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ROYAL CARIBBEAN BRINGS ULTIMATE ADVENTURES TO SHORT CARIBBEAN GETAWAYS IN 2024-25

Eight Action-Packed Ships Set Sail on a Season of Unforgettable Short Getaways

MIAMI, Feb. 15, 2023 – Weekend and midweek getaways just got bolder. Royal Caribbean International has revealed the lineup of [short Caribbean cruises](#), featuring **eight action-packed ships** sailing to tropical, vibrant destinations that make for the ultimate short escapes in **2024-2025**. Families, friends and vacationers alike can set their sights on making the most of their vacation time on a variety of ships, including [Allure of the Seas](#), the first Oasis Class ship to sail 3- to 4-night cruises, will extend its short Caribbean season homeporting from Port Canaveral (Orlando), Florida, [Mariner of the Seas](#), sets sail from the cruise line’s new, net-zero terminal in Galveston, Texas, for the first time; and four more amplified ships with new and signature experiences on board, cruising from four different cities in Florida, Texas and California. The short Caribbean cruises in 2024-2025 are now open for bookings on Royal Caribbean’s [website](#).

Vacationers will have a wide range of sun-soaked destinations to choose from, including Royal Caribbean’s award-winning private destinations, **Perfect Day at CocoCay** in The Bahamas and **Labadee, Haiti**. From 13 next-level waterslides in **Thrill Waterpark** to the new adults-only oasis **Hideaway Beach** opening in 2023, vacationers will find adrenaline-pumping thrills and ways to chill on Perfect Day at CocoCay. Labadee, located along the northern coast of Haiti, is a slice of paradise with five stunning shorelines and beautiful mountain backdrops. Experiences range from taking in once-in-a-lifetime views on **Dragon’s Breath Flight Line**, the world’s longest overwater zipline, kicking back on white sand beaches and exploring rich culture while meeting local crafters and artisans.

Families and travelers of all ages can have their pick of one-of-a-kind vacations that feature stops at idyllic locales in the Eastern and Western Caribbean including destinations like **Puerto Plata, Dominican Republic; Roatan, Honduras; Puerto Vallarta, Mexico**; and more.

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Year-Round 2024-2025 Short Getaways Highlights

- ***Allure of the Seas* – Sailing from Orlando (Port Canaveral) and Miami, Florida**

Ushering in the first year-round season of **3- to 4-night sailings** on an Oasis Class ship, the class known today as the ultimate family vacation, *Allure* will sail to The Bahamas and Perfect Day at CocoCay from Orlando until July 2023 and then will settle in Miami for the remainder of the year. Everyone in the family can make memories on board with a lineup of adventures, from a nine-story-high **zip line** and twin **FlowRider surf simulators** to ice skating as well as showstopping entertainment like theatrical hit *Mamma Mia!* and original shows across four stages – air, ice, water and theater. To refuel between adventures, there are 30-plus restaurants, bars and lounges, including the new-to-*Allure* **Wipeout Cafe featuring El Loco Fresh** that serves up grab-and-go Mexican delights like made-to-order quesadillas, tacos, nachos and more. There's more in store on shore with stunning destinations in Nassau and **Perfect Day at CocoCay**, where guests will find more ways to chill beachside or take on adrenaline-pumping thrills.

- ***Independence of the Seas* – Sailing from Miami**

This amplified ship reimagined experiences for everyone includes restaurants like **Fish & Ships**, a poolside eatery; **The Perfect Storm**, a duo of racing waterslides; glow-in-the-dark laser tag and more. *Independence* will sail **5-night Western Caribbean** and **Perfect Day at CocoCay cruises**, and **4-night Eastern Caribbean sailings** that visit **Labadee, Haiti**, where thrill-seekers looking for a jolt of adrenaline can jump on the Dragon's Tail Coaster or a spot on the white sand beach to kick back.

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- ***Mariner of the Seas* – Sailing from Galveston, Texas**

For the first time, the amplified ship that changed short Caribbean getaways will sail from Royal Caribbean’s new \$125 million cruise terminal in **Galveston, Texas**, the world’s first LEED Zero Energy facility, generating 100% of the energy it needs through onsite solar panels. *Mariner’s 4- and 5-night escapes* will visit tropical and vibrant destinations like **Costa Maya and Cozumel, Mexico**. On board, vacationers will find more ways to stay, play and dine with amped-up experiences like **The Perfect Storm**, a thrilling pair of three-story-high waterslides; **The Bamboo Room**, the cruise line’s first Polynesian-inspired, tiki-chic bar; glow-in-the-dark laser tag; and more.

- ***Navigator of the Seas* – Sailing from Los Angeles**

Families and travelers of all ages looking to make the most of short getaways on the West Coast will find plenty to explore across *Navigator’s* \$115 million series of experiences, including a reimagined resort-style poolscape with the lively, three-level poolside bar **The Lime & Coconut**; **The Blaster**, the longest aqua coaster at sea; **To Dry For**, the first standalone blow-dry bar; and more. Vacationers can have their pick of **3-, 4- or 7-night cruises** to **Catalina Island, California**, and **Puerto Vallarta, Cabo San Lucas, Ensenada and Mazatlan, Mexico**.

Seasonal 2024-2025 Short Cruise Highlights

- ***Enchantment of the Seas* – Sailing from Tampa, Florida**

Vacationers looking for winter getaways can choose **4- or 5-night cruises** to visit **Cozumel and Costa Maya, Mexico** on *Enchantment*. It’s the ideal ship for an intimate vacation experience that makes for plenty of quality time together and adventures to match every family member’s preference. In the heart of summer, travelers can opt for **7-night adventures** that head to **Roatan, Honduras; Belize City, Belize; Cozumel and Costa Maya**; and **Perfect Day at CocoCay, The Bahamas**.

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- ***Grandeur of the Seas* – Sailing from Tampa and Fort Lauderdale**

Grandeur will continue sailing from Tampa through the summer and set sail on **4- and 5-night escapes** to The Bahamas, including destinations like **Perfect Day at CocoCay** and to the picturesque shores of **Cozumel, Mexico**. The winter brings a new adventure to choose from including 5-night vacations to tropical destinations **Labadee** and **Puerto Plata, Dominican Republic**.

- ***Liberty of the Seas* – Sailing from Fort Lauderdale, Florida**

Following a summer in the Big Apple, *Liberty* will return to Fort Lauderdale for the winter season to sail alternating **3- and 4-night getaways** to The Bahamas, including **Perfect Day at CocoCay** and **Nassau** featured on every cruise.

- ***Voyager of the Seas* – Sailing from Orlando (Port Canaveral)**

Royal Caribbean’s amplified ship, *Voyager*, welcomes vacationers to enjoy amped-up experiences with more ways to play, including two high-speed waterslides at **The Perfect Storm**, glow-in-the-dark **laser tag**, the **FlowRider** surf simulator, the adults-only **Solarium** and more. *Voyager* will sail **4- and 5-night winter getaways** on a varied lineup of **Eastern and Western Caribbean cruises** to The Bahamas, including **Perfect Day at CocoCay** and **Nassau; Cozumel; Puerto Plata, Dominican Republic** and **Labadee**.

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