

Chronicles

News and Information for all onboard events

SUNDAY, 9 MARCH 2025

PORT ELIZABETH, SOUTH AFRICA

All Aboard: 9:30 p.m.

Departure: 10:00 p.m.

DRESS CODE: ELEGANT CASUAL

Ladies: trousers, blouses, skirts, or casual dresses.

Gents: open-collar shirts and slacks, jacket optional.

No jeans, shorts or flip flop type footwear after 6:00 P.M. in indoor venues.

TODAY'S WEATHER

Cloudy with possible rain

High: 76°F 24°C

Low: 68°F 20°C



PORT ELIZABETH, SOUTH AFRICA

Aboard Silver Dawn

PLAN AHEAD

Upcoming ports



DATE	PORT	ARRIVE	DEPART
10 March	Day at Sea	-	-
11 March	Cape Town	7:00 a.m.	7:00 p.m.

YOUR EXPERIENCES ASHORE

SHORE EXCURSION SUGGESTIONS

Enhance your voyage with our exceptional excursions. From day excursions or private arrangements, we offer you the world. Please visit the Shore Concierge Desk to discuss your options and reserve your excursions. If you prefer, you may request your excursions via MyCruise on you in-suite TV or by completing the Excursion Booking Form in your suite. Your butler will be pleased to deliver this if completed by our deadline.

CPT-B / Table Mountain (Fast Track) & Blouberg Beach

4.50 Hours | \$159

Depart from the pier and travel for approximately 30 minute drive up Kloof Nek towards Table Mountain. On arrival at Lower Table Mountain Road, ascend the mountain by cable car and explore the mountain top, offering phenomenal views of the 'Mother City', Robben Island and more. Upon return to your vehicle, drive through the city, receiving enlighten and historic information from your qualified tour guide, and onto Blouberg Beach for the perfect 'post card' view of Table Mountain.

DECK 5 EXT. 551

OPENING HOURS:

7:30 A.M. - 10:30 A.M. | 4:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.



PORT ELIZABETH (GOEBERHA), SOUTH AFRICA

A Xhosa tale

Port Elizabeth is located in the homeland of the Xhosa people, the ethnic group from which Nelson Mandela hails. In Xhosa culture, oral tradition and storytelling play a significant role, with the tale of Qamata being one of the most prominent. Qamata is regarded as the primary deity responsible for the creation of the world and this story is not only a fundamental aspect of the Xhosa creation myth but also highlights the deep connection the people have with their land and the natural world, showcasing the complexity of Xhosa cosmology.

According to legend, Qamata was one of the first two beings to exist, born from the primordial forces of the sky and the earth. Entrusted with the task of shaping the earth, Qamata faced a formidable opponent in Nkanyamba, a sea dragon and the nemesis of his mother.

In one of their intense confrontations, Nkanyamba inflicted a grave injury on Qamata, hindering his ability to create dry land amidst the endless ocean. In response, the Earth goddess, his mother, intervened by casting large cattle made from reeds into the waters. These cattle miraculously transformed into landmasses, giving rise to the continents.

Initially, these new lands were lifeless and barren. To remedy this, the Earth goddess began to populate them with life. However, each night, Nkanyamba would drag the lands back beneath the waves, erasing the creations of the Earth goddess.

To thwart this cycle, she fashioned four celestial beings from her own essence, who became the guardians of the earth. These demi-gods assisted Qamata in his struggle against Nkanyamba, ultimately driving him deep into the ocean. This victory allowed life to thrive without further interference.

SIGHTS

- Shamwari Private Game Reserve in the Eastern Cape
- South African Air Force Museum
- Storms River bridge
- The Campanile
- The Island Nature Reserve
- Van Stadens Wild Flower Reserve

CUISINE

Generally speaking, the restaurants of the Eastern Cape are good but not great. Of course there are always a few exceptions to every rule, and in the Eastern Cape the number of these exceptions is always increasing. But for really good food, choose a great hotel or guesthouse, some of which are noted for their cuisine. Not surprisingly, most restaurants are reasonably casual, and there are none where men would be expected to wear a tie.

