



ADVENTURE
CANADA

⚓ SMALL-SHIP EXPEDITION

Mighty Saint Lawrence

JUNE 1-11, 2022



Your Adventure Canada Experience

Immerse yourself in the wonders of nature and culture. Travel alongside scientists, historians, naturalists, cultural educators, and artists, who share their passion and experience with you.

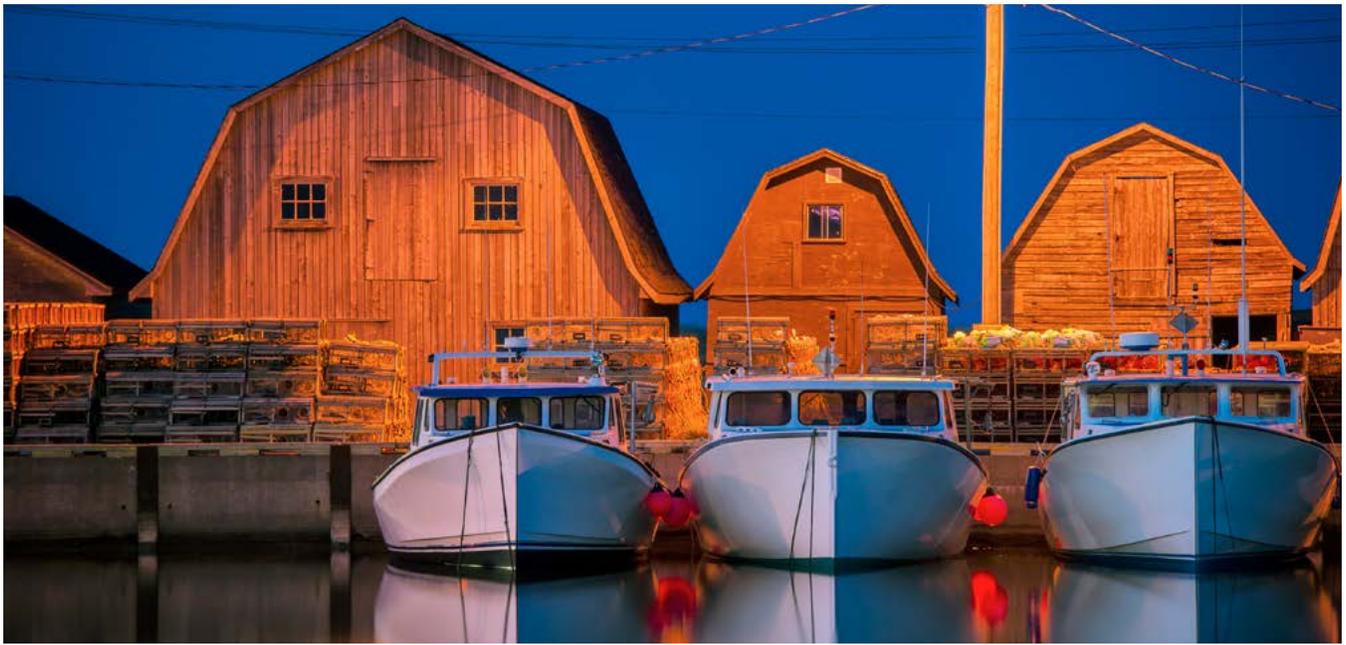
Adventure Canada's expeditions are more than phenomenal expeditions of a lifetime; they are lifelong learning journeys for the heart and mind. Your expedition is an immersive cultural experience both on and off the ship.

Our shipboard program is educational and fun. You can join daily presentations, debates, and workshops that provide perspective and understanding. Our expedition team—experts

OUR EXPEDITION TEAM—EXPERTS IN THEIR FIELDS—ARE APPROACHABLE, AVAILABLE ON DECK AND AT MEALS, AND ALWAYS ON SHORE DURING EXCURSIONS

in their fields—are approachable, available on deck and at meals, and always on shore during excursions. Our unique mix of entertainment and camaraderie is integral to our evening concerts, daily gatherings, and learning opportunities.

