SAN DIEGO TO VANCOUVER CRUISE

April 2026





On Holland America's Koningsdam

With cruising proving to be more popular than ever, here is a pleasant five-day cruise on Holland America's Koningsdam. We fly to San Diego and stay two nights at the Embassy Suites. The Maritime Museum and Balboa Park are included. On board the Koningsdam, we cruise up the coast to Vancouver with a day-long stop at San Francisco.

What a wonderful way to relax and get pampered on the beautiful Koningsdam.







Departure from:

BC Interior: April 25, 2026 - 8 days

Vancouver Island: April 25, 2026 - 8 days **Lower Mainland:** April 25, 2026 - 8 days

▶ Fares per person

1 from **\$3,180** double/twin, **\$4,170** single* *Pricing details for all departures provided on page 2.

▶ Early Booking Bonus

\$150 discount on first 12 seats; **\$75** on next 8.

▶ Earn 71 Experience Points



DEPARTURE INFORMATION



Your departure point will be discussed at the time of booking.



BC Interior: We depart on Saturday, April 25, flying from Kelowna to San Diego. We board the cruise in San Diego on Monday, April 27. We return on Saturday, May 2, driving home from Vancouver. Transportation is provided to and from your pickup point.



Vancouver Island: We depart on Saturday, April 25, flying from Victoria to San Diego. We board the cruise in San Diego on Monday, April 27. We return on Saturday, May 2, driving back to Victoria from Vancouver.

Departure from Victoria: Depending on the number of people booked and coach size, home pickups may be offered in the Greater Victoria Area. The decision is made about 2 weeks before departure and you will be contacted about your pickup point and time.

Departure from Up-Island: Make your own way to Victoria or Vancouver to join this tour.



Lower Mainland: We depart on Saturday, April 25, flying from Vancouver to San Diego. We board the cruise in San Diego on Monday, April 27. We return on Saturday, May 2, docking in Vancouver.

Departure from Vancouver: Home pickup for clients in the Greater Vancouver Area may be arranged at the time of booking.

Departure from Abbotsford or Chilliwack: No transportation is provided to Vancouver Airport on Saturday, April 25. Drop off points on Saturday, May 2, are available via the main coach. Please refer to the BC Interior fares below.

FARES PER PERSON

410	Departure Point	Inside Stateroom Category I	Oceanview Stateroom Category C	Veranda Stateroom Category VA	Neptune Suite Category SA	
0	BC Interior	\$3,180 double/twin \$4,170 single	\$3,440 double/twin \$4,690 single	\$3,760 double/twin \$5,330 single	\$6,290 double/twin \$10,385 single	
	Vancouver Island	\$3,355 double/twin \$4,345 single	\$3,615 double/twin \$4,865 single	\$3,935 double/twin \$5,505 single	\$6,465 double/twin \$10,560 single	
	Lower Mainland	\$3,215 double/twin \$4,205 single	\$3,475 double/twin \$4,725 single	\$3,795 double/twin \$5,365 single	\$6,325 double/twin \$10,420 single	

- Please add 0.3% GST.
- Triple fares and other categories are also available.

WHAT'S INCLUDED

Meals

18 total: 7 breakfasts, 6 lunches, 5 dinners 17 total: 7 breakfasts, 5 lunches, 5 dinners

Transportation

- Transportation to Kelowna, Vancouver, or Victoria Airport from the BC Interior, Greater Vancouver, or Greater Victoria Areas
- Flights to San Diego
- Transfer from San Diego Airport to hotel
- 1 day of transportation in San Diego
- Transfer from hotel to San Diego cruise terminal
- 5 days cruising on Koningsdam
- Transportation from Canada Place cruise terminal to your pickup point
- Current air transport taxes & security fees

Accommodation

- 2 nights of hotel accommodation & taxes
- 5 days & nights on board Koningsdam
- Port charges & cruise taxes
- Luggage handling at hotel & ship

Key Highlights

- Balboa Park with pass to 4 museums
- Maritime Museum

Attractions are subject to change. Please see Tour Policies for more information.

▶ Gratuities

- Cruise gratuities
- Gratuities for California guides and drivers

Knowledgeable Wells Gray tour director

Activity Level 2

Moderate activity: As a traveller you like a variety of activities and walking up to 2 km is very doable for you without assistance. You can stand for prolonged periods, negotiate a variety of terrain including moderate hills comfortably, and can climb two flights of stairs without assistance. Please be aware that on tours with flights and cruises, you must handle your own luggage and walk longer distances in airports and cruise terminals. You may need to handle your own luggage at the hotel if luggage service is not available.