YOUR OPINION IS IMPORTANT TO US

At Silversea, we continually strive to enhance your journey with us. Your feedback is invaluable in helping us achieve this.

As your voyage is coming to an end, we are pleased to announce our new digital voyage questionnaire, powered by Medallia, which you can complete at home. After your voyage, all guests over the age of 18 who have provided us with their email address will receive an email invitation from SilverseaCruises@express. Medallia.com to participate in a brief online survey. We deeply appreciate your feedback and thank you for being an integral part of the Silversea experience.



DELUXE WINE SET

A TASTING ADVENTURE WELL BEYOND WORDS

Unleash your inner wine enthusiast and embark on a sensory journey like no other with our exclusive selection of three premium wines from our Connoisseurs Wine list. Let our Head Sommelier be your guide as you explore the nuances and flavors of these exceptional wines.

For more information on our Connoisseurs Wine Packages, reach out to our Head Sommelier.



OTIVM SPA TREATMENT FOR TWO

THE MESSAGE DUET

▶ THE OTIVM BEAUTY SPA DECK 6

The Message Duet. The ultimate way to share quality time together. Both of you will enjoy a deeply relaxing 50, 75 or 100-minute massages as you lay side by side in our reserved suite for two. Warm and soothe your muscles and improve range of motion. Aromatic massage oils are both relaxing and invigorating. While providing tonic for the soul, this massage will improve the function of the circulatory, lymphatic, muscular and nervous systems. Relax your mind and body as this healing treatment relieves muscle tension, improves range of motion and releases toxins that gather in tired, overworked muscles.

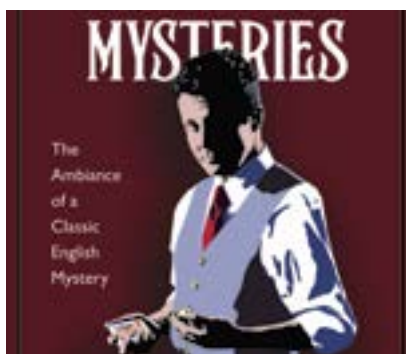


MYSTERIES

TONIGHT'S SHOW WITH MARK HASLAM

▶ AT 9:30 PM
VENETIAN LOUNGE, DECK 5

Magic with the ambiance of a classic English mystery. Able to work venues from the largest stage to the most intimate room, Mark Haslam transports audience members into a place of intelligent wit and inexplicable events.



PLANNING YOUR NEXT SILVERSEA CRUISE?

As we are nearing the end of the fourth chapter of the World Cruise 2025, now is the time to remind our guests that you can save an additional, up to 10% Saving on your next Silversea ultra-luxury cruise.

The reservation is made on behalf of your travel agent or personal Cruise Consultant at Silversea.



▶ For more information, please contact your Future Cruise Team Barrie and Lauren on Deck 5, or extension 60515.

GREEK FAMILY STYLE DINNER



▶ 9 MARCH, 7:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M.
LA TERRAZZA (DECK 7)

Executive Chef Ross and the Galley Team created a special Greek Family Style Dinner menu and Restaurant Manager Dinu and the Dining Room Staff welcome you. Guests wishing assistance to make a booking, please contact any Maître d' Outlet or the Restaurant Manager.

Please Note: The Family Style Dinner starts with the first course served at 7:00 p.m..

PHONE ETIQUETTE ON BOARD



As a courtesy to your fellow guests, we kindly ask you to refrain from using the speaker function on your cell phone in any public area or public venue on board.



ALL DAY DINING

BREAKFAST

ATLANTIDE (DECK 4)

À la Carte 8:00 a.m. – Last Seating 9:30 a.m.

LA TERRAZZA (DECK 7)

Buffet 7:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

LUNCH

ATLANTIDE (DECK 4)

À la Carte 12:00 p.m. – Last Seating 1:30 p.m.

