

Holland America Line Entertainment & Activities

Entertainment

On Location

- On each sailing, a regional Location Team shares unique insight, highlights and secrets on the destination
- Regionally focused food and drink options
- Visiting guest chefs from along the route add local flavor to cooking demonstrations and hands-on class at the Culinary Arts Center

Dancing with the Stars: At Sea

- Six theme cruises in 2014 featuring “Dancing with the Stars” events
- Events include dance lessons; a chance to meet the dancers, ask questions and take photos; dazzling production show starring the celebrities and famed pro dancers
- Every sailing on all 15 ships features an exclusive “Dancing with the Stars” program including dance lessons and dance-off performance
- Fifteen guests will receive a free cruise and chance to compete on the 2014 “Champions Cruise”

B.B. King’s Blues Club Experience

- Live entertainment five nights a week performed by world-class musicians from the B.B. King Blues Club Band
- Each ship’s Queen’s Lounge features a special stage resembling a Memphis nightclub, as well as specialty cocktails from the land-based clubs
- Available during select periods on *ms Eurodam*, *ms Noordam*, *ms Nieuw Amsterdam*, *ms Westerdam* and *ms Zuiderdam*

Music & Dancing

- Piano Bar nightly
- MIX: a mix of drinks – martinis, champagne, beer – and music at three distinct bars (on select ships)
- Explorer’s Lounge: classical sounds of Adagio Strings with coffees, drinks and liqueurs
- HALCats, an eight-piece party band providing musical entertainment onboard
- Ocean Bar: cocktails and dancing to Great America songs
- Crow’s Nest: dancing with the best views on the ship to favorite songs played by DJ
- Northern Lights: dance club on *ms Zuiderdam*, *ms Oosterdam*, *ms Noordam*, *ms Westerdam*, *ms Eurodam* and *ms Nieuw Amsterdam*

On Stage

- Live entertainment nightly: award-winning, Las Vegas-style production shows, talented vocalists, illusionists, comedians and variety acts

Movies & TV

- Complimentary movies and hot buttered popcorn in the ship's movie theatre
- Giant LED screen on deck features open-air movies (on select ships)
- Ship Flicks: more than 1,000 DVD titles available for in-stateroom viewing
- CNN, ESPN, TNT, TCM and Cartoon Network via satellite (availability varies by itinerary)
- Recent Hollywood blockbusters to classic favorites shown on three onboard movie channels

Activities

Greenhouse Spa & Salon

- Complete menu of massage and body treatments, facials, detoxification therapy and full-service salon staffed by knowledgeable professionals
- The latest exotic skin, body, hair and nail treatments such as hot stone massages
- Private treatment rooms, including couple's massage rooms
- Hydrotherapy pool with warm, therapeutic sea water (on select ships)
- Heated ceramic lounge reminiscent of an opulent Turkish bath (except *ms Prinsendam*)

Fitness Center

- State-of-the-art weight and cardio machines
- Qualified personal trainers available for one-on-one training sessions
- Fitness classes such as yoga, Pilates, aerobics, aquaerobics and Cardio Ki-Bo Circuit Training

Culinary Arts Center Presented by *Food & Wine Magazine*

- Innovative theatre-style venue with a state-of-the-art "show kitchen at sea"
- Cooking demonstrations and hands-on cooking classes by the ship's chef and culinary staff
- Culinary Enrichment Program on entertaining arts and preparation of exceptional cuisine
- Special guest chefs and leading cookbook authors featured on select cruises
- Wine tastings, Signature Cocktail program and food pairing seminars hosted by experts
- Two large plasma video screens overhead and close-up video views of food preparation

Explorations Café powered by *The New York Times*

- Comfortable, café environment for favorite espresso drinks and fresh pastries
- Internet stations for news and email access, free access to *The New York Times* online edition
- Wireless hot spots for guests traveling with personal laptops
- *New York Times* crossword puzzles, library of more than 2,000 books and array of music selections
- The Explorations Speaker Series on longer voyages features guest lecturers and discussions on topics related to the history, culture and cuisine of ports of call

Digital Workshop powered by Windows®

- Free 60-minute workshops led by a Microsoft-trained techspert to introduce guests with varying levels of computer and camera experience to photo editing, movie and slideshow creation, PC organization, cloud storage with SkyDrive and more
- Many new workshops focus on the latest and innovative features of Windows 8
- Multiple workshops held daily, plus one-on-one coaching available

iPod Art Tour

- Self-guided art and antique tour of Holland America Line's multi-million dollar collections
- 30- to 40-minute tour includes walking directions, interviews with artists, background music and photo images; narrated by well-known radio hosts Paul Lasley and Elizabeth Harryman
- Ship-specific tour downloadable to personal iPod, MP3 or portable media player from iTunes or pre-loaded art tours are also available on board

Casino Gaming

- Games for beginners to tournaments for veteran players; complimentary lessons offered
- Table Games — Blackjack, Roulette, Craps (select ships), Three Card Poker, Texas Hold 'Em
- Slots — from penny to five-dollar machines, multi-denomination games, video poker
- Cruise Lottery — chance to win a seven-day cruise

Shopping

- Tax and duty-free shopping in Signature Shops featuring fine jewelry, watches, designer fragrances, cosmetics, distinctive gifts, premium liquor and stylish Holland America Line apparel
- Merabella Collection: exclusive jewelry boutique offering exquisite styles by top designers such as Le Vian, Chimento, Haytayan, Tara and Sons (not available on *ms Prinsendam*)
- Auctions on each cruise of art by masters such as Rembrandt, Picasso, Dalí, Chagall and Erté, plus sports memorabilia and animation art, all priced at below gallery prices

Sports

- Swimming pools and on-deck hot tubs
- Walking and jogging classic teak decks
- Basketball, volleyball and tennis

Culinary Arts Center for Kids

- Kids learn to prepare breakfast, lunch, dinner and snack items in 45-minute workshops
- Under age eight: Bear Tracks (Alaska theme cookies), Denali Peaks (Alaska Theme Scones), fruit leather roll-ups, ice cream sandwiches and salad people art
- Age eight to teens: soft pretzels, granola bars, pita chips, hummus and saltwater taffy

Youth Programs

- Fun, age-appropriate activities supervised by permanent, professional staff

Club HAL® — Kids ages three to twelve (ages five to seven on *ms Prinsendam*)

- Activities: pirate treasure hunts, hands-on pizza making, storytelling, "Little Artists" crafts, ice cream sundae parties and farewell pajama party, Xbox and Wii tournaments, relay races, scavenger hunts, karaoke disco parties and National Park Service Jr. Ranger Program in Alaska on Alaska cruises

The Loft and The Oasis — Teens ages 13 to 17

- Activities: mocktail mixology classes, late night sporting competitions, teen yoga and hip hop classes, guys-versus-girls scavenger hunts, cooking demos, tech classes and teen-only night club events (on select ships)

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