

EASTERN CARIBBEAN CRUISE ON ROYAL CARIBBEAN'S "OASIS OF THE SEAS"

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How about spending the day in a city now known for its warming sun and balmy breezes. For many years, **Nassau, Bahamas** was a home base for notorious pirates, and it was burned to the ground by the Spanish three different times. Since 1740, however, visitors from all over the world in search of both relaxation and adventure have made Nassau their favorite destination. Beyond the glitz of its famous shopping district, **St. Thomas** enchants with a fascinating history and natural scenery. We can explore the island's diverse heritage in **Charlotte Amalie**, or splash your way around at vibrant reefs or a gorgeous beach. **Philipsburg, St. Maarten** displays its Dutch heritage in its architecture and landscaping. The island offers endless stretches of beach, beautiful landscapes and great shopping. All this and more as **Royal Caribbean** invites us to depart on a **7-Night Eastern**



Caribbean Cruise onboard the magnificent, **Oasis of the Seas**. This Oasis-class ship will allow us to explore the Caribbean, like never before. Onboard innovation and imagination rule supreme. The **Oasis of the Seas** spans 16 decks, carries 5,400 guests and features 2,700 stateroom. This amazing ship features seven incredible neighborhoods, packed with first-at-sea experiences. We'll marvel at the sight of two FlowRider surf simulators, a zip line that is 82 feet across and nine decks up, an ice-skating rink and two 43-foot high rock-climbing walls. There's **Central Park** that features a Chess Garden, Pergola Garden and a Sculpture Garden - lined with shops and fine restaurants. The **Boardwalk** is a little slice of Coney Island on



the high seas. Here we'll find a myriad of amusing carnival-like activities, such as the first intricately hand-carved carousel at sea, with 21 colorful horses, lions, giraffes and zebras to ride.



ice-skating shows, designer boutiques and a full service Vitality Spa. So, we invite you to come away with **Ionosphere Tours** as we depart from **Port Canaveral** on a cruise vacation that will give us the opportunity to explore three tropical ports of call. While onboard we can dine in a grand dining room under sparkling crystal



chandeliers, or enjoy any of the extra-special dining options, such as Chops Grille, Giovanni's Table (Italian), Izumi Asian Cuisine, 150 Central Park, the Chef's Table, or maybe a burger at Johnny Rocket's. We may want a casual meal at the Windjammer Café, Sorrento's Pizza, Café Promenade or the Park Café, or even room service whenever the urge hits us. We'll make way for some incredible entertainment also. Every evening there's a variety of entertainment options, from the Broadway hit musical **Cats**, original shows by Royal Caribbean Productions, headline musical acts and live comedy shows and heart-pounding performances in the **Aqua Theater**, featuring amazing acrobatics, water ballet, choreographed swimming, high-diving, trampolines and more! We can even take in a fantastic ice show. There will be many options for us to choose from each day.

Day 1 - Saturday, February 4, 2017

We depart late morning by deluxe motorcoach and head south for northern Florida, for our overnight stay.

Day 2 - Sunday, February 5, 2017 – Set Sail

This morning we have continental breakfast at the hotel before continuing to **Port Canaveral**. Early this afternoon we board **Royal Caribbean's Oasis of the Seas** for our seven-night cruise adventure to **Nassau, Bahamas; Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas and Philipsburg, St. Maarten**. Most dining options, nightly entertainment, and most shipboard activities are included onboard. (B)

Day 3 - Monday, February 6, 2017

We awake this morning to the view of the beautiful blue waters of the Atlantic Ocean! By 8:30 am we arrive in **Nassau,**

Bahamas. We may want to visit the luxurious Bahamian resort, Atlantis in Paradise Island. We can interact with amazing dolphins at Atlantis Dolphin Cay, one of the largest dolphin habitats in the world. Or maybe register for the Aquaventure program, the premier water park in the Caribbean, and participate on a Discover Atlantis Tour. Perhaps we want to view more than 50,000 fascinating species of marine life in the largest open air aquarium in the world. We depart at 4:30 pm.

Day 4 - Tuesday, February 7, 2017

We spend the entire day at sea, where we will want to take advantage of all the shipboard activities available. We can find everything we want in the duty-free shops, so we'll want to allow time to browse in these unique boutiques!

Day 5 - Wednesday, February 8, 2017

We arrive in beautiful **Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas** about 11:00 am this morning. We may want to take an excursion that includes a ride on Skyline Drive and enjoy a breathtaking view of St. Thomas Harbor and then travel to Mountain Top, the highest point on St. Thomas, and see spectacular views of Magens Bay, one of the most beautiful beaches in the world. We can check out Coral World Marine Park or travel 700 feet above the sea via skyride to The Paradise Point and see the most fantastic vistas in the Caribbean. We'll want to save time for browsing through the shop-lined streets of Charlotte Amalie and find out why St. Thomas is called the "duty-free shopping capital of the world." We depart for St. Maarten about 7:00 pm.

Day 6 - Thursday, February 9, 2017

When the Spanish closed their colonial fort on **St. Maarten** in 1648, a few Dutch and French soldiers hid on the island and decided to share it. Soon after, the Netherlands and France signed a formal agreement to split St. Maarten in half, as it is today.

Philipsburg displays its Dutch heritage in its architecture and landscaping. The island offers endless stretches of beach, beautiful landscapes and great shopping. We arrive at St. Maarten at 8:00 am. There is a variety of optional shore excursions to choose from. We can admire the delicate nature and dazzling colors of hundreds of butterflies if we choose a tour of St. Maarten's popular Butterfly Farm. We depart at 5:00 pm.

Day 7 - Friday, February 10, 2017 - Day 9 - Saturday, February 11, 2017

We spend two days at sea, where we will want to take advantage of all the shipboard activities available. We can find everything we want in the Royal Promenade, a bustling boulevard two football fields long and four decks high, where we'll find charming shops and cafes, colorful street performers and lively street fairs. Let's take a ride on the first-ever Carousel at sea! There's round-the-clock dining and several shopping options, so we'll want to allow time to browse in these unique boutiques!

Day 8 - Sunday, February 12, 2017

This morning we arrive back at **Port Canaveral**, where our **Ionosphere Tours** motorcoach awaits us. As we depart for home we talk about our wonderful and relaxing Cruise Vacation. How we've loved this life of leisure.

**Please note: You will need a valid passport for this tour.
Please use your legal given name when making your reservation

**For Information and Reservations, please call:
Ionosphere Tours at 800-972-1741 or 864-225-7783**

Deposit/Payment Requirements:

\$300.00 Deposit Per Person due by May 15, 2016**

Plus cost of insurance if desired

Cost per person is: \$93 - \$145 (pricing based on cabin cost)



** Your deposit reserves your spot on the tour. We must provide Royal Caribbean with the names of everyone going on this cruise by the deposit date listed above. After this date we may or may not be able to secure additional cabins. Your deposit will be refundable until the final payment due date. So please deposit early to secure your cabin.

CANCELLATION POLICY WITHOUT INSURANCE:

Due to the strict cancellation policies of Royal Caribbean, any cancellation after the final payment date will result in charges for any unrecoverable expenses that would not be refunded to Ionosphere Tours.

Final Payment Due by November 1, 2016

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