KAISEKI (DECK 4)

À la Carte 12:00 p.m. – Last Seating 2:30 p.m.

LA TERRAZZA (DECK 7)

Buffet 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

THE GRILL (DECK 10) *

À la Carte 12:00 p.m. – Last Seating 3:30 p.m.

OPEN ALL DAY

ARTS CAFÉ (DECK 8)

Light Snacks 6:30 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.

SPACCANAPOLI (DECK 11)

À la Carte 11:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.

* Weather permitting

** Reservations required

IN-SUITE DINING

24-hour

The menu is available on the TV.

To place your order please contact your butler or call extension 500. In-Suite Dining is also available in other public areas when our dining venues are not open for service.

At Silversea Cruises, we take maximum food precautionary measures to ensure the safest quality product is offered to our guests; Worldwide Public Health Services advise that consuming raw or undercooked meats, seafood, shellfish, eggs, milk, or poultry may increase your risk of food-borne illness, especially if you have certain medical conditions.

DINNER

As a courtesy to your fellow guests please respect the times of your dinner reservation.

ATLANTIDE (DECK 4)

À la Carte 6:00 p.m. – Last Seating 8:30 p.m.

S.A.L.T. Kitchen (DECK 4)

À la Carte 6:30 p.m. – Last Seating 9:00 p.m.

KAISEKI (DECK 4) **

À la Carte 6:30 p.m. – Last Seating 9:00 p.m.

A dining fee per person applies

LA TERRAZZA (DECK 7) **

Family Style 7:00 p.m.

SILVER NOTE (DECK 7) **

À la Carte 7:30 p.m. – Last Seating 10:00 p.m.

THE GRILL (DECK 10) */**

À la Carte 6:30 p.m. – Last Seating 9:00 p.m.

LA DAME (DECK 8) **

À la Carte 6:30 p.m. – Last Seating 9:00 p.m.

Gentlemen: Jacket required

A dining fee per person applies

Should you wish to cancel your reservation at La Dame, please note that you must do so by latest 2:00pm on the day of the reservation, otherwise the full cover fee per person will be billed to your Guest Account.

BAR HOURS

9:00am – 10:30pm

10:00am – until late

2:00pm – until late

6:00pm – until late

6:30am – until late

6:00pm – 11:00pm

7:00pm – until late

9:00pm – until late

Pool Bar * [Deck 10]

Panorama Lounge [Deck 9]

Dolce Vita [Deck 5]

S.A.L.T. Bar [Deck 4]

Arts Café [Deck 8]

Observation Library [Deck 11]

Silver Note [Deck 7]

Connoisseur's Corner [Deck 9]

*Weather permitting

SERVICES

OTIVM SPA | DECK 6

BEAUTY SALON AND BARBER SHOP

Dial 600 for appointments.

8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Later appointments until 10:00 p.m. available on request.

SAUNA & STEAM ROOM | DECK 6

8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

FITNESS CENTRE | DECK 6

5:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Limited spaces available for classes.

Age restriction: over 18 to use the facilities. 16–18 allowed in with guardian.

FUTURE CRUISE SALES | DECK 5

Please dial 60515 or consult your suite ITV to request an appointment.

8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. | 3:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

BOUTIQUES | DECK 8

Closed due to Customs Regulations
Window gallery pop up boutique open all day for preview and viewing.

CASINO | DECK 7

Closed due to Customs Regulations
Age restriction: over 18 to use the facilities.

SHORE CONCIERGE DESK | DECK 5

Dial 551 for assistance during daily opening hours.
7:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. | 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

GUEST RELATIONS MANAGER | DECK 5

Dial 60502 for assistance.
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | 3:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

MEDICAL CENTRE | DECK 3

Dial 10333 during clinic hours.
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. | 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Medical assistance is also available by appointment.
Dial 555 (Reception) after hours.
Emergency service is available 24 hours a day. Please use the Forward elevator or Forward stairs to reach the clinic.
Kindly ask about charges prior to consultation.

