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A seagull is shown in flight, positioned to the right of the word 'Tyndale'.

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We're in the Captain's cabin planning the 2012/13 cruise, and we've got a great new itinerary waiting for you on our famous Landlubber's Cruises. The wind is light, the sea's calm and there'll be the traditional welcome for our cruise customers in our new ports of call ...

NEW ORLEANS - RIO DE JANEIRO - SKOPELOS - CASA BLANCA - LLANDUDNO

Overview - Tynedale Life On The High Seas

Our 2012/13 sailing season has 17 four night cruises departing New Orleans throughout February and March.

M.V. Tynedale, the original land-based cruise ship, first took to the oceans in 1992 since then, has been copied by many, but bettered by none! These ever popular cruise breaks benefit from years of experience and investment of time, money and innovative ideas that create an atmosphere of actually being at sea on a cruise ship. The experience starts with the issue of a Passport to all arriving passengers which gets stamped at each new port of call, providing you with a great, permanent memento of your holiday cruise. By the way... at each port, the locals all wear appropriate themed outfits!

Here's what is in store for you landlubbers once you embark...

MOCK CRUISE INCLUDES:

-  Cabin accommodation & all on-board meals
-  Afternoon tea on three days
-  Four course themed dinners
-  Brazilian 'Carnival Buffet'
-  Special cruise breakfast
-  Captains cocktail party
-  Cabaret entertainment each evening
-  Captains dinner
-  Cocktail and canapés reception
-  Greek dancing & deck games
-  Passport control, wheel house and tug boat





PORTS OF CALL

NEW ORLEANS - RIO DE JANEIRO - SKOPELOS -
CASA BLANCA - LLANDUDNO



WELCOME & ENJOY YOUR ITINERARY

Day 1

NEW ORLEANS – United States of America

With its atmospheric French Quarter, New Orleans oozes character quite unlike any other American city. It's the sort of place where anything seems to go that's why the Americans call it the 'Big Easy'. Its melting pot of influences; African, French, Caribbean, give this city on the Mississippi River a unique vibrancy. So take a paddle steamer on the river, enjoy the street jazz and colourful cuisine or climb on board one of it's historic street cars the oldest in the world!

You'll be greeted in toe tapping style before making your way up the gangway to meet your Captain and crew and through passport control.

Afternoon tea awaits on the sundeck whilst our cabin stewards take care of your luggage. A safety briefing will then take place with life boat instruction.

Welcome Aboard!

Practical Information

Current Language	US dollar (\$) Unique local dialect English widely spoken
Time Zone	UTC -6 hours
Climate	Feb/April 9c – 26c
Water	Bottled Mineral water is recommended

Day 1

Itinerary

Welcome aboard

Passports please – proceed through immigration

Sundeck aft – Afternoon tea

Introduction to your cruise and life boat instruction

17.45hrs: Welcome reception join us for a Mississippi steamer cocktail with designer canapés and duty free bar

18.15hrs: Streamers and party poppers at the ready M.V. Tynedale sets sail

18.30hrs: M.V. Tynedale eating experience: a delicious themed dinner from our top notch chefs in the Trans-Atlantic Restaurant 1 deck below

20.15hrs: Your on board entertainment commences

23.00hrs: Complimentary finger buffet

Day 2

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil

'Rhythms of the Samba'

It is the most popular holiday resort in Brazil but Rio has much more to offer than just sun and sand. You can enjoy the spectacular views from the top of Sugar loaf mountain or take a taxi up Corcovado mountain to view the city's most famous landmark the 30 meter statue of Christ The Redeemer. There's the famous Teatro Municipal opera house close to the city's best gallery 'Museo Nacional de Belles Artes'. Florianas Square is the place to catch Rios social life at its best, grab a beer and tap your feet to the Rhythms of the Samba. At the end of your day enjoy our famous on board 'Carnival Buffet Experience', be sure to dress colourful for the occasion.

