# **CRUISING NEWS**

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Admiral of the Fleet Cruise Center



## Stay Strong! We've got this!

Now that we are entering Fall, it is truly amazing to look back at what we have gone through this year. We are already looking ahead to the days when our children and grandchildren ask us what it was like during 2020 as they study history.

At the Cruise Center, we know that travel and vacations are not the most important thing in the world right now. Wearing masks, social distancing, and keeping you and your families safe is the number one priority. As the world begins to emerge from this difficult and challenging time and able to start enjoying the luxuries of travel again, know that we are here and ready to help!

We have been working on new ways to make your travel experience the best it can be. Be on the lookout for some exciting announcements of fun options we'll be adding to our agency. Golf cruise, Hawaiian vacation, Disney getaway.....what sounds fun to you?

We've also been updating our digital experience! We have begun making improvements to our website, which are now live at <u>www.cruise-center.com</u>. Click on over to see the new look. We also post frequent updates and deals on our Facebook page, so be sure to follow us at

https://www.facebook.com/CruiseCenterLynnwood

#### **LEAF PEEPING SEASON!**

There is nothing more relaxing than seeing the wonderful colors of the fall season. Why not enjoy these colors while being pampered on a cruise ship? Many cruise lines offer wonderful New England/Canada itineraries during the Fall, 2021/2022 sailing seasons. These cruises are a great way to enjoy the season and still travel close to home.



#### **DON'T MISS OUT!!!**

Currently our office is seeing a trend in new and rescheduled bookings. There are a couple of destinations that are very popular, such as Mexico, West Coast, Alaska, and Mississippi River cruises. Many people want to travel but are looking at staying a little closer to home. The cruise lines are noticing this trend and offering great deals on these sailings. Alaska for 2021 is booking very fast and Viking's new Mississippi sailings for 2022 are already SOLD OUT!

Be sure to give us a call so we can get your reservations in before they are gone!

### **Still waiting for your** refund?

Over the past months, our agents have been seeing some real progress by the cruise lines regarding refunds.

If you still have not received your refund and your original sailing date was August, 2020 or earlier please let us know. Our agents at the Cruise Lines have been pretty amazing working with us helping get our clients the refunds they have been waiting too long for.

Let our agents stay on hold and get resolution for you!



# **BLACK FRIDAY SALES ARE COMING SOON!**

Be ready for some of the biggest sales of the year! Although we cannot say anything yet, good things are coming your way. Some of the key dates we are aware of include:

Princess Cruises – Summer Caribbean and Canada/New England 2022 on sale 11/18 Holland America – Black Friday sale starts 11/23 Royal Caribbean – Alaska and Caribbean 2022 on sale this week Viking – Free International Air and OBC on select voyages through 11/12

Oceania – Europe and North America 2022 sale starts 11/11