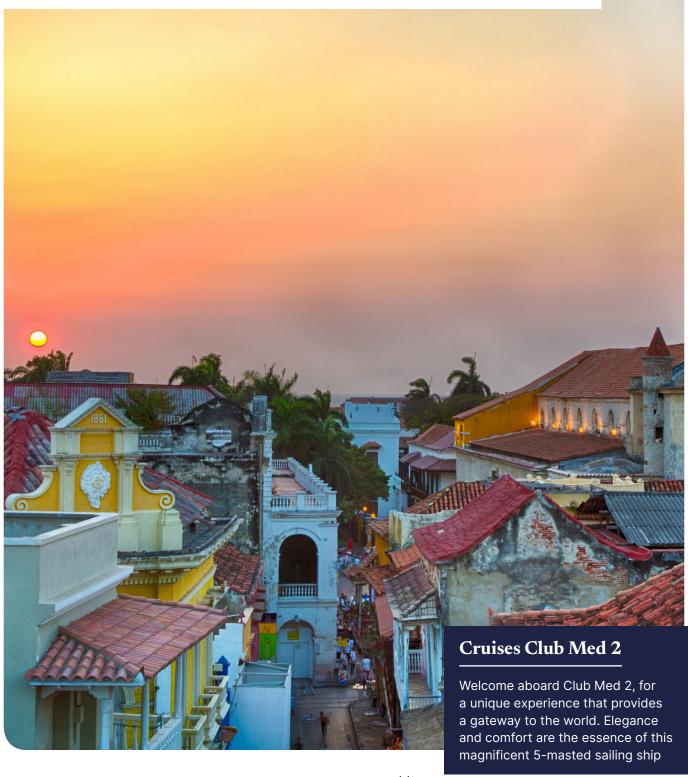


New Cruise

Caribbean & North America / La Romana to Colon From 03/10/2025 to 03/20/2025 - 11 days / 10 nights







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## Your cruise

Days	Stages	Arrival	Departure	Nautical Hall
1 - Monday	La Romana		23:00	Closed
2 - Tuesday	Sailing on the open sea			Closed
3 - Wednesday	Bonaire	10:00	23:00	Closed
4 - Thursday	Curaçao	08:00	18:00	Closed
5 - Friday	Aruba	08:00	13:00	Closed
6 - Saturday	Santa Marta	13:00	19:00	Closed
7 - Sunday	Carthagena	07:00		Closed
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11 - Thursday	Colón	07:00		Closed

Day 1: Boarding from 16h to 23h Day 11: Landing from 9h to 11h









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# Itinerary of your cruise

Day 1 - Monday LA ROMANA	A little port, built in 1851 to ease maritime traffic, the town was only officially founded in 1897. The city itself only began to grow 20 years later, when Italian immigrants built a large mill to grind the sugar cane. Ship docked, no water sports. Boarding and disembarkation port of call.		
Day 2 - Tuesday SAILING ON THE OPEN SEA	A restorative day at sea. Choose from the range of inviting possibilities on our remarkable sailing ship. Lounge on chaise longues, cool off in one of two swimming pools, work out with a sea view in our Espace Fitness, find instant calm at the spa and enjoy the attentive company of our G.O® team and crew members.		
Day 3 - Wednesday BONAIRE	This Dutch island is a real ecological sanctuary. It owes its reputation to its coral reef, amazing diving, and its flights of pink flamingoes. Ship docked port.		
Day 4 - Thursday CURAÇAO	On the largest of the ABC islands (Aruba, Bonaire and Curaçao), Willemstad is a a little Caribbean Amsterdam vibrant with colour, blending Dutch and Spanish influences in its own original way. Ship docked at port.		
Day 5 - Friday ARUBA	Aruba is one of the Little West Indies islands, off the coast of Venezuela. Since it separated from the Dutch West Indies in 1986, it has been a Sta the Kingdom of the Netherlands. It has little tropical vegetation, and white sand beaches that make it a hit with tourists. It is as flat as the Netherlands point on the island being Mount Jamanota, 18 metres high.		
Day 6 - Saturday SANTA MARTA	Charming little city of Colombia, it is considered as one of the oldest cities of Colombia and first Spanish colony of the country. Boat dock, no wate sports.		
Day 7 - Sunday CARTHAGENA	Joyau colonial classée au patrimoine de l'UNESCO et célèbre pour sa muraille de 11 km érigée par les espagnols, Carthagène est pétillante de vie grâce à ses rues colorées d'architecture coloniale et les festivals qui s'y déroulent. Bateau à quai, pas de sports nautiques, pas d'accès direct à un plage.		
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Day 11 - Thursday COLÓN Located 75 km from Panama City at the Atlantic end of the Panama Canal, Colon owes its origins to the construction works for the railway line that has crossed the country since the mid nineteenth century. Since it was founded, the city has been devoted to maritime transport and trade. It has become the second largest free-trade area in the world after Hong Kong. Today, it employs 13,000 people and extends over 300 hectares. Passengers boarding and disembarking at this port of call. Ship docked in port.





