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Antarctica in Depth

14 Day Itinerary | Buenos Aires > Buenos Aires

Tour Dates: November 23rd – December 6th, 2027

Antarctica is a destination that, quite simply, defies the imagination. This remote polar region comprises beautiful untouched icescapes and captivating wildlife. Prepare yourself for an Expedition Voyage that will take your breath away at every turn.

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Scenic Eclipse in Antarctica

Day 01 Depart th USA

Depart the USA on your overnight flight to Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Day 02 Buenos Aires, Argentina

Welcome to Buenos Aires, where you'll have an overnight hotel stay. Perhaps plan to spend some time in the city, nicknamed the 'Paris of South America'. Resplendent with Belle Epoque buildings, sidewalk cafes and green spaces, there's the fiery passion of Latin America - a collective love for football, flame-cooked meats (asado) and the tango. Some of the highlights are La Boca, a colorful, creative mecca with a must-do art walk, and San Telmo, a former aristocratic neighborhood that was abandoned during a 19th-century epidemic. Mansions were turned into conventillos (shared housing), boutique hotels, antique shops, and tango clubs, exuding a captivating bohemian vibe.

Day 03 Buenos Aires > Ushuaia

Fly from Buenos Aires to Ushuaia, the main island of Tierra del Fuego and the southernmost city in the world. The Captain and crew will warmly greet you as you board your ultra-luxury Discovery Yacht, Scenic Eclipse. Toast the start of your once-in-a-lifetime expedition as you depart South America and cruise through the calm and scenic Beagle Channel, named so for the ship that carried Charles Darwin on his five-year discovery journey. Admire the dramatic views of the Andean mountains from the comfort of your private verandah or from the Observation Deck with its commanding view of the bow. ***Meals: B. D.***



Day 04 At sea

Wake up in your own time as we cruise across the Drake Passage, the infamous waterway that connects South America to Antarctica. Perhaps ask your butler for breakfast to be delivered to your spacious suite or meet fellow guests in the Yacht Club. Today, join an introductory presentation about your polar expedition by the Polar Discovery Team in the state-of-the-art theater. Feel the excitement building as they explain how your Zodiac and other Discovery Excursions will work in the coming days. The theater is where you can watch talks, lectures, movies and documentaries during the day. At night, enjoy world-class productions from musical theater and cabaret to pop music, dance and fun interactive game shows. ***Meals: B. L. D.***

Day 05 At sea

Today you will enter Antarctic waters, an unpredictable but stunningly beautiful environment that always surprises. Put on your complimentary polar parka and head to the Observation Deck to spot icebergs for the first time – it's a feeling that will stay with you forever. Watch out for whale blows in the distance and your expert polar Discovery team will be on hand to provide and answer any insightful information. Comprised of up to 20 members, this team of geologists, historians, ornithologists, marine biologists, and glaciologists is at the heart of your Antarctic Voyage. ***Meals: B. L. D.***

Day 06 Antarctica

Slide open the floor-to-ceiling doors of your verandah suite to see icebergs sculpted by nature and glacial mountains rising thousands of meters from the ocean. Antarctica is a birdwatcher's paradise, with more than 40 different species, so keep your eyes peeled for wandering albatrosses, which have the largest wingspan of any flying bird, as well as shearwaters, giant petrels and more. Due to the extraordinary nature of the region, excursions throughout your Expedition Voyage are dependent on the ice and weather conditions. Your experienced Captain and specialist Discovery Team, who have made countless

journeys to Antarctica, will use their expertise to design your voyage from day to day, making the most of 18–20 hours of daylight.

Discovery: Daily experiences may include cruising on Zodiacs, stepping ashore to view vast penguin rookeries or historic huts, and kayaking or paddle boarding around icebergs. Wherever your voyage takes you, you will have countless "pinch me" moments. ***Meals: B. L. D.***

Day 07 Antarctica
Portal Point – a former British refuge hut – may be a potential landing site during your voyage. Or, you may visit Deception Island as part of your itinerary. Nestled in the South Shetland Islands archipelago, it is one of the only places in the world that ships can sail directly into the center of a submerged caldera of an active volcano. With her world-class design and state-of-the-art technology, Scenic Eclipse can sail through a rocky gap into the horseshoe-shaped harbor. The island is also home to a few small scientific outposts and hundreds of thousands of chinstrap penguins. Tonight could be the night you enjoy Sushi @ Koko's with your new friends. Stay up late in the bar or retire to the library for a moment of blissful solitude before bed. ***Meals: B. L. D.***

Day 08 Antarctica
Various species of penguins can be found in Antarctic and the sub-Antarctic region, with around 12 million penguins living on the Peninsula, including Adélie, Chinstrap, Gentoo, and the very rare Emperor penguins. Guided by the expert Polar Discovery Team, you'll witness colonies up close; hear their mighty calls and watch as they clumsily waddle along and interact with each other. Whales are another majestic creature you may encounter, whether a minke, a humpback or an Orca. Watch them from the comfort of your ultra-luxury Discovery Yacht, in a Zodiac with an experienced Polar Discovery Team member, or from their level in a kayak or stand-up paddleboard – a breathtaking experience.

