





## ROYAL CARIBBEAN INTERNATIONAL TAKES DELIVERY OF ALLURE OF THE SEAS Allure of the Seas Joins her Sister-Ship Oasis of the Seas as the World's Largest and Most Revolutionary Cruise Ship

MIAMI, October 28, 2010 – Royal Caribbean International takes delivery today of the newest addition to the cruise line's fleet, *Allure of the Seas*, from STX Europe in Turku, Finland. With Captain Hernan Zini at the helm, *Allure of the Seas* will be departing Turku on October 29, 2010, starting the 13-day countdown to her U.S. debut into her homeport of Port Everglades in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. on Thursday, Nov. 11. *Allure of the Seas* joins sister-ship *Oasis of the Seas* as the world's largest and most revolutionary cruise ship. Fans and enthusiasts are invited to follow her trans-Atlantic crossing through daily onboard webisodes on <u>www.AllureoftheSeas.com</u>, and also by following @OasisandAllure on Twitter. Updates also will be posted on Chairman and CEO Richard Fain's "Chairman's Blog" on <u>www.AllureoftheSeas.com</u> and the "President's Blog" by President and CEO Adam Goldstein on <u>www.RoyalCaribbean.com</u>.

Allure of the Seas boasts 26 dining options, including the first ever Starbucks at sea; a new fine dining experience at 150 Central Park; and the Boardwalk Dog House, an outdoor hot-dog specialty counter. In addition, new technological innovations include complimentary guest service kiosks in the Royal Promenade – which guests can use to instantly view, print and email their SeaPass folio, as well as check-in for flights and print airline boarding passes – and 3-D movie screens in the ship's Amber Theater located in the Entertainment Place neighborhood.

The official naming ceremony for *Allure of the Seas* will take place on November 28 during a one-night celebration to benefit the United Way chapters of Miami-Dade and Broward counties, among other charities. A special four-night sailing on December 1 will call at the cruise line's private beach destination of Labadee, along the north coast of Haiti, and *Allure of the Seas*' inaugural seven-night Western Caribbean itinerary will depart on December 5.

<u>Allure of the Seas</u> shares the title of the world's largest and most revolutionary cruise ship with sister-ship Oasis of the Seas. With a cache of distinct onboard activities and amenities, <u>Allure of the Seas</u> offers one-of-a-kind entertainment performances, culinary concepts, retail venues and technology innovations. An architectural marvel at sea, <u>Allure's</u> neighborhoods are divided into seven distinct themed areas, which include Central Park, Boardwalk, the Royal Promenade, the Pool and Sports Zone, Vitality at Sea Spa and Fitness Center, Entertainment Place and Youth Zone. She spans 16 decks, encompasses 225,282 gross registered tons, carries 5,400 guests at double occupancy, and features 2,700 staterooms. <u>Allure of the Seas</u> alternates a Western Caribbean with an Eastern Caribbean sevennight itinerary from her home port of Port Everglades in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. Additional information is available at <u>www.AllureoftheSeas.com</u>.

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