



# THE ANTARCTIC PENINSULA & EXTREME WEDDELL SEA - 2025

Experience incredible wildlife, stunning scenery and gigantic icebergs

12 Days

From Ushuaia

M/V Ocean Albatros

5 Dec, 2025

Adventure Options



Join us for a once in a lifetime expedition voyage to the Weddell Sea and the Seventh Continent. Experience the incredible wildlife of these icy waters, witness stunning mountain scenery and wonder at gigantic icebergs during 12 action-packed days.

Join us onboard our purpose-built, ice-class expedition vessel, Ocean Albatros to experience the majesty and wonder of Earth's last frontier up close and personal. Our vessels enable us to get closer to nature, with a fleet of Zodiac landing craft, a team of experienced expert expedition guides, and the Antarctic Peninsula as our spectacular destination.

Departing Argentina's southernmost city of Ushuaia, we cross the mighty Drake Passage en-route to the South Shetland Islands, aiming to arrive on the afternoon of the third day of our voyage (weather permitting). The unique X-Bow design of our expedition vessels offers exceptional stability at sea, giving you a smoother ride across some of Earth's most challenging waters, while the vessels' speed allows us to maximise our time in Antarctica to offer a superlative exploration experience.

Continuing southward from the South Shetland Islands, we will delve deeper into the inlets and bays of the Antarctic Peninsula, entering the famous Gerlache Strait, where glittering ice cliffs and precipitous peaks rise straight out of the frigid water. Icebergs, glaciers, mountains and rugged snowfields characterise this wildly beautiful alien landscape. From here, we will venture into the Antarctic Sound and the icy Weddell Sea, the vast icebound wilderness which defeated many early Antarctic expeditions. On no other journey can you experience so much pristine nature and varied wildlife in such a short time.



# ITINERARY

- DAY 1** Arrival In Ushuaia, Embarkation
- DAY 2-3** At Sea - Crossing The Drake Passage Southbound
- DAY 4-6** The Antarctic Sound And Weddell Sea
- DAY 7-8** The Antarctic Peninsula
- DAY 9** The South Shetland Islands
- DAY 10-11** At Sea - Crossing The Drake Passage Northbound
- DAY 12** Back To Ushuaia And Disembarkation



## INCLUSIONS

- 12-day/11-night cruise with accommodation in a shared double stateroom featuring ensuite facilities
- Embarkation shuttle transfer to the vessel from Ushuaia city centre
- Shuttle transfer after disembarkation from the ship to Ushuaia city centre or airport
- All Zodiac landings and excursions, as per itinerary, guided by our Expedition Team
- Expedition parka
- Rubber boots loan scheme
- Briefings and lectures by our Expedition Leader and Team
- English-speaking Expedition Team
- Full board on the ship - breakfast, lunch, dinner and snacks
- Complimentary house wine, beer and soda at dinner (selected labels and brands, served at our a-la-carte dinners)
- Free tea and coffee available 24 hours
- Taxes and landing fees
- Special photo workshops
- Welcome and Farewell Cocktail Parties
- Digital visual journal link distributed after the voyage, including voyage log, gallery, species list and more!