Discovery: When enjoying daily Scenic Discovery excursions, ask for your expert Discovery Leader for photography tips and guidance on how to spot the wildlife around you. They will help you immortalize these incredible moments while cruising on the Zodiacs, kayaking and stand-up paddleboarding around impressive ice formations. ***Meals: B. L. D.***

Day 09 Antarctica
Lemaire Channel, renowned for its picturesque views and often referred to as 'Kodak Alley', could be our next exciting destination. If during your voyage the Scenic Eclipse weaves through this channel, make sure you set your alarm and embrace the cool air from the Observation Terrace. Pass through the narrow channel and be amazed at the dramatic rocky mountains and glowing blue icebergs so close to the ship. In between Scenic Discovery experiences, enjoy a specialty tea or coffee in the Observation Lounge and watch the world float by through Swarovski telescopes. ***Meals: B. L. D.***

Day 10 Antarctica
In the distance on a clear day, you can see Mount Francis standing tall as Anvers Island's highest peak, showcasing the rugged beauty of Antarctica. Every day is unique, you might get the chance to hike or spend time on the pebbled beach, enjoying the view surrounded by curious penguins. Back on board, explore some of Scenic Eclipse's indulgent spaces, from the welcoming Observation Lounge to the expansive Senses Spa. Soothe your muscles in the sauna or heated therapy lounge, join a yoga or Pilates class. Choose one of up to 10 world-class dining experiences on board tonight. ***Meals: B. L. D.***

Day 11 Antarctica
Be sure to pack your swimming suit because you could be going for a swim today. For many, the polar plunge is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity and a rite of passage on an expedition to Antarctica. Once throughout your voyage, Scenic Eclipse will stop, and the team will set up the marina ready for the brave people who want to jump into the freezing Antarctic waters. Excitement will spread through the Discovery Yacht, and you will start hearing the contagious nervous laughter. As you stand on the edge, ready to jump, you will feel the adrenaline rush while you second-guess whether this is a good idea. When you jump, the moment before you hit the water will feel like it goes forever, but soon, an invigorating, exciting, and surprisingly refreshing sensation will take over.

If you choose to skip the polar plunge, make sure you find a good viewing location as you feel the chills of everyone coming out of the water. Join them for a cup of hot chocolate or toast with a glass of whiskey. ***Meals: B. L. D.***

Day 12 At sea
Cruising the Drake Passage back to the tip of South America, there is plenty of time to indulge in the ultra-luxury of your Discovery Yacht and reflect on the magic moments you've experienced in the Southern Ocean. Freshly squeezed juice, steaming barista-made coffee or tea delivered to your door by the butler will help start your day. Head to the gym for an invigorating workout or the studio for a Pilates class, some guided stretching or aerial yoga. In the evening, settle in at the spacious Scenic Lounge Bar to enjoy your beverage of choice, whether it be aged whiskey or a glass of wine. With Scenic's signature all-inclusive ultra-luxury philosophy, indulge in top shelf spirits, over 130 whiskeys, a premium wine list and French champagne. ***Meals: B. L. D.***