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## **Excursions of your cruise**

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Day 3 - Wednesday BONAIRE / SAIL AND SNORKEL (1/2 day)*	A unique opportunity to experience the joys of sailing as a small group. Take to the waves on a 13 metre single-hull boat, and see the underwater wonders of Bonaire's sparkling clear waters. After your swim, a refreshing aperitif rounds off the boat trip wonderfully.
Day 3 - Wednesday BONAIRE / ISLAND TOUR*	The island of Bonaire is one of the most charming of the former Dutch Antilles!  After travelling through the capital Kralendijk, a pretty little pastel-coloured town, you'll take the coast road north. You'll see Lake Goto, a natural saltwater lake that's popular with flamingos. Then you'll continue on to Rincon village, founded by the Spanish in the 14th century, and then head South to see the saltpans and former slave houses.
Day 4 - Thursday CURAÇAO / ARTWORK AND L'ALDEA (1/2 day - morning)*	Visit an aloe vera plantation to find out about all the uses and benefits of this plant that you will often come across in Curaçao. Next, head for the artist's studio where Serena makes her Chichi, figurines representing a typical West Indian older sister. On the way back, stop off at L'Aldea, a park that brings together replicas of Amazonian cities, a tropical forest and more than a hundred species of animals such as monkeys, parrots and iguanas.
Day 4 - Thursday CURAÇAO / JEWISH HERITAGE TOUR*	Curacao has a fascinating Jewish history and boasts the oldest synagogue in the Americas. Also see the oldest cemetery in the Western Hemisphere, visit the Rooi Catoot Plantation House, and walk through the Old Jewish Quarter. the guided tour will be done in english.
Day 4 - Thursday CURACAO / THE COLORS OF CURACAO*	Discover Willemstad, the capital of Curacao by trolley train.  Feast your eyes on the brightly coloured architecture of the UNESCO World Heritage Site city centre.  Return to the ship at your own pace.
Day 5 - Friday ARUBA / BEST OF ARUBA (1/2 day)*	This stunning tour of the island shows you the very best of Aruba, appreciating both its natural wonders and its architecture through its most iconic sights.  You will pass through the island's capital, Oranjestad, and admire the brightly coloured buildings, before setting off for the Casigari rock formations and the coral bridge. You'll finish your tour at the California Lighthouse, so you can enjoy the panoramic view that encompasses most of the island.
Day 5 - Friday ARUBA/SUBMARINE*	A unique opportunity to appreciate the wonders of the tropical waters. Dive as far as 50 metres below the surface of the deep blue sea in a high-tech submarine. Discover coral reefs (sea fans, sponges and more) and a whole host of different fish (angelfish, cofferfish, butterflyfish, surgeonfish and many others). The large portholes provide great views. If you tend to feel claustrophobic, rest assured that there is plenty of room, excellent lighting and good ventilation.
Day 6 - Saturday SANTA MARTA / SANTA MARTA CITY TOUR	Come and explore the jewels of Santa Marta, the oldest city in Colombia, founded by the conquistadors in their search for El Dorado. You will go the Custom's House which houses the Tairona Gold Museum where you can marvel at its small but priceless collection. You will visit the cathedral built in 1529 and see some of the stunning monuments that most represent the city, before heading to the Quinta de San Pedro, where the great liberator Simon Bolivar lived, which dates back to the 17th century. You will also get a chance to discover Colombian culture with a presentation of traditional

(1/2 day, morning)\*

songs and dances.

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Your guide will introduce you to the scenic neighbourhood of Gethsemane, a popular area known for its colourful houses and murals. You will then make your way to the Old Town to admire a few monuments which are most representative of its long history, and enjoy a bit of free time to shop or visit the home of Rafael Nuñez.