Each day, your onboard and onshore programming is thoughtfully planned to make the most of the local environment. Hiking, wildlife viewing, historic sites, community visits, and Zodiac cruising are regular activities. You can spot wildlife from the deck, take a polar plunge, relax in the hot tub, take care of yourself at a stretch class, or unwind with a great book from our onboard library. You choose the activities that are best suited to your abilities and interests.



Learn from the locals

Adventure Canada has a myriad of connections in the regions we visit; nothing beats being welcomed as an honoured guest. Esteemed local guides connect you to destinations, people, and culture—personally!

Safety first. Experience, foremost

You're in good hands: our expedition team members are experienced, knowledgeable, and attentive. They'll ensure your comfort and safety—then enlighten, inspire, and entertain you!

Our expedition team is at the heart of our programming—and there's something for everyone! Join us at presentations, workshops, discussion panels, Q & A sessions, and more.



Enriching Expeditions in Spectacular Locations



Your personal voyage of discovery

Explore and learn about new lands and peoples as you experience the rich cultures and fascinating landscapes we sail to. Take the road less travelled and enrich your perspective during visits to communities, natural habitats, and historic sites that can be otherwise difficult to reach.

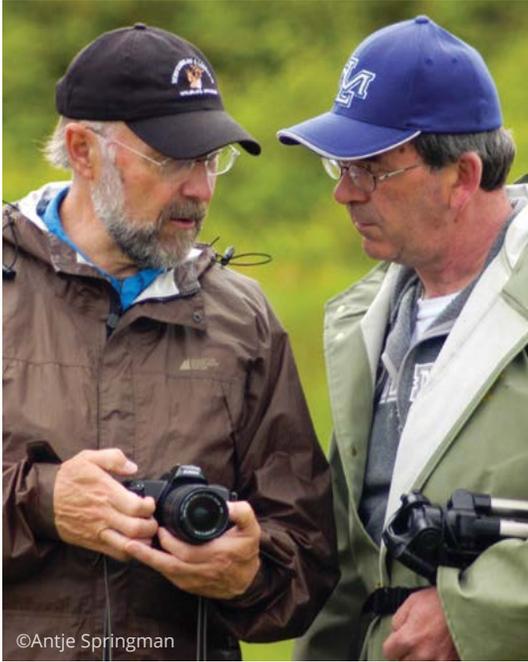
Our expeditions are designed to be flexible and allow us to make the best of Mother Nature's conditions. We often make landfall at new places and are able to share new discoveries and local knowledge with you. Your voyage will be marked with thoughtful discussions, expert interpretation, and the spirit of discovery.



Get off the ship, get into a Zodiac!

Cruise among icebergs; search for marine mammals; visit an outpost community; wander remote coastlines... simply enjoy the freedom of being out on the water daily! Our goal is to get you off the ship as often as possible.

Zodiacs free us from the dependency on ports, piers, and other built infrastructure. These safe, stable, versatile boats take you where the action is.



Learn from passionate experts

Why would an esteemed Canada Research Chair, for example, travel with us on a working vacation? It's simple: they can't resist the opportunity to engage, excite, educate, and enlighten you! Make the most of every learning opportunity, aboard and ashore, in geology, botany, marine biology, archaeology, photography, cultural history, and more!

Our hand-picked experts are as excited as you are to be on board. Join them on deck searching for wildlife, share daily meals for personal in-depth conversations, participate in workshops, attend presentations, and learn on the land. The Adventure Canada team has a deep love for discovery, learning, exploration, and growth, and is at your service.



Experience local culture and traditions

From Arctic communities to the fishing villages of former New France, to the outposts of Newfoundland and Labrador, we embrace local music, dance, food, language, and traditions, everywhere we go!

Expedition travel isn't just about what you see, or where you go. It's who you meet and get to know.