You may bring a cane or walking poles if needed. The coaches cannot carry a scooter or motorized wheelchair. The cruise days are Activity Level 1 and other days are Activity Level 2. The tour director and driver have many responsibilities, so please do not expect them, or your fellow travellers, to provide ongoing assistance. If you are not capable of keeping up with the group or require frequent assistance, the tour director may stop you from participating in some activities or some days of the tour.



Tour Size 40

This tour can accommodate 40 participants.





Saturday, April 25

We fly to San Diego, arriving in the evening. Our coach meets us at the airport and we stay two nights at the Embassy Suites Hotel near the harbour.

Accommodation: Embassy Suites Bay-Downtown

Sunday, April 26

Balboa Park is the largest urban park in the USA at 1,100 acres and many of San Diego's most popular museums are located here. Admission is included to four museums of your choice such as Reuben Fleet Science Center, Aerospace Historical Center, Museum of Man, Natural History Museum, Museum of Art, or Automotive Museum. Next, we explore the **Maritime Museum** on the San Diego waterfront which features many nautical displays and three historic ships including the Star of India, the world's oldest active ship. Get acquainted with your fellow travellers at the hotel's evening reception.

Meals included: Breakfast

Accommodation: Embassy Suites Bay-Downtown

Monday, April 27

It's a short drive to the cruise terminal and we board the *Koningsdam* about noon. An embarkation lunch is served on the Lido Deck. The afternoon is free time to explore the ship. Enjoy a festive "Farewell to San Diego" deck party as we cast off at 5 pm. Savour a sumptuous dinner in the dining room, followed by a lively stage show in the theatre.

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Koningsdam

Tuesday, April 28

This is a day of cruising off the California Coast. Enjoy all the facilities on board. Tonight or sometime during the cruise, you may wish to dine in the Pinnacle Grill, Tamarind, Canaletto, or Sel de Mer restaurants for a special experience (make a reservation in advance).

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Koningsdam

Wednesday, April 29

Be sure to be on deck or out on your balcony early when the *Koningsdam* makes a dramatic entrance to **San Francisco**, passing under the amazing Golden Gate Bridge. This is a free day to explore San Francisco as you wish — take a ship's shore excursion, book a tour on the dock, stroll Fisherman's Wharf, ride a historic cablecar, or browse the shops of Pier 39. The ship sails at 5 pm.

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Koningsdam

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Thursday, April 30 These next two days are for relaxing at sea.

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Koningsdam

Friday, May 1 A day at sea.

Meals included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation: Koningsdam

Saturday, May 2 We dock at Canada Place in Vancouver and bid farewell to the Koningsdam. We

travel home.

Meals included:

Breakfast, Lunch

Breakfast



Holland America Line's third newest ship, MS Koningsdam, made her grand entrance into the cruising world in 2016. To bring this new ship to life and give form and function to its brand, Holland America commissioned two legendary partners, Adam Tihany, regarded as one of the world's pre-eminent hospitality designers, and architect Bjørn Storbraaten. Their revolutionary designs for Koningsdam featured light-filled spaces, fluid curves, a sophisticated interplay of high technology and elegance, and beautiful architectural elements inspired by music. All were woven together to create an interior that blends a fresh, contemporary styling in perfect harmony with Holland America's classic elegance.

The Koningsdam carries 2,650 passengers, the largest ever built by the company. Her 12 decks feature four performance venues including the 1,000-seat live entertainment theatre, five lounges, casino, shopping arcade, movie theatre, beauty shop, library, games room, 12 elevators, internet centre, spa, fitness centre, and two swimming pools (one with sliding dome cover). The Koningsdam offers 12 restaurants or cafés. The elegant

two-deck Dining Room serves breakfast, lunch, and dinner with full choice of menu. The Lido Market offers buffet-style serving stations for breakfast, lunch, dinner, and the 11 pm snack. The Pinnacle Grill, the Canaletto Restaurant with Italian cuisine, the Tamarind Restaurant with Asian cuisine, and Rudi's Sel de Mer with a seafood menu all offer extraordinary service, reserved seating, and gourmet menus for an extra charge. You can also dine in the privacy of your stateroom by ordering from the room service menu. All meals are culinary delights!

Staterooms have twin lower beds (some convert to queen-size double), television, music, telephone, and bathroom with toilet, sink and shower or bathtub. A crew of over 1,000 ensures top-quality service and entertainment. Every day has a full schedule of optional activities: dance class, bridge, bingo, shuffleboard, tabletennis, karaoke, board games, and fitness activities. Every evening, there is live stage entertainment in the World Stage Theatre, and several other venues each offer a performance schedule.

TOUR & CRUISE NOTES

Please book early: Cruises are incredibly popular nowadays. Ships are filling up faster and earlier than they once did, so waiting too long to book usually means "Sorry, wait until next year." Holland America has confirmed a block of staterooms for this cruise and they are normally held until 90 days before sailing (mid-January 2026). However, any unsold staterooms can be taken away from us at any time if the ship or even a category fills. This occurs on most of our group cruises, then we must turn away disappointed customers, even though seats are available on the connecting motorcoach. Therefore, please don't delay booking this tour.

