Mercury	Island Princess		Volendam		Radiance of the Seas	Zuiderdam
Statendam			Seven Seas Navigator			Diamond Princess

2010 CRUISE VESSEL CALLS

CARNIVAL CRUISE LINES
Carnival Spirit

CELEBRITY CRUISES
Infinity
Mercury
Millennium

HOLLAND AMERICA LINE
Amsterdam
Oosterdam
Rotterdam
Ryndam
Statendam
Volendam
Zaandam
Zuiderdam

NORWEGIAN CRUISE LINE
Norwegian Pearl
Norwegian Star

NYK LINE
Asuka II

PRINCESS CRUISES
Coral Princess
Diamond Princess
Island Princess
Royal Princess
Sapphire Princess
Golden Princess

RADISSON SEVEN SEAS
Seven Seas Navigator

ROYAL CARIBBEAN INTERNATIONAL
Radiance of the Seas
Rhapsody of the Seas

SILVERSEA
Silver Shadow

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US DIRECT PROGRAM FOR ALASKA CRUISE SHIP PASSENGERS

Port Metro Vancouver, cruise lines and the Vancouver Airport Authority offer "Onboard Check-in" and "US Direct" programs to streamline Alaska cruise ship passenger processing and improve transit times between the Port and airport. The US Direct initiative allows passengers arriving at Vancouver Airport to transfer directly to a same-day-departing cruise ship by participating in an expedited immigration and customs clearance process. The program also works in reverse. US Direct does not apply to passengers who are planning a pre or post stay in Vancouver.

FEATURES AND BENEFITS:

- Sterile and secure passenger and baggage transfer between the Port and airport
- Significantly reduced wait times for departing and arriving passengers
- Works in conjunction with a cruise line bus transfer
- 100% screening for all passengers and baggage

PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS:

AIRLINES

- Air Canada/Jazz
- Alaska Airlines/Horizon Air
- American Airlines
- Continental
- Delta
- United Airlines
- US Airways

CRUISE LINES

- Celebrity Cruises
- Holland America Line
- Princess Cruises
- Royal Caribbean International

For eligibility information, please contact your cruise line or visit portmetrovancouver.com/cruise

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CANADA PLACE & BALLANTYNE TERMINALS

Port Metro Vancouver's terminals are conveniently located, accessible and only 30 minutes driving distance from the award winning Vancouver International Airport (YVR). Canada Place is located in the city centre, close to shopping, dining, attractions and Stanley Park.

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