Wildlife encounters

Daily excursions with expert guides put you where you are most likely to see wildlife: whales and seabirds in Atlantic Canada; muskox, seals, and polar bears in the High Arctic. Whether viewing on deck, in the Zodiac, or learning during our presentation series, you'll come away with an appreciation for the fine creatures that inhabit our world. Our best practices ensure the safety and integrity of the wildlife we have the privilege to view.

Mighty Saint Lawrence



Taste of Place



June 1–11, 2022

From **\$3,595** to **\$14,895** USD
per person (Additional fuel surcharge
apply. Please check the pricing sheet on
the page 12.)

Aboard the *Ocean Endeavour*

Starts: Québec City, QC
Ends: Saint-Pierre, France

Solo cabins based on availability

Charter Flights (details p.12)



Itinerary Map

- Day 1:** Québec City & Tadoussac, Québec, Canada
- Day 2:** Saguenay Fjord
- Day 3:** Jardins de Métis / Reford Gardens
- Day 4:** Havre-Saint-Pierre / Mingan Archipelago
- Day 5:** Forillon National Park / Gaspé
- Day 6:** Île Bonaventure / Percé Rock
- Day 7:** Prince Edward Island
- Day 8-9:** Magdalen Islands
- Day 10:** Newfoundland's South Coast
- Day 11:** Saint-Pierre, France

Highlights

- Explore the unique history of New France
- See hundreds of thousands of seabirds nesting at Bonaventure Island
- Cruise Percé Rock by Zodiac for unbeatable views
- Seek the thirteen species of cetaceans found in the Gulf of Saint Lawrence
- Visit three provinces—Québec, PEI, and Newfoundland—and the French island of Saint-Pierre
- Learn about Mi'kmaw culture on a community-hosted visit to Lennox Island First Nation
- Discover the rich cultural heritage and stunning red sandstone cliffs of the Magdalen Islands
- Immerse yourself in the rich culinary traditions of French Canada through Adventure Canada's **Taste of Place** culinary program

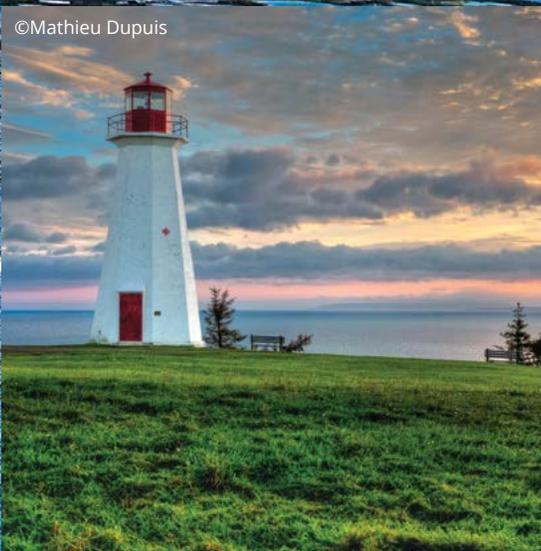


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Itinerary

DAY 1: QUÉBEC CITY & TADOUSSAC, QUÉBEC, CANADA

Founded in 1608 by Champlain, the beautiful city of Québec is the capital of the province of the same name. Predominantly French-speaking, Québec retains strong European influences in architecture, cuisine, and culture—a truly a fascinating city to explore!

We meet in Québec City and travel by coach to the charming community of Tadoussac, where we will board the *Ocean Endeavour*.

DAY 2: SAGUENAY FJORD

At the mouth of Saguenay Fjord, along the north shore of the Saint Lawrence River estuary, salt water meets fresh water. In the morning we will explore Tadoussac, once an

Innu sealing camp, and later—in 1599—the site of the first trading post in what is now Canada.

In the afternoon we'll cruise Saguenay Fjord National Park, searching for the fin, minke, blue, and beluga whales known to frequent these nutrient-rich waters.

DAY 3: JARDINS DE MÉTIS / REFORD GARDENS

Weather permitting, we'll visit the famed Reford Gardens, a National Historic Site. Scenic walks wind among 15 distinct gardens offering more than 3,000 species and varieties of flowers and plants. The expansive site includes art installations, sculptures, a museum, and a restaurant.