Dinner reservations: The Koningsdam offers both open dining and fixed dining. Open dining is standard, so you can go to a restaurant when you are ready with your friends or make a reservation earlier in the day. If you prefer to dine at the same time with the same people each day, we can request this. The four specialty restaurants take reservations on board and you should do this early in the voyage.

Flight seating: We are unable to take requests for window or aisle seating on the planes. The airline will not

accept them, as group seating is assigned as a block. If this is important to you, we suggest you take the "No Flight" option with a fare reduction of \$400 and book your own flight which allows seat selection.

Flight upgrades: Please enquire about the current price for an upgrade on the flight to San Diego. Business class may be available.

Flight delays or cancellations: In the event flights are delayed or cancelled by airlines due to weather or other reasons, there may be additional costs to you. Wells Gray Tours will not pay for hotel rooms and meals during the delay. Most travel insurance policies cover expenses incurred for flight delays.

Food Allergies on cruises: You must notify us no later than at final payment if you have a food allergy. An allergy causes medical distress, a preference does not. Most food allergies can be handled at meals on the ship, but you may have to order 24 hours in advance. For some allergies, please consider bringing your own snacks or food items so you are not dependent on what restaurants are able to serve.

TOUR POLICIES

Payments: A deposit of \$400 per person is requested at the time of booking and balance is due January 20, 2026. By paying the deposit, you agree to the **Terms & Conditions**, Activity Level and Cancellation Policy outlined. Payments can be made by online banking or cheque (3% discount on tour fare), or by Visa or Mastercard.

Early Booking Bonus: Receive a \$150 discount on the first 12 seats and \$75 on the next 8 seats for booking early with deposit. The discount is not offered after January 20, 2026.

Cancellation Policy: Up to December 19, 2025, your tour payments will be refunded less an administrative charge of \$100 per person. From December 20, 2025 to January 20, 2026, the cancellation charge is \$200 per person. From January 21 to February 20, the cancellation charge is 40% of the tour fare. From February 21 to March 20, the cancellation charge is 80% of the tour fare. After March 20, there is no refund.

Itinerary and Fare Changes: Our many suppliers may notify us about changes to the itinerary prior to departure and sometimes during the tour. We do our best to substitute a similar service if something cancels, but occasionally the only alternative is to provide a refund for the missed activity. Please note that if we are forced to cancel a tour component due to an issue beyond our control, the current penalties still apply if you choose to cancel the entire tour. Fuel surcharges and changes to taxes, currency exchange rates, or other tour costs can occur at any time, therefore Wells Gray Tours reserves the right to increase fares due to such changes up to departure.

Travel Insurance: A Comprehensive Insurance policy is available through Wells Gray Tours and coverage is provided by Travel Guard. Policies purchased at deposit include a waiver of the pre-existing condition clause for medical and cancellation claims, otherwise policies can be purchased no later than at final payment. Medical questionnaire is not needed. Please contact us for

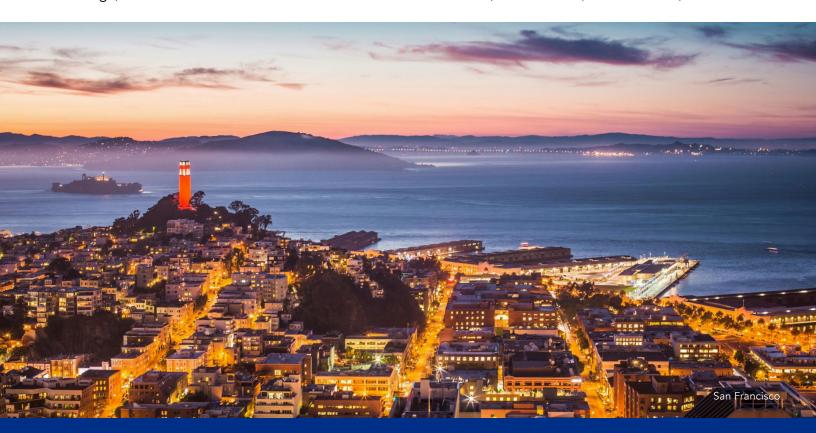
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details. If you have your own travel insurance, please read the policy carefully to be sure that you are adequately covered for medical, cancellation, interruption, and luggage. Please do not travel to the USA without medical insurance as a minimum.

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Experience Points or E-points: This tour earns 71 e-points. Each time you travel on a Wells Gray tour, you earn e-points that are added to your account after the tour returns. One e-point equals \$1. Redeem your earned points on select tours or accumulate enough points to earn a free tour! Redemptions offered until January 20, 2026.

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