VIEW YOUR EXPENSES

Kindly note that your on board expenses can be reviewed anytime on the interactive TV system in your suite. A printed copy of the final statement will be delivered to your suite on the morning of your disembarkation.

IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY PLEASE DIAL 999

Sunday, 9 March 2025

Sunrise 6:12 a.m. • Sunset 6:43 p.m.

GOOD MORNING

7:00	Morning Stretch (sign up required)	Fitness Centre (6)
8:00	Pathway to Pilates (sign up required)	Fitness Centre (6)
9:00	Today's Silver Quiz, Crossword Puzzle and Sudoku are available (Return the Silver Quiz to Reception by 3:00 pm - prize points for the most accurate quiz that is returned earliest)	Arts Café (8)
9:00	Board games will be available for your enjoyment (unhosted)	Observation Lounge (11)
9:00	Table Tennis will be available for your enjoyment (unhosted) * weather permitting	Outside Panorama Lounge (9)
9:00	Shuffleboard will be set up for your enjoyment throughout the day (unhosted) * weather permitting	Outside Panorama Lounge (9)
9:00	Cornhole will be available to play (unhosted) * weather permitting	Outside Panorama Lounge (9)
9:00	Puffy eyes seminar	OTIVM Spa (6)
9:30	Knit and Stitch Club: meet with fellow knitters and stitchers (unhosted, no material provided)	Observation Lounge (11)

GOOD AFTERNOON

2:30	Complimentary Posture Analysis	OTIVM Spa (6)
3:00	Acupuncture Q&A with Dr. Liliana Grande	OTIVM Spa (6)
3:00	S.A.L.T. Lab Class: "Braai & Ubuntu: The Human Connection To South African Barbeque" (please pre-register with guest services)	S.A.L.T. Lab (4)
4:00	Bingo! with a member of the Entertainment Cruise Staff	Panorama Lounge (9)
4:00	Tighten Your Skin with Thermage	OTIVM Spa (6)
4:45	Team Trivia - Join Cruise Director Moss for this daytime activity	Dolce Vita (5)
5:30	Fab Abs (sign up required)	Fitness Centre (6)
5:30	Golf Putting Competition: Join your Entertainment Cruise Staff for this daytime activity	Lobby (4)

GOOD EVENING

DRESS CODE: ELEGANT CASUAL

6:00	Pianist Remon and Guitar Entertainer Felipe alternate performing for guests' listening pleasure	Dolce Vita (5)
6:15	Silver Dawn Band plays for your dancing and listening pleasure	Panorama Lounge (9)
6:15	Enrichment Lecture with Mark Haslam - The Trick Brain A thought-inducing presentation heading down the creative pathways illuminated by magicians, writers, and other artists.	Venetian Lounge (5)
6:30	Solo Travellers get together with Gentleman Host Brian	Panorama Lounge (9)
7:30	Jazz Pianist André plays for guests' listening pleasure	Silver Note (7)
8:15	Join Silver Note Jazz Duo Esther and André as they entertain you with their live music	Silver Note (7)
9:00	Silver Dawn Band plays for your dancing and listening pleasure	Panorama Lounge (9)
9:00	Pianist Remon and Guitar Entertainer Felipe alternate performing for guests' listening pleasure	Dolce Vita (5)
9:30	Showtime! Silversea Proudly Presents: Mark Haslam - Mysteries Magic with the ambiance of a classic English mystery. Able to work venues from the largest stage to the most intimate room, Mark Haslam transports audience members into a place of intelligent wit and inexplicable events.	Venetian Lounge (5)
9:30	All Aboard! Silver Dawn prepares to sail	
10:00	Silver Dawn sails for Durban, South Africa	
10:30	DJ Gabor invites you to a party to celebrate the songs you love (until late)	Panorama Lounge (9)

Going ashore in Port Elizabeth, *South Africa*

SHIP PROCEDURES

Remember to carry your **Suite Key Card and Original Passport** whenever going ashore as this is your only valid identification for reboarding the vessel.