DAY 4: HAVRE-SAINT-PIERRE / MINGAN ARCHIPELAGO

The spectacular natural sculptures of the Mingan Islands are formed of limestone, shaped by the action of the sea. At 50° N, these islands owe as much to the north as to the east for their character. Atlantic puffins and Arctic eiders vie for the attention of birders, while harp, harbour, and grey seals cavort in the waters. Not to be outdone, the flora of the islands is wildly diverse, including 450 plant species, 190 lichens, and 300 mosses!



DAY 5: FORILLON NATIONAL PARK / GASPÉ

The Gaspé Peninsula (Gaspésie) separates the mouth of the Saint Lawrence estuary from Baie de Chaleur. Remnants of the Appalachian mountain chain form stunning sea cliffs here, jutting above the tree line.

Forillon National Park is an important bird and marine mammal habitat, with excellent hiking, including a walk to Canada's tallest lighthouse. Grande-Grave National Heritage Site tells the story of the fishing families who once made their homes here.

DAY 6: ÎLE BONAVENTURE / PERCÉ ROCK

Today we'll visit Parc National de l'Île-Bonaventure-et-du-Rocher-Percé, where we'll enjoy a Zodiac cruise of Percé Rock and Bonaventure Island.

Percé Rock is a huge natural arch within a mass of reddish limestone and sandstone, with a large sea stack at one end. Thousands of northern gannets and other seabirds nest at nearby Bonaventure Island.

DAY 7: PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Prince Edward Island is a realm of rolling hills, wooded glades, ocean coves, and famously red soil. Canada's smallest province, often abbreviated to PEI, retains a slow-paced lifestyle in its small, rural settlements. The island gained international fame by Lucy Maud Montgomery's *Anne of Green Gables*. We'll call in at the province's iconic sites and visit Lennox Island First Nation.

DAY 8-9: MAGDALEN ISLANDS

Though a part of Québec, the Magdalens (Les Îles-de-la-Madeleine) in the Gulf of Saint Lawrence are closer to Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. Approximately 12,000 residents live on the archipelago. Dramatic red

sandstone cliffs are among the most striking features of the Magdalen Islands.

We will overnight here and spend two days exploring the robust Acadian heritage, culture, cuisine, and language of the islands. Look for handicrafts, seafood, and local wines and beers!

DAY 10: NEWFOUNDLAND'S SOUTH COAST

Fjords, cliffs, and islands offer excellent Zodiac cruising territory—and hiking may be an option as well. We'll be watching for puffins and other seabirds, and of course, keeping a close eye out for whales.

DAY 11: SAINT-PIERRE, FRANCE

Just off the shores of Newfoundland lie the islands of Saint-Pierre and Miquelon—an official territory of the French Republic.

We will have an opportunity to explore the charming, colourful town of Saint-Pierre. French food, wine, and shopping await! There we end our expedition by joining our charter flight to St. John's, NL.

Optional one night sailing

Spend the morning and afternoon touring the town of Saint-Pierre. In the early afternoon you will embark the Ocean Endeavour and sail across to St. John's, NL on a one-night sailing. We will not have any landings, but will enjoy a fun onboard program with music and entertainment, and have a chance to look for seabirds and marine wildlife en route to St. John's.

\$400 USD per person



Multi-Trip Promotion

*Extend your voyage—join us on board Newfoundland Circumnavigation, June 12–23, and save 10% off the berth cost with our Multi-Trip Promotion. Can be combined with the Early Booking Bonus, Free Single Supplement, and League of Adventurers Loyalty Rewards Program. **Call for details.***

SHIP

The *Ocean Endeavour*



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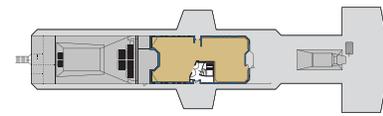
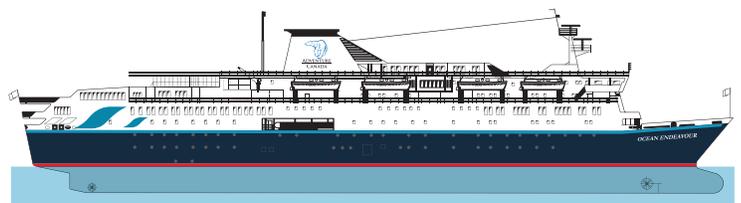
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Length: 137 metres (450 ft.)

