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## DIALING UP THE THRILLS: SINGAPORE TO WELCOME THE REGION'S BOLDEST CRUISE SHIP – SPECTRUM OF THE SEAS – IN 2022

Asia's Largest, Most Innovative Ship Will Visit Destinations as soon as October 2022, Quantum of the Seas Extends its Season Through April 2022

**SINGAPORE, September 28, 2021** – Holidaymakers will have much to celebrate when Royal Caribbean International brings Asia's largest and most innovative ship, *Spectrum of the Seas*, to Singapore for the long-awaited comeback of cruising to destinations\*. Travellers can look forward to spectacular 3- to 9-night sailings that will visit the best of Asia, starting October 21, 2022. **Sailings are now open for bookings.** 

Built to deliver memorable vacation experiences, the first Quantum Ultra Class ship boasts the cruise line's first private enclave for suite guests, innovative dining concepts, and stunning features and adventures – many of which have never been seen at sea.

"We are thrilled to introduce a whole spectrum of new adventures with *Spectrum of the Seas*, which features groundbreaking escapades exclusively designed for the Asian market, a testament to Royal Caribbean's confidence in the potential of the cruising industry in the region. We have seen a surge in repeat cruisers, as well as a significant number of new to cruise guests, and look forward to bringing the best of the Royal Caribbean experience to our guests," said Angie Stephen, vice president, Singapore, Royal Caribbean International. "At the same time, we are excited to extend *Quantum's* ultimate ocean getaways once again through early next year to continue catering to the strong demand for sailings from Singapore."

With more than 50 years delivering innovation at sea, Royal Caribbean introduced *Spectrum* as an Asian adventure full of feats and firsts. Guests on board *Spectrum* will savour an exotic array of Asian-inspired cuisine consisting of teppanyaki and hot pot-style dining, as well as an entertainment extravaganza touching on the cultures, colors, music and dance styles of China, Persia and India. *Spectrum* offers the perfect combination of high-tech experiences, providing adventure-loving guests a wealth of onboard adventures:

Asia's first Sky Pad, a virtual reality, bungee trampoline adventure where guests strap in and don a
headset to transport themselves to another time and planet.

- Royal Caribbean's first and exclusive Suite Enclave, which features the exquisite Royal Suite Class Star,
   Sky and Sea accommodations in a private area supremely positioned at the forward end of the ship.
   Guests booked in these luxury suites have exclusive floor access, an elevator, private restaurants, and a dedicated lounge area.
- Cutting-edge and transformative venues such as Two70. Boasting stunning 270-degree ocean views by
  day and transforming into a multidimensional theater by night, this transformative space flaunts six agile
  Roboscreens, breathtaking live performers and mind-bending aerialists to create unimaginable visuals.
  Meanwhile, SeaPlex, the largest indoor activity space at sea, features bumper cars, interactive gaming,
  laser tag, fencing, archery, and more.
- Star Moment, a lively and energetic karaoke venue where family and friends can belt out and sing like stars.
- Spacious and family friendly staterooms, ranging from exterior balcony staterooms to family friendly
  interconnected rooms, to the signature two-level **Ultimate Family Suite**, an expansive, multiroom
  retreat complete with its own ensuite slide and cinema, which also doubles as a karaoke stage.
- A bold lineup of signature activities, including the FlowRider surf simulator, the North Star, an all-glass capsule that ascends 300 feet above the ocean to deliver incomparable 360-degree views; and RipCord by iFly, the first sky diving experience at sea.
- Nineteen distinct dining options serve up flavors from around the world, including **Hot Pot**, an authentic Chinese dining experience; **Teppanyaki**, a celebration of authentic oriental flavors cooked in Japan's traditional teppanyaki style; and **Sichuan Red**, a new specialty dining experience tailored just for *Spectrum*, where diners can savour a bold tapestry of authentic spices and Sichuan flavours. Signature classics include imaginative cuisine at **Wonderland**, top-notch, aged beef at **Chops Grille**, and authentic rustic fare and handmade pasta at **Jamie's Italian**.

The global cruise operator continues to implement health and safety measures as needed, in line with its <u>Royal Promise</u> commitment. In addition to robust onboard ventilation systems, enhanced cleaning and sanitization as well as having its crew vaccinated, the cruise line will also require all guests to be fully vaccinated for all new bookings made from October 1, 2021, and onwards. The vaccine requirement is one of the many layers of measures that safeguard the well-being of guests, crew and the communities at each destination visited, and Royal Caribbean will continue to evaluate and update its measures as circumstances evolve with various government and health authorities.

"I extend my deepest gratitude to the Singapore Government for its collaboration and confidence in Royal Caribbean to deliver a safe cruising. As we continue to evaluate and implement public health recommendations from both our Healthy Sail Panel and the local government(s), we look forward to our guests being able to explore new destinations and enjoy the great guest experience they have loved on board Royal Caribbean," said Stephen.

Meanwhile, guests can continue to enjoy an extended season of adventures on board *Quantum* with sailings through April 7, 2022. Guests who book their vacation on *Quantum* on or before October 31, 2021 can be assured of flexibility in their plans with Royal Caribbean's <u>Cruise with Confidence</u> program, which allows for changes and cancellations up to 48 hours before the cruise sets sail. As long as holidaymakers cancel at least 48 hours before their sail date, they'll receive a Future Cruise Credit. The credit is valid for future bookings on or before April 30, 2022, for sailings departing before December 31, 2022, or one year from the original sailing date, whichever is later

## **About Royal Caribbean International**

Royal Caribbean International has been delivering innovation at sea for more than 50 years. Each successive class of ships is an architectural marvel featuring the latest technology and guest experiences for today's adventurous traveler. The cruise line continues to revolutionize vacations with itineraries to more than 270 destinations in 72 countries on six continents, including Royal Caribbean's private island destination in The Bahamas, Perfect Day at CocoCay, the first in the Perfect Day Island Collection. Royal Caribbean has also been voted "Best Cruise Line Overall" for 18 consecutive years in the *Travel Weekly* Readers' Choice Awards.

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