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Agents spirited away



MV Theory to sail

SUSTAINABLE cruise line Ecoventura has announced its newest vessel, the *MV Theory*, is scheduled to sail around the Galapagos Islands for the first time on 03 Mar 2019.

Named after Charles Darwin's "Theory of Evolution", the 20-passenger mega yacht features 10 premium cabins, with interconnecting rooms and triple cabins available.

Guests can enjoy the onboard fitness centre, sundeck, open-bar policy and jacuzzi, with a dedicated concierge available full time.

MV Theory features sustainable elements including reusable water bottles, ecological toilets, and an advanced water treatment plan that prevents untreated water from being disposed into the ocean.

For more, [CLICK HERE](#).

Silversea goes east

SILVERSEA Expeditions has unveiled a new selection of itineraries that take passengers to Far East Asia.

The new 2019 Far East voyages include a 13-day cruise from Guam to Japan; a nine-day cruise from Kobe to Busan; a 15-day expedition from Yangon to Bali; a 16-day Bali to Darwin cruise, and a 15-day Darwin to Bali cruise.

Conrad Combrink, Silversea's senior vice president of strategic development for expeditions and experience said the "rich cultural experiences are complemented by fascinating historical insights and rare encounters with wildlife, which deliver truly enriching travel adventures".

For more information on Silversea's range of Asia cruises, [CLICK HERE](#).

AGENTS from across Australia and New Zealand got to experience *Carnival Spirit* in Sydney Harbour this morning, ahead of CLIA Australasia's annual Cruise360 conference tomorrow.

Following a two-week dry dock in Singapore earlier this year (**CW** 26 Jun) the ship returned to Australian waters with a host of new enhancements.

Highlights now include a new creative studio called SoulPlay appealing to families looking for some creative play.

There is also a video arcade

called The Warehouse for gaming enthusiasts as well as new duty free shopping areas, a digital photo gallery and an updated fitness centre featuring the latest in cardio equipment.

Carnival Spirit offers more than 45 activities over 12 decks as well as three swimming pools, the child-free Serenity Retreat and more than 20 bars, lounges and dining options.

Pictured on the top deck is one of the groups of agents this morning basking in Sydney's winter sun.

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