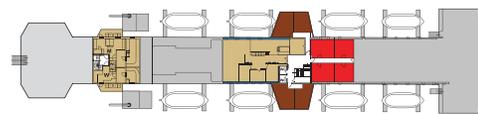
Registry: Bahamas

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 purpose-built for passenger experiences in remote environments. The *Ocean Endeavour* boasts a 1B ice class, enabling her to explore throughout the polar summers. Launched in 1982, she has had numerous upgrades, most recently in 2016.

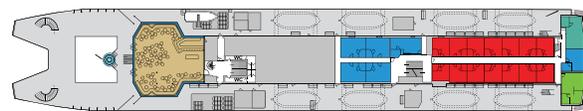
At 137 metres in length, the *Ocean Endeavour* has plenty of interior and exterior space. Ample deck space offers comfortable lounge chairs, a swimming pool, two saunas, and a hot tub. The spacious interior allows for varied workshops and presentations to occur simultaneously. The three lounges aboard the *Ocean Endeavour* are optimal locations for seminars, events, parties, and conversation.



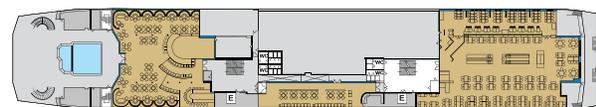
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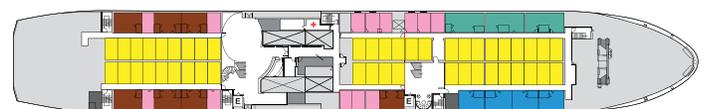
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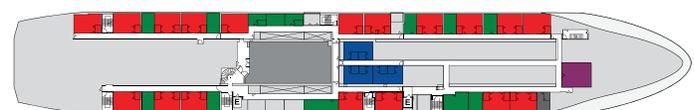
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DECK 4



● **CATEGORY 10** SUITE

Deck seven: forward-facing picture windows, unobstructed view; matrimonial bed, private bath with full tub, refrigerator — approx. 310 sq. ft.

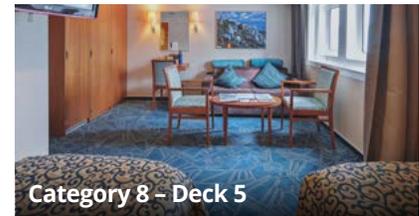


● **CATEGORY 9** JUNIOR SUITE

Deck five: picture windows, unobstructed view; matrimonial bed, sitting area — approx. 270 sq. ft. **Deck seven forward:** forward-facing picture windows, unobstructed view; matrimonial bed, sitting area, private bath with full tub, refrigerator — approx. 290 sq. ft.

● **CATEGORY 8** SUPERIOR TWIN

Deck five: two picture windows, unobstructed view; two lower berths, sitting area — approx. 210 sq. ft. **Deck seven forward:** forward-facing picture windows, unobstructed view; matrimonial bed — approx. 180 sq. ft., private bath with full tub. **Deck seven midship:** picture windows, partial obstruction; matrimonial bed, private bath, refrigerator — approx. 190 sq. ft.



