

# 2008

# Liverpool CRUISING

**The Port of Liverpool is fast becoming a familiar landfall for cruise passengers as more and more lines offering glamour holidays at sea, seek to make the River Mersey an embarkation point for voyages or port calls to enable passengers to step ashore into Europe's Capital of Culture 2008.**

No less than 30 vessels will berth at the Langton Cruise Terminal in 2008 to receive passengers for voyages to the Canaries, the Mediterranean and other exotic far flung shores.

Another 12 of the luxury ships are scheduled to tie up at Liverpool's new £19 million cruise berth which was inaugurated at the city's famous Pier Head in 2007, eliminating the need for visiting vessels to anchor in mid-river and tender their passengers ashore. The new facility is capable of

accommodating vessels of 345 metres in length and 10.0 metres draught - giants of the cruise trade operated by global names in the industry.

Cruising Port of Liverpool has grown from just three sailings in 1992 to more than 40 sailings today - and is continuing to expand.

Cruise companies are increasingly attracted to scheduling sailings from the Mersey by the large passenger population in the North of England.

More and more lines are drawn to making day calls at Liverpool by the City of the Beatles rich cultural and leisure attractions, its location at the heart of the UK's Golf Coast where seven championship courses include clubs hosting the Open and Ryder Cup, and the Port's easy access to the Roman city of Chester, the castles of North Wales and the poet Wordsworth's treasured English Lakeland.

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## LIVERPOOL CRUISE SHIP EMBARKATION CALLS - LANGTON CRUISE TERMINAL 2008

Date	Day	Vessel	Operator	Berth	Operation	Last Port	Next Port
01/01/08	Tuesday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Dublin	La Coruna
14/01/08	Monday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Leixoes	Lisbon
18/02/08	Monday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Funchal	Funchal
02/03/08	Sunday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Lisbon	Lisbon
15/03/08	Saturday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Leixoes	Dublin
31/03/08	Monday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Cobh	Dublin
10/04/08	Thursday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Dublin	Douglas
07/06/08	Saturday	<b>Spirit of Adventure</b>	Saga	West Langton	Turn Round		Belfast
10/07/08	Thursday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Greenock	Tangier
11/07/08	Friday	<b>Saga Rose</b>	Saga	West Langton	Turn Round	Southampton	Cobh
23/07/08	Wednesday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Lisbon	Kirkwall
29/07/08	Tuesday	<b>Saga Rose</b>	Saga	West Langton	Turn Round	Torshavn	Torshavn
31/07/08	Thursday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Douglas	Cobh
07/08/08	Thursday	<b>Ocean Majesty</b>	Page & Moy	West Langton	Turn Round	Dublin	Greenock
09/08/08	Saturday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	L'Orient	Kirkwall
13/08/08	Wednesday	<b>Saga Rose</b>	Saga	West Langton	Turn Round	Lerwick	Southampton
18/08/08	Monday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Cobh	Tangier
31/08/08	Sunday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Lisbon	Belle-Ile
07/09/08	Sunday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Douglas	Malaga
28/09/08	Sunday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	La Coruna	Funchal
09/10/08	Thursday	<b>Thomson Celebration</b>	Thomson	West Langton	Turn Round	Dublin	Lisbon
10/10/08	Friday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Lisbon	Dublin
12/10/08	Sunday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Dublin	Greenock
23/10/08	Thursday	<b>Thomson Celebration</b>	Thomson	West Langton	Turn Round	La Coruna	Cobh
26/10/08	Sunday	<b>Thomson Celebration</b>	Thomson	West Langton	Turn Round	Dublin	
10/11/08	Monday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Dublin	Almeria
01/12/08	Monday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Dublin	Funchal
14/12/08	Sunday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Lisbon	Rouen
20/12/08	Saturday	<b>Black Prince</b>	Fred Olsen	West Langton	Turn Round	Dublin	Ponta Delgada

Dates after 31/7/2008 are provisional E&OE

## LIVERPOOL CRUISE SHIP DAY CALLS - CITY COUNCIL FACILITY, PIER HEAD 2008

Date	Day	Vessel	Operator
20/05/08	Tuesday	<b>Astor</b>	Transocean Tours
27/05/08	Tuesday	<b>Silver Wind</b>	Silversea Cruises Ltd
05/06/08	Thursday	<b>Saga Rose</b>	Saga
11/06/08	Wednesday	<b>Grand Princess</b>	Princess Cruises
05/07/08	Saturday	<b>Grand Princess</b>	Princess Cruises
11/07/08	Friday	<b>Prinsendam</b>	Holland-America Line Inc
20/07/08	Sunday	<b>Crystal Symphony</b>	Crystal Cruises Inc
26/07/08	Saturday	<b>Maasdam</b>	Holland-America Line Inc
29/07/08	Tuesday	<b>Grand Princess</b>	Princess Cruises
19/08/08	Tuesday	<b>Delphin Voyager</b>	Hansa Kreuzfahrten GmbH
22/08/08	Friday	<b>Grand Princess</b>	Princess Cruises
23/09/08	Tuesday	<b>Seabourn</b>	Seabourn Cruise Line
03/10/08	Friday	<b>QE2</b>	Cunard Line