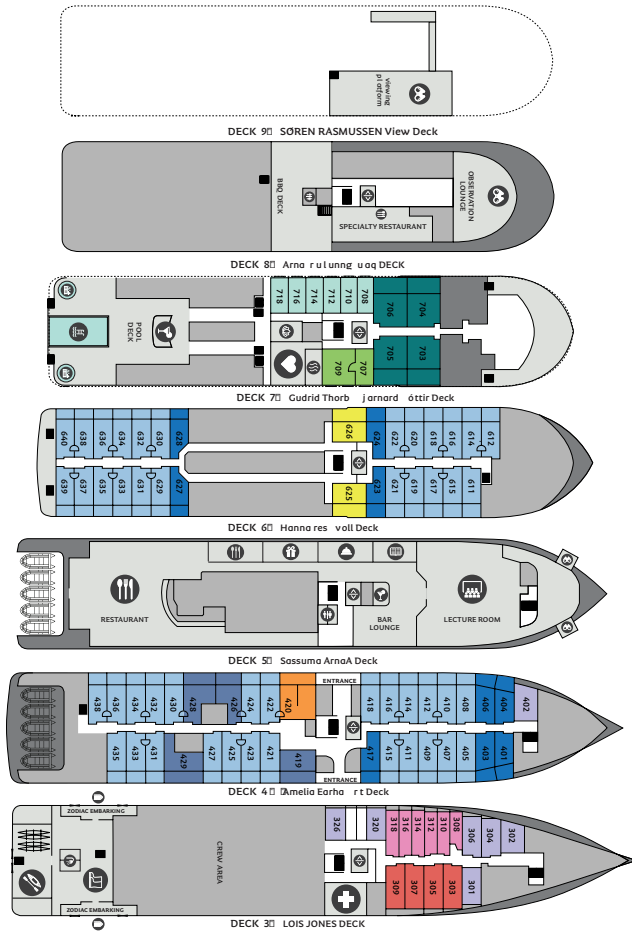


## A TYPICAL DAY

- After crossing the Drake Passage, you'll be exploring Antarctica. The goal for the days around the South Shetland islands and Antarctic peninsula is to offer activities which will allow everyone to explore off the ship as much as possible (weather permitting). Weather dependent, we will try to offer two activities per day, usually either a landing or a Zodiac cruise.
- A "TYPICAL" EXPEDITION DAY MAY LOOK LIKE THIS (SUBJECT TO WEATHER AND SEA CONDITIONS AND SAILING SCHEDULE):
- 06.45: Wake-up call
- 07.00-08.00: Breakfast
- 08.30-11.30: Morning activity - landing and/or Zodiac cruise
- 12.30-13.30: Lunch during vessel repositioning
- 14.30-17.30: Afternoon Activity - landing and/or Zodiac cruise
- 18.30-19.30: Evening Recap and Briefing with the Expedition Team
- 19.30: Dinner
- 21.00: Evening entertainment or presentations with the Expedition Team.



# OCEAN ALBATROS DECK PLAN



## FACILITIES

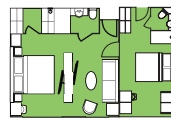
- 2 Restaurants and 1 Open Deck Dining
- Observation Lounge
- Lecture Lounge
- Piano Bar
- Gym, Spa & Sauna Facilities
- Polar Library
- Albatros Ocean Boutique
- Changing Facilities for Zodiac Excursions
- 18 Zodiacs
- Jacuzzies and Pool Bar

- Brynhilde Suite, Two Bedroom Suite**  
1 Cabin, Size 52 sqm, French Balcony
- Category B, Balcony Suite**  
2 Cabins, Size app. 32 sqm incl. Balcony
- Category C, Balcony Stateroom**  
9 Cabins, Size 22 sqm incl. Balcony
- Category F, Porthole Triple Stateroom**  
4 Cabins, Size 20 sq m
- Freydis Suite**  
1 Cabin, Size 43 sqm incl. Balcony
- Cat. C XL, Grand Balcony Stateroom**  
4 Cabins, Size 30 sqm incl. Balcony
- Category D, Porthole Stateroom**  
7 Cabins, Size 16 sq m
- Category G, Porthole Single Stateroom**  
6 Cabins, Size 13 sq m
- Category A, Junior Suite**  
4 Cabins, Size 40 sqm incl. Balcony
- Cat. C SP, Superior Balcony Stateroom**  
48 Cabins, Size 24 sqm incl. Balcony
- Category E, French Balcony Stateroom**  
6 Cabins, Size 16 sqm

- Restaurant
- Bar
- Observation Area
- Shackleton Lecture Room
- Knud Rasmussen Library
- Albatros Ocean Boutique
- Reception
- Medical Clinic
- Fitness
- Albatros Polar Spa
- Infinity Pool
- Jacuzzi
- Mudroom
- Zodiac Embarking
- Kayak platform
- Toilet
- Sauna
- Elevator
- Shower
- Stairs



## ROOM CATEGORIES



**Brynhilde Suite BS**  
Two Bedroom Suite (1)  
52 sqm, French Balcony



**Freydis Suite FS**  
Premium Suite (1)  
43 sqm, incl. Balcony



**CATEGORY A**  
Junior Suite (4)  
40 sqm, incl. Balcony



**CATEGORY B**  
Balcony Suite (2)  
app. 32 sqm, incl. Balcony



**CATEGORY CXL**  
Grand Balcony Stateroom (4)  
app. 30 sqm, incl. Balcony



**CATEGORY CSP**  
Superior Balcony Stateroom (48)  
app. 24 sqm, incl. Balcony



**CATEGORY C**  
Balcony Stateroom (9)  
22 sqm, incl. Balcony



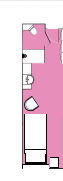
**CATEGORY D**  
Porthole Stateroom (7)  
16 sqm, Porthole



**CATEGORY E**  
French Balcony Stateroom (6)  
16 sqm, French Balcony



**CATEGORY F**  
Triple Stateroom (4)  
20 sqm, Porthole



**CATEGORY G**  
Single Stateroom (6)  
13 sqm, Porthole

