

## MEDIA RELEASE

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## Niagara City Cruises to Open Mother's Day Weekend

Condensed schedule will start Friday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, with the promise of a full season ahead for one of Canada's most memorable tourist experiences

**NIAGARA FALLS**, Ont. — Looking ahead to a full season, <u>Niagara City Cruises</u> will launch for the season on Mother's Day weekend.

Operating on a condensed weekend schedule starting May 6, 2022, the popular Voyage to the Falls tour will run Friday to Monday between 10 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Regular daily service will return in June.

Tickets are on sale now at niagaracitycruises.com.

"We are excited to be able to open for Mother's Day and provide visitors to Niagara Falls the most unique view of the globally renowned waterfall," says Mory Di Maurizio, Chief Operating Officer of <u>City Cruises in Canada</u>. "Our crew is geared up and ready to help our guests create more amazing memories from in the mist!"

The 20-minute Voyage to the Falls boat tour sets sail every 30 minutes and brings guests on the journey of a lifetime. Enjoy stunning views of the Niagara Gorge, American Falls and Bridal Veil Falls, and come face-to-face with the famous Canadian Horseshoe Falls.

Feel the thundering roar, awesome power and amazing mist (a protective recyclable mist poncho is provided) that come along with these natural wonders.

"The Voyage to the Falls is a truly iconic Niagara Falls attraction, rated as Canada's top visitor experience," says Mr. DiMaurizio. "The past two years have been particularly challenging for the tourism industry. It is encouraging to see some steps towards stimulating the tourism experience not just in Niagara, but across Ontario and Canada."

The Voyage to the Falls tour costs \$32 + HST for Adults (13+), \$22 + HST for Children (3 to 12), while Infants (2 and under) ride for free. Timed ticketing is in effect.

While vaccination requirements and face mask mandates have been lifted, Niagara City Cruises continues to operate under its SafeCruise principles as the safety of our guests and crew remains our top priority.

For more information on the schedule and to buy tickets, please visit <u>niagaracitycruises.com</u>, download the City Experiences mobile app, or visit the Main Ticket Plaza for day-of ticket purchases. Follow Niagara City Cruises on Instagram <u>@NiagaraCruises</u>, like us on <u>Facebook</u> and join the conversation with the hashtag #IntheMist.

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## **About City Experiences**

City Experiences represents Hornblower Group's expansive portfolio of water- and land-based experience companies and includes two sub-brands: City Cruises and City Ferry. City Cruises companies operate dining, sightseeing and private events across 22 destinations in the U.S., Canada and the UK. City Cruises companies also operate cruises on behalf of the National Park Service and the Niagara Parks Commission and currently hold service contracts to provide ferry service to the Statue of Liberty National Monument and the Ellis Island National Museum of Immigration, Alcatraz Island and Niagara Falls. City Ferry companies offer specialized knowledge and expertise required to transport passengers, vehicles and other cargo safely across inland and coastal waterways, serving as operator of NYC Ferry and Puerto Rico ferry system, among others. City Experiences' portfolio of companies also offers a range of water- and land-based experiences including shore excursions, partner-offered experiences, multi-port packages, with companies including Venture Ashore, Niagara Jet Adventures, Walks and Devour Tours. For more information visit cityexperiences.com.

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