

Freedom of the Seas round trip from Cape Liberty to Bermuda

June 24 to 29, 2021

This ship is a great family geared cruise line with the Flow Rider surf simulator, rock climbing wall, ice skating rink and so much more. Mid ship balcony cabins with all current taxes and government fees based on double occupancy is \$1199.00. Triples and quads rooms available upon request. This will include all dining in the main dining rooms with multi-course dining for breakfast lunch and dinner. Including the Windjammer marketplace, Sorrento's Pizza and the Café Promenade for pasties/ snacks, plus 24 hour room service. Plus an on board credit of \$50.00 per room plus other special amenities.

Celebrity Summit Round trip Cape Liberty, NJ

May 15 to 26, 2021

This 10 night cruise will take you to the cliff walks and mansions of Newport Rhode Island, an overnight stay in historical Charleston and two nights in Bermuda exploring the pink sands or world famous golf courses. special rate until **November 2, 2020** which will include free gratuities, full classic beverage package (alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks) and a **\$300.00 on board credit**, to be used anywhere on the ship. Please call us to find out more information on this special sailing.

SPECIAL RATE REDUCTION!!

Celebrity Solstice from Seattle to Vancouver

September 3-10, 2021

Journey through the wild terrain of Alaska and discover the natural wonders that await as the rugged beauty of this pristine frontier unfolds before your very eyes. Start at the Space Needle for a panoramic view of Seattle. Thread the fjords of the Inside Passage and watch Dawes Glacier produce icebergs in Endicott Arm Fjord, where harbor seals play. Do some dog sledding at Juneau, discover totem poles at Ketchikan, experience the Gold Rush at Skagway, and admire British colonial architecture in Victoria and the gardens. This special rate of \$1770.00 per person double includes: balcony accommodations, all taxes and government fees, and all meals (specialty restaurants additional). **Plus get a free classic beverage package and \$600.00 on board credit to be used anywhere on the ship, including excursions.** In order to get this rate and the on board credit you must sign up by **11/02/20**. This makes this experience a truly all-inclusive package. Call us for more information on this spectacular deal.

Celebrity Summit San Juan to Cape Liberty

May 1-6, 2021

I cannot wait to cruise again and will be going on the Celebrity Summit for a Spring Getaway flying from Newark to San Juan on May 1, 2021 for this five-night getaway with a stop in St. Maarten and three relaxing days at sea returning to Cape Liberty. Experience an Aqua class cabin which includes a flight to San Juan, nightly dinner Blu, gratuities, and an unlimited beverage package for only \$959.00 per person double. Balcony cabins without the Aqua benefits are also available at \$799.00 per person double. **MUST BE BOOKED BY NOVEMBER 2, 2020**

14 NIGHT TRANS-ATLANTIC GREENLAND AND ICELAND ABOARD CELEBRITY SUMMIT

AUGUST 1-15, 2021

Ports: Sea day, Halifax, NS, two sea days, Qaqortoq, Greenland, overnight in Reykjavik, Iceland and half-day in Akureyri, Iceland, sea day, Kirkwall, Scotland and a sea day before arriving in Southampton.

Balcony cabin (2B) \$4,459, ocean view (7) \$3,519 and inside (10) \$2,679 and includes cruise accommodations as selected, beverage package, all meals except for specialty restaurants, pre-paid gratuities, return transfer from Southampton to Heathrow, current port and government taxes.

SPECIAL GROUP RATE-SAVE OVER \$1,000 PER PERSON OVER CURRENT BROCHURE RATE. MUST BE BOOKED BY Nov.2, 2020

ONLY FOUR CABINS LEFT!

First American Woman to Captain a Cruise Ship

Delivers Master Class on How to Shut Down Sexist Trolls

Kate McCue became the first American female captain on a mega cruise ship in 2015.



Mega-ship Captain Kate McCue taught a quick grammar lesson on Tik-Tok for after a follower questioned her position simply because she's a woman.

"How can you be a captain? You only a woman," a social media user wrote to McCue, 42, who became [the first American female captain of a mega-ship](#) in 2015.

"I think it's about high time that I address this," she [said in her Tik-Tok](#) earlier this week and proceeded to shut down the shamer in a comeback disguised as a teaching moment.