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Discover Columbia's heritage as you learn to taste a Colombian coffee. Enjoy a bit of free time to choose your cafe, then explore the charming plazas and narrow streets of the Old Town. A panoramic tour of Cartagena and a visit to the home of Rafael Nűnez round out the itinerary.

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# TOUR\*

Experience an epic adventure along the legendary Gold Route in Portobelo. Discover the historic ruins where the Spanish conquistadores hunted for gold, and relive the naval battles between Spaniards and pirates. Explore the Royal Customs House, once the heart of the gold and silver trade. Relax with an exotic cocktail and enjoy a vibrant Congo show, celebrating the culture of African slave descendants. Book now for an immersion in Portobelo's history and cultural riches.

#### Day 10 - Wednesday PORTOBELO / EL TUNNEL DEL AMOR\*

Discover Panama's Caribbean coast, where wild landscapes and crystal-clear waters await you. Start your day aboard a Diablo Rojo, Panama's iconic colorful bus. En route, admire the secluded beaches and turquoise waves. The lush mangroves are home to a diverse range of wildlife. Next, hop aboard a boat to explore El Tunnel del Amor, secret waterways hidden in the heart of the mangroves. Sail through these enchanting channels where nature reigns supreme End your adventure at Isla Mamey, an idyllic beach with calm waters. Relax, swim and enjoy a refreshing cocktail on the warm sands of this island paradise.

#### Day 11 - Thursday COLON / GAMBOA (Lac Gatún) (journée complète)\*

Set off on an unforgettable adventure in Gamboa, where nature and engineering meet in harmony. Start your day with a stroll along the Panama Canal. Admire the lush flora and fauna: exotic birds, capuchin monkeys, and other animals hidden in the dense foliage. Then hop aboard a local cable car for a unique aerial experience above the jungle. Admire the spectacular panorama of rainforest, sparkling rivers and verdant hills. Discover the grandeur and diverse biodiversity of this unique region. Local buffet lunch included.

#### Day 11 - Thursday COLON / NEW LOCKS AND SAN LORENZO

Come and see the Agua Clara locks. The watchtower, which stands 60 m above sea level, offers an unbeatable view over Lake Gatún and the new Panama Canal locks. Passing over the Canal via the recent Atlantic Bridge to reach San Lorenzo. Visit by the forts of the time of pirates. There in the middle of the exuberant nature, between old stones and cannons you will find the atmosphere of pirates, filibusters and other privateers of the Old Continent! This tour is a 2 hours of driving.

Day 11 - Thursday COLON / THE EMBERA INDIANS (1/2 day)\*

Just a short distance from "civilisation" lies the Embera community, who still live entirely by tradition, building with natural fiber and palm leaves, wearing multicolored loinclothes and painting their bodies. You will travel by bus to the river, then take a 45-minute ride in a pirogue up a river that leads to their village. As you sit on the ground, you will observe their daily routiens and learn about their way of life and culture, which mesh perfectly and sustainably with their environment

Day 11 - Thursday COLON / PANAMA, BRIDGE OVER AMERICA (1 day)\*

After an hour's drive, you'll arrive at the Miraflores Locks, where a visitor centre helps you to understand the impressive 20th century engineering. Then you'll explore Panama's colonial quarter, Casco Antiguo, and have lunch there. This lovely area was awarded Unesco World Heritage status in 1997. In the afternoon, wander the side streets of this stunning district, and discover the various colonial era churches, the Plaza de Francia and Plaza Bolivar. Take a look at the shops and craft stalls. This tour involves 3 hours of driving. The ship passage schedule is subject to last minute changes due to Panama Canal operations. The excursion itinerary may be changed

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## **Formalities**

#### **HEALTH FORMALITIES**

Recommended vaccinations: diphtheria, polio, tetanus, hepatitis A and B and typhoid. Some parasitic or viral diseases can be carried by mosquitoes during certain stopovers. The use of skin and clothing repellents is therefore recommended. Pregnant women who do not need constant medical supervision may come aboard, upon presentation of a medical certificate showing their due date and certifying that their pregnancy is compatible with the cruise. The final day of the cruise must be before the end of the 26th week of pregnancy. A doctor and a nurse are present on board.

# Meeting place for boarding

Port of La Romana (Dominican Republic) - Cruise Terminal: Cruise Port Terminal East or Cruise Port "La Romana West". Punta Cana / La Romana airport transfer: 80 km approx. Transfer airport Santo Domingo / Port of La Romana: 100 km about 1h15.