Category 7 – Deck 8

● **CATEGORY 7** SELECT TWIN

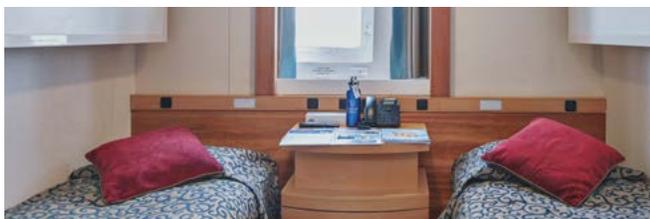
Deck five: picture windows, unobstructed view; two lower berths, approx. 190 sq. ft. **Deck eight:** oversize windows, partial obstruction; matrimonial bed, private bath, refrigerator — approx. 145 sq. ft.



Category 6 – Deck 4

● **CATEGORY 6** COMFORT TWIN

Deck four: two porthole windows, unobstructed view; two lower berths — approx. 175 sq. ft. **Deck seven:** picture window, partial obstruction; two lower berths — approx. 135 sq. ft. **Deck eight:** picture windows, obstructed view; matrimonial bed, private bath, refrigerator — approx. 160 sq. ft.



● **CATEGORY 5** MAIN TWIN

Deck five: picture window, unobstructed view; two lower berths, private bath — approx. 115 sq. ft.



● **CATEGORY 4** EXTERIOR TWIN

Deck four: porthole window, unobstructed view; two lower berths, private bath — approx. 100 sq. ft. (twin) / 90 sq. ft. (single).

● **CATEGORY 3** INTERIOR TWIN

Deck five: interior cabin, two lower berths, private bath — approx. 125 sq. ft. (twin) / 110 sq. ft. (single).

● **CATEGORY 2** TRIPLE

Deck four: interior cabin, three lower berths, two private baths — approx. 200 sq. ft.

● **CATEGORY 1** QUAD

Deck four: interior cabin, four lower berths, private bath — approx. 240 sq. ft.



Expedition and Charter Flight Prices

ALL PRICES ARE PER PERSON, IN US DOLLARS

Early Booking Bonus Available!

To learn about your saving options please contact us or your preferred travel advisor for more details.

Can be combined with the Free Single Supplement, Multi-Trip Promotion, and League of Adventurers Loyalty Rewards Program.

EXPEDITIONS	DAYS	CABIN CLASS CATEGORIES										CHARTER FLIGHT
		10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	
MIGHTY SAINT LAWRENCE JUNE 1-11, 2022	11	\$14,895*	\$13,595*	\$12,295*	\$10,995*	\$9,695*	\$8,395*	\$7,095*	\$5,795*	\$4,395*	\$3,595*	
		*plus \$484 fuel surcharge per person (\$44 per day)										
		Saint-Pierre, France to St. John's, NL. Afternoon arrival.										\$495

Canadian residents may opt to take advantage of Adventure Canada's in-house exchange rate (fixed quarterly) and pay for their voyage in Canadian dollars, if desired. Contact your preferred travel advisor for more details.

EXPEDITION COSTS INCLUDE:

*Passage aboard the *Ocean Endeavour* *Applicable taxes and credit card fees *Complimentary expedition jacket *Contribution to Adventure Canada's Discovery Fund *Special access permits, entry, and park fees *Expert expedition team *Guided activities *Sightseeing and community visits *All Zodiac excursions *Port fees *Pre-departure materials *Educational program *Nikon Camera Trial Program *Interactive workshops *Evening entertainment *All shipboard meals

EXPEDITION COSTS DO NOT INCLUDE:

*Fuel surcharge \$44 USD per day per person on 2022 departures *Commercial and charter flights *Program enhancements/ optional excursions *Gratuities *Personal expenses *Mandatory medical evacuation insurance *Additional expenses in the event of delays or itinerary changes *Possible fuel surcharges and administrative fees *Pre- and post-trip hotel accommodation



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As a registered Ontario company, we are licensed to sell travel packages through the Travel Industry Council of Ontario (TICO). Adventure Canada is required to keep all customer deposits in Client Trust Accounts and may only use the funds once the trip has begun, or to make a deposit to an operator on behalf of the client. Our Client Trust Accounts are subject to audit by a Chartered Professional Accountant (CPA) on an annual basis and are regularly inspected by TICO auditors.