"In this day and age, I'm shocked that someone still doesn't know the difference between 'you're' and 'your,'" she started.

She continued to break down the grammar even further, explaining that "you're" is a contraction, used to say "you are" "as in "you are sexist" whereas "your" refers to "something possessive, it belongs to you, like 'your ignorance.'"

The Celebrity Cruises captain finished the video by settling into her captain's chair and reminding commenters where she could be found.

[McCue often posts](#) to her hundreds of thousands of followers, showing them [her daily life as a captain aboard a Celebrity Cruises ship](#).

Although McCue was the first American woman to captain a cruise ship, she is not the first woman in the world to do so. Captain Karin Stahre-Janson, from Sweden, became the first female cruise ship captain in the world in 2007, also manning a Celebrity Cruises ship. The world's first black woman cruise ship captain, Belinda Bennet, took the helm of a Windstar Cruises ship in 2016.

Of the more than 300 passenger cruise ships around the world, only nine are captained by women, [according to the Women's International Shipping & Trading Association \(WISTA\)](#).





'Tis the season for pumpkin everything! Thank you to Maryann Rees from Jackson who was kind enough to share her recipes. Hope you enjoy.

Pumpkin Spice Martini

Ingredients – 2 tsp. sugar, ½ tsp. cinnamon, 1 orange, 4 oz. pumpkin flavored non-dairy creamer, 3 oz. vanilla vodka and 3 oz. spiced dark rum.

Directions – Stir together the sugar and cinnamon and place on a shallow plate, take the orange and cut two twists out of the rind. Cut a small wedge from the orange. Take the orange wedge and squeeze it around the rim of two martini glasses to moisten. Dip the rim of the glasses into the sugar mixture. Fill a cocktail shaker with ice. Add the creamer, vodka, and rum. Shake for five seconds. Strain into glasses. Sprinkle with leftover sugar. Serve with twists.

Pumpkin Soup

Ingredients – 1 tsp. olive oil, 2 large shallots (chopped), 1 tsp. minced garlic, 3 granny smith apples (peeled, cored, and large diced), 6 cups chicken or vegetable stock, 1-29 oz. can pumpkin puree, 3 sage leaves, ¼ tsp. cinnamon, ¼ cup maple syrup, 1 tsp. salt, ¼ cup heavy cream, toasted pumpkin seeds for garnish.

Directions – In a 4-5-quart pot, heat the oil on medium heat. Add shallots and garlic. Sauté for a few minutes, then add the apples, pumpkin puree, stock, sage, cinnamon, maple syrup and salt. Bring up to a simmer until the apples are soft. Working in batches, carefully place the liquid into a blender and run until smooth. Place into another pot for reheating, then add the cream and stir into the soup. Reheat and garnish with pumpkin seeds.

IRELAND 2.0 (2021)

FATHER KEVIN WILL ESCORT A PRIVATE JOURNEY TO IRELAND WITH BELFAST AND GIANTS CAUSEWAY

OCTOBER 21-29, 2021

Round trip airfare on United from Newark (including all current government fees and taxes), seven hotel nights (2-Westport, 1-Donnegal, 2-Belfast & 2-Dublin) with private facilities and full Irish breakfast; including day of arrival.

Six dinners including Taste n' Tour Belfast and a dinner show at Taylors Three Rock. Highlights include: Cliffs of Moher, Achill Island, Mass at Knock Shrine, Giants Causeway, Guinness Brewery, Titanic Belfast along with a city tour there and Dublin and Derry.

JOIN TARA AND FATHER KEVIN INFORMATIVE PRESENTATION AT 4:00 PM ON

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2020 - AT THE CENTER GYM

BECAUSE OF SPACE CONSTRAINTS AND SOCIAL DISTANCING LIMITED SEATING WILL BE AVAILABLE

SO PLEASE CALL TARA TO RSVP ASAP.

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OCTOBER 16th Birthdays

Angela Lansbury 1925

Susanne Somers (Mahoney) 1946

What happened today?

1962—U.S. President Kennedy was informed of missile bases in Cuba

Beginning the Cuban Missile Crisis

1978—Poland's Karol Josef Wojtyla was elected Pope John Paul II