Paul Gauguin

## PAUL GAUGUIN CRUISES CELEBRATES ITS ANNIVERSARY WITH A SALE ON SELECT 2015 & 2016 TAHITI, FRENCH POLYNESIA, AND SOUTH PACIFIC VOYAGES



**BELLEVUE, WASH.** – **August 17, 2015** – **Paul Gauguin Cruises** (<u>www.pgcruises.com</u>), operator of the highest-rated and longest continually sailing luxury cruise ship in the South Pacific, the m/s *Paul Gauguin*, and the 88-guest m/v *Tere Moana*, celebrates its sixth anniversary with a sale on select 2015 and 2016 **Tahiti, French Polynesia, and South Pacific** voyages, when booked between August 17 and August 31, 2015.

Paul Gauguin Cruises is offering **savings of up to \$3,400\* per person** off previously advertised rates on sailings to paradise. On board *The Gauguin*, guests will enjoy the highest standards of luxury, quality, and all-inclusive value in enchanting destinations. Itineraries on *The Gauguin* also include roundtrip airfare from Los Angeles.

## Cook Islands & Society Islands (11 nights):

• December 5, 2015 – now from only <del>\$5,695</del> \$4,595 per person

## Tahiti & the Society Islands (7 nights):

- December 16, 2015 now from only <del>\$3,995</del> \$3,295 per person
- December 23, 30, 2015 now from only <del>\$5,295</del> \$4,345 per person
- January 23, 30, 2016 now from only <del>\$3,995</del> \$3,395 per person
- February 13; March 12, 19, 26, 2016 now from only \$5,295 \$4,395 per person

On *The Gauguin*, nearly 70% of the ship's suites and staterooms offer balconies. Dining experiences include L'Etoile, which showcases an array of tempting specialties, expertly prepared each evening. La Veranda features delicious breakfast and lunch dishes and is transformed into a chic French bistro in the evenings, highlighting culinary creations of celebrity chef Jean-Pierre Vigato, world-renowned Chef Propriétaire of the Michelin-rated Restaurant Apicius in Paris. Polynesian specialties are served poolside at Le Grill in the evening.

Les Gauguines and Les Gauguins—a troupe of Tahitian entertainers—provide enriching experiences of the destinations throughout each voyage. *The Gauguin's* enrichment program features a series of expert lecturers on topics ranging from the history of the South Pacific to conservation, culture, marine life, and the wonders of coral reefs. A luxurious spa, fitness center, watersports marina, and expansive outdoor decks with chaise lounges and a pool are also available aboard *The Gauguin*.

One of the highlights of each sailing is exclusive access to Motu Mahana, a private islet off the coast of Taha'a where guests can enjoy sunbathing, swimming, snorkeling, kayaking, Polynesian activities, a full-service bar, a floating lagoon bar, and a delicious barbecue. In Bora Bora, guests can enjoy complimentary access to a private, white-sand beach with beach volleyball, sunbathing, snorkeling, paddleboarding, and refreshments.

**CONTACT:** For more information or reservations, contact a professional travel agent, call 1-800-848-6172, or visit <u>www.pgcruises.com</u>.

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#### About Paul Gauguin Cruises

Owned by Pacific Beachcomber S.C., French Polynesia's leading luxury hotel and cruise operator, Paul Gauguin Cruises operates the 5+-star cruise ship, the 332-guest m/s *Paul Gauguin*, providing a deluxe cruise experience

tailored to the unparalleled wonders of Tahiti, French Polynesia, and the South Pacific. *The Gauguin's* accolades include recognition as one of the "Top 20 Small Cruise Ships" in 2013 for the 15<sup>th</sup> year in a row by readers of *Condé Nast Traveler*. The m/v *Tere Moana* offers voyages in the Caribbean, Latin America, and Europe, accommodating 88 guests with a staff of 62. In 2013, *The Moana* received "Best New Small Ship" and "Best Way to See the Greek Isles" in *Cruisereport.com's* Editor's Choice Awards. In addition, Paul Gauguin Cruises was voted "#1 Small-Ship Cruise Line" and "#1 Small-Ship Cruise Line for Families" in *Travel + Leisure's* 2014 World's Best Awards.

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\*All fares are per person, based on double occupancy in lowest stateroom category, and reflect promotional savings, are for new bookings only, are subject to availability, and must be booked by August 31, 2015. Offer may be combined with FREE 3<sup>rd</sup> guest in stateroom offer and applicable past guest savings but is not combinable with other offers. Port, security, and handling charges of \$109-\$170 per person are not included. Call for details. For full terms and conditions visit <u>www.pgcruises.com</u>.