Practical Information

Currency	1Brazil Real = 100 Centavos (R\$)
Language	Portuguese
Time Zone	GMT -3 hours
Climate	Feb/April 23c – 29c
Water	Bottled Mineral water is recommended

Day 2

Itinerary

08.15 - 09.45hrs: Breakfast is served as we drop anchor in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Passports please - don't forget to have your passport stamped at the purser's office before you disembark and take to your air conditioned coach to downtown Rio for your tour ashore

Mid-afternoon: Return to the Tynedale for afternoon deck games and time to relax and prepare for the Carnival Buffet we've called 'Rhythms of the Samba' – bring a camera and take home a memento of this spectacular display of culinary artistry

18.15hrs: Up anchor as M.V. Tynedale sets sail for our next port of call: Skopelos. As we leave Rio De Janeiro it's time to enjoy the culinary masterpieces prepared by our brigade of chefs

20.15hrs: On board entertainment and cabaret

23.00hrs: Light finger buffet

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Day 3

SKOPELOS Island, Greece

If ever there was a Greek Island in its purest form Skopelos town will delight you. A picture post card vista, white washed houses tumbling down to a waterfront lined with fishing boats and friendly tavernas, sugar white churches incidentally 123 on the island and stepped streets rising to a Venetian castle. Skopelos has shot to fame recently due to the Holly wood blockbuster musical 'Mama Mia'. Our cruise to Skopelos offers a real Greek experience you really won't want to leave!

Practical Information

Currency	Euro
Language	Greek
Time Zone	GMT +2 hours
Climate	Feb/April 16c – 22c
Water	Bottled mineral water is recommended

Day 3

Itinerary

08.15 - 09.45hrs: Breakfast is served as we drop anchor offshore by the tiny fishing harbour of Skopelos

Passports please - don't forget to have your passport stamped at the purser's office before you disembark and transfer to a motor launch for your trip to Skopelos town

16.00hrs: Back on board for afternoon tea

17.30 - 18.30hrs: Duty free hour

18.15hrs: M.V. Tynedale sets sail for our next port of call: Casa Blanca Morocco

18.30hrs: Enjoy another wonderful themed dinner in the Trans-Atlantic restaurant

20.15 hrs: On board entertainment and cabaret

23.00hrs: Light finger buffet

Day 4

CASABLANCA, Africa

(The city that spins a hundred dreams)

The heady scent of spices, vibrantly coloured bazaars teeming with people, lifting music all in a landscape that looks like its just stepped out of a fairy tale 'Welcome to Morocco'. Part of Casablanca lies within the walls of the Ancienne Medina, built in the 19th century which contains narrow lanes crammed with piled high stalls as well as the last remains of the 18th Century fortifications. Rising above the ocean on a rocky outcrop is the Hassan II Mosque the land mark of the city, built to commemorate the former Kings birthday it's the worlds largest Mosque boasting a 700 ft high minaret. With a great beach scene, a golf course, modern and ancient architecture and amazing local cuisine Casablanca really has something for everyone and of course you really must take a Camel excursion into the Sahara.

Practical Information

Currency	Moroccan Dirham (MAD)
Language	Arabic, Berber, French Spanish & English now widely spoken
Time Zone	GMT +1 hour
Climate	Feb/April 18c – 24c
Water	Bottled Mineral water is recommended

Day 4

Itinerary

08.15 - 09.45hrs: Bucks fizz breakfast is served

09.00hrs: Look to the port side as M.V.Tynedale ties up in the bustling port of Casablanca amongst the array of boats and cruise liners

Passports please - please ensure you have your passport stamped and receive your visa before passing through customs and immigration

15.00hrs: Back on board for afternoon tea and deck games

17.45hrs: Captains cocktail party. Enjoy a pre dinner aperitif with the Captain and crew

18.15hrs: Set sail for our homeport of Llandudno

18.30hrs: Captains Dinner. The Captain requests the pleasure of your company for the Captains dinner

20.15hrs: An evening of entertainment commences

23.00hrs: Your evening draws to a close with the final late night buffet of your cruise



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