League of Adventurers

LOYALTY REWARDS PROGRAM



Exploring with Adventure Canada just got better with our exclusive loyalty program: The League of Adventurers.

The number of people who keep travelling with us continues to grow and, in response, we want to thank our returning clients by offering special rewards and benefits. As a past traveller you are automatically a valued member of the League and eligible for special rewards.

SAVE 5%

When booking your second to fifth shipboard expedition operated by Adventure Canada

SAVE 10%

When booking your sixth or more shipboard expedition operated by Adventure Canada

PLUS

- League of Adventurers welcome package
- Early notifications of upcoming promotions and events
- Exclusive gifts
- Onboard gift shop discounts

Terms and conditions apply.

Specials and Incentives

Available exclusively aboard *Ocean Endeavour* expeditions, excluding Antarctica



Free Single Supplement

For those who prefer not to share, we have a limited quantity of cabins in category 3 through to category 7 with no single supplement! Once these cabins are sold, the single supplement fee is 1.5 times the berth cost. Single occupancy in categories 8–10 is available at full double-occupancy rates. Can be combined with the Multi-Trip Promotion, League of Adventurers Loyalty Rewards Program, and 2022 Early Booking Bonus. Subject to cabin availability.



Multi-Trip Promotion

Receive 10% off the berth cost when you book more than one 2022 *Ocean Endeavour* expedition (excluding Antarctica). Can be combined with the Early Booking Bonus, Free Single Supplement, and League of Adventurers Loyalty Rewards Program.



Family Friendly

Children four years old and younger pay only for charter airfare—and children two years and younger travel free! Children must be accompanied by a full-fare adult. Can be combined with the League of Adventurers Loyalty Rewards Program.



Save 30% under 30

Save 30% on the berth cost for travellers under thirty years of age. Can be combined with the Free Single Supplement and League of Adventurers Loyalty Rewards Program.



Price Guarantee

If Adventure Canada reduces the price of the berth portion of the fare of any expedition more than 120 days prior to departure, previously booked clients may claim the lower rate. For more information, please visit adventurecanada.com/price-guarantee.

Program Enhancements Aboard the *Ocean Endeavour*

We're pleased to provide the following optional program enhancements to help you make the very most of every day—in your own way!

Expedition Jackets

COMPLIMENTARY



You will receive a complimentary expedition jacket to keep you protected from the elements. Designed specifically for expedition travel, your jacket is waterproof and windproof. This jacket is yours to keep as a coveted and useful memento of your adventure.

Qajaq/Kayak

PAID



Explore at sea level in small groups with our experienced kayak guides. We offer excursions on double kayaks, as well as the essential gear for safety and comfort.

Nikon Camera Trial Program

COMPLIMENTARY



Travellers aboard *Ocean Endeavour* expeditions will be able to use precision, professional-quality photography equipment courtesy of the onboard Nikon Camera Trial Program. Together, we empower our guests to create truly dynamic images and tell vibrant stories.

Biking

PAID

Experience communities and landscapes at your own pace! For fitness enthusiasts and independent explorers, we carry a fleet of Kona mountain bikes. These multi-gear, all-purpose bikes are available during select community excursions.

Upcoming 2023 Expeditions

Contact Adventure Canada or your preferred travel advisor for early access!



Scotland Slowly

June 2023

In the isles of Scotland, the past is present. Rugged ruins and ancient villages. Hear music and stories, and revel in wildlife. Absorb the scenery. Immerse yourself in history.



Scotland, the Faroe Islands, & Iceland: North Atlantic Saga

June 2023

Sample the unique cultures of Scotland, the Faroe Islands, and Iceland with our generous local hosts on this epic journey.



Iceland Circumnavigation

July 2023

At the edge of the Arctic Circle, Iceland is unique in every way. Active volcanoes and glaciers make every landscape awe-inspiring and hiking sublime.



Iceland to Greenland: In the Wake of the Vikings

July 2023

Sail west, like the Vikings: spectacular, surprising Greenland awaits! Photographers, birders, and hikers will be in awe.



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