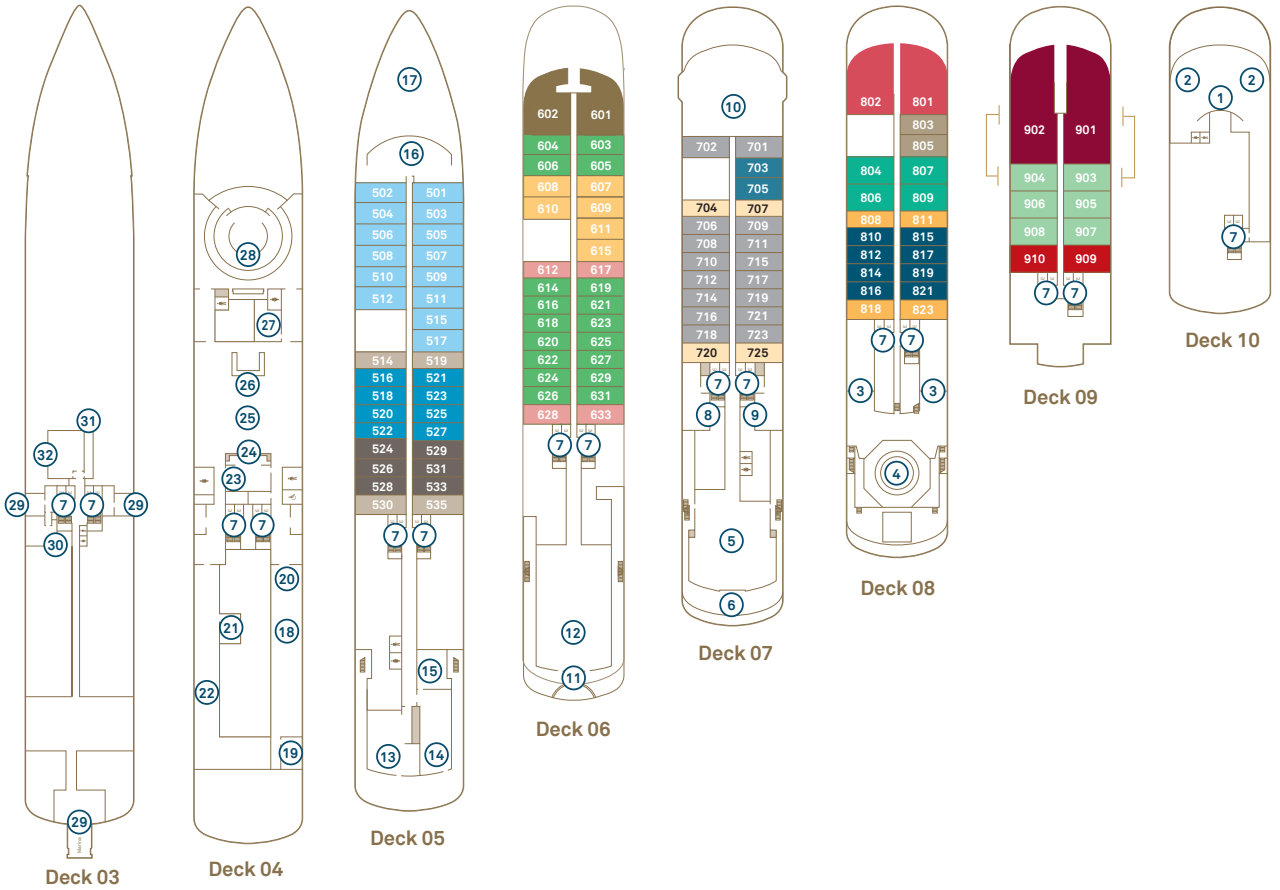
Day 13 At sea > Ushuaia
Have you visited the bridge yet? Thanks to the Captain's open bridge policy, guests are welcome any time to learn more about the technical abilities of The World's First Discovery Yacht and see it in full operation. The bridge is also one of the best viewing areas on the ship. Make sure you book a treatment at the tranquil Senses Spa before your Discovery expedition ends. Perhaps an ESPA facial or massage or an alternative therapy including Ayuverdic massage or Japanese shiatsu. Afterwards, hold on to that feeling of calm for a while longer in the Zen-like space of the Vitality Lounge. ***Meals: B. L. D.***

Day 14 Ushuaia, Argentina > Buenos Aires
Your voyage ends this morning as you farewell the crew and fellow guests. Disembark after breakfast to fly to Buenos Aires, taking away memories of a truly unforgettable experience. Please book your flight to depart out of Buenos Aires after 09:30 PM. ***Meal: B***

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Scenic Eclipse

Built 2018 | **Passengers** 200/228 | **Suites** 114 | **Crew** 192/176 | **Length** 551 feet | **Gross Tonnage** 17,085 | **Speed** 17 knots



Deck Plan

1. Panorama Bar
2. Vitality Pools
3. Helicopter hangars
4. Helipad
5. Yacht Club
6. Yacht Club outdoor dining
7. Elevator
8. Yoga & Pilates room
9. Gym & fitness area
10. Wheelhouse
11. Spa Vitality Pool
12. Senses Spa
13. Lumière
14. Azure Bar & Café
15. Scenic Épicure
16. Observation Lounge
17. Observation Terrace
18. Koko's
19. Night Market @ Koko's
20. Sushi @ Koko's
21. Chef's Table@ Elements
22. Elements
23. Discovery Lounge
24. Reception
25. Scenic Lounge
26. Scenic Bar
27. Boutique
28. Theatre
29. Marina entrances
30. Medical centre
31. Self-service guest laundry
32. Discovery Center

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Departure date: November 23, 2027

Available Cabins

Deluxe Veranda $14,818 pp

Spa Suite $18,855 pp

Based on double occupancy

20% deposit

Final Due by 1/15/2027

Suite Categories

Deck 5			Deck 6			Deck 7		
DD	Grand Deluxe Verandah	38-40m²	GP	Grand Panorama	105m²	BD	Grand Deluxe Verandah	38-40m²
DB	Deluxe Verandah	32-34m²	CD	Grand Deluxe Verandah	38-40m²	BA	Deluxe Verandah	32-34m²
DA	Deluxe Verandah	32-34m²	CA	Deluxe Verandah	32-34m²	B	Verandah	32m²
D	Verandah	32m²	C	Verandah	32m²			

Deck 8			Deck 9		
P	Panorama	110m²	OT	Two-bedroom Penthouse	245m²
S	Spa Suite	46-50m²	OP	Owner's Penthouse	195m²
AD	Grand Deluxe Verandah	38-40m²	SB	Spa Suite	46-50m²
AA	Deluxe Verandah	32-34m²	SA	Spa Suite	46-50m²
A	Verandah	32m²			

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