PIER INFORMATION

Silver Dawn is scheduled to dock in Port Elizabeth (Gqeberha), BERTH 101.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Silversea charges in United States Dollars for all shipboard transactions. We would like you to be aware that your credit card company may charge a foreign transaction fee. Silversea processes shipboard credit card transactions through the United Kingdom. Should you wish to register a different credit card to settle your account, please see our Reception Staff on Deck 5.

CURRENCY EXCHANGE

The local currency is South African Rand (ZAR). Guests going ashore can expect the following rates of exchange:

1 USD = 18.23 ZAR approx.

1 EUR = 19.77 ZAR approx.

1 GBP = 23.54 ZAR approx.

SHIP'S AGENT

(for use in emergencies only)

RENNIES SHIPS AGENCY

Bidfreight Port Operations Building, Shed 10 & 11,

Mpt, Quay 3, Port Elizabeth, 6001

Email: plz@rennies.co.za

Phone: +27 83 460 1661

EXCURSIONS

The excursions depart at the times listed below from the pier ashore. As a courtesy to your fellow guests and to allow the punctual departure of your excursion, we ask all participants to proceed ashore **10 minutes** prior to your departure time. If you are late, unfortunately the transportation will not wait.

Please do not forget to bring your excursion tickets, Suite Key Card and your Original Passport.

PLZ-M	PUMBA PRIVATE GAME RESERVE - SAFARI & LUNCH	7:45 a.m.
PLZ-H	PENGUIN ISLAND CRUISE.....	8:00 a.m.
PLZ-J	AMAKHALA PRIVATE GAME RESERVE - SAFARI & LUNCH.....	8:30 a.m.
PLZ-E	1ST DEP: TOWNSHIP EXPLORATION - SOUTH AFRICA'S PAST & PRESENT	9:00 a.m.
PLZ-EA	2ND DEP: TOWNSHIP EXPLORATION - SOUTH AFRICA'S PAST & PRESENT	1:30 p.m.
PLZ-C	BELLEVUE FOREST - GIRAFFE & BUFFALO ENCOUNTER	2:00 p.m.

HOSPITALITY DESK

There will be a Hospitality Desk available at the pier ashore from 09:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.. The hospitality representative will be able to answer detailed questions and to direct guests to their desired locations. Complimentary brochures and maps may also be available.

SHUTTLE BUS

A complimentary Shuttle Bus Service will be operating between the pier and Boardwalk Shopping Mall from 09:30 a.m. until 07:00 p.m. (last bus from town). Distance to downtown: approximately a 10-minute drive (one way). We recommend arriving at least 10 minutes prior to the shuttle bus departure at the pickup locations. Shuttle bus schedule will be posted at the Shore Concierge Desk, Deck 5 and at the gangway.

TIPS FOR STAYING SAFE

Currently, pickpockets and muggers tend to prey on tourists. Your safety is our main concern. Please exercise care when going ashore with wallets, handbags, sunglasses and camera equipment. Avoid highly visible jewellery, handbags or expensive-looking watches, sunglasses or camera equipment. Do not use large denominations when paying street vendors as this may attract unwanted attention. Do not accept food or drinks from strangers. Avoid walking around the port area, unaccompanied, especially after dark. Use licensed taxis and keep to the main streets when unsure of your surroundings.

AGRICULTURAL NOTICE

Please note that it is strictly forbidden to carry ashore any food, fresh fruit, vegetables, wood products/handicrafts that include bark, seedlings of any kinds, animal or plant by-products or plants with soil. We thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

All Aboard
9:30 p.m.

PLEASE NOTE THIS USEFUL INFORMATION WHEN GOING ASHORE.
SILVER DAWN SATELLITE PHONE NUMBER: +1 786 605 5750