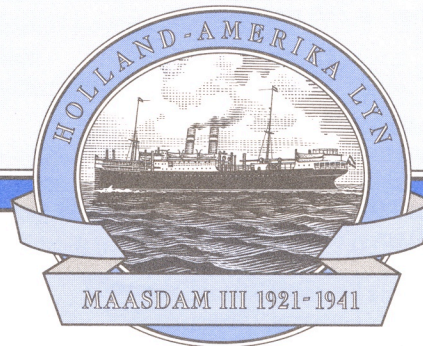


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SUNRISE 6:53 AM
ms WESTERDAM
WESTERN CARIBBEAN CRUISE

SUNSET 8:10 PM
GEORGE TOWN, GRAND CAYMAN
THURSDAY, JULY 6, 1995



Welcome to George Town, Grand Cayman

Less than 20 years ago Grand Cayman was a sleepy British Colony, its only trademarks were its peaceful way of life and its magnificent beaches. Another distinction for the island is its freedom from taxation, granted by King George III as a reward to the people of Grand Cayman for the rescue of everyone in the famous "Wrecking of Ten Ships", which took place off the east coast of Grand Cayman in 1788. This tax-exempt status has attracted over 450 banks to the island with a population of only 18,500. Don't be surprised if you can only distinguish a few banks, because the majority are not "full service" but are dedicated to "off-shore banking". The Capital, Georgetown, stands at the west end of the island, and it's easily seen on foot. This is where you will find the main concentration of restaurants and shops. Black Coral is a feature of a Grand Cayman shopping spree. Grand Cayman is listed amongst the top four diving locations in the world, but remember "take only pictures and leave the bubbles". If you prefer to stay on top of the water, then aptly named Seven Mile Beach is the place to make for. It is undoubtedly one of the finest beaches in the world with crystal clear water. Or enjoy a few hours in "Hell" - a tiny island village. If you mail your postcards there, they'll bear the postmark "Hell".

To Get Ashore In George Town

The ms Westerdam is expected to be at anchor at 7:30 am. Disembarkation by ship's Tenders will commence at approx. 8:00 am as soon as the ship has been cleared by the local authorities. For those on tour please consult page two for tour departure times.

Please remember to take your Holland America Line Guest Identification card when going ashore. The last tender leaves the shore at 5:30 pm ship's time and we sail for Port Everglades, Florida.

Tender Service Procedures

When you are absolutely ready to go ashore, collect a tender ticket from the Staff in the Queen's Lounge. Remain in the lounge until your number is called. Then you will be directed to the gangway on B-Deck. Access to the tenders will not be permitted unless you have a tender ticket. If you are on a tour which meets in the Admiral's Lounge, **DO NOT** collect a ticket from the Queen's Lounge, go directly to the Admiral's Lounge.

A Little Consideration

Please think of our physically challenged guests first when using our public areas, elevators and tender service.

From the Navigator

Still steering a westerly course of 281 degrees, we expect to approach Grand Cayman at around 4:00 am. At approximately 5:30 am we will sail around South West Point (the name speaks for itself) altering our course to a northerly direction for the approach to George Town. The local pilot will guide us to the anchorage and we expect to be at anchor around 7:30 am. At 6:00 pm ship's time the Westerdam will heave anchor and set sail on a north westerly course of 306 degrees, heading for the Yucatan Channel.

Time Difference!!

Please remember to keep your watches set to ship's time. Disregard local time ashore. All times in the daily program, tour and departure times coincide with ship times.

Ship's Agent

Bodden Shipping Agency Ltd.
Bodner Building, Shedden Road
P.O. Box 291 - G, Grand Cayman.
Tel: 949 - 6254

Religious Service

(Theater, Sun Deck)
5:15 pm Catholic Holy Mass is celebrated by
Father Peter Brannelly.

Dress for this evening:

FORMAL

Tuxedo or business suit suggested, jacket and tie required all evening.



Tour Departure Times

If you are participating in a shore excursion, please read the notice below regarding your assembly point. **DON'T FORGET YOUR TOUR VOUCHERS.**

- 496, 497 & 516 Stingray City Snorkel. Meet at the time and location on your voucher.
- 510 Grand Cayman Island Drive. Meet in the Admiral's Lounge at 8:45 am.
- 511 Grand Cayman Island Drive. Meet on the pier (ashore) at 2:00 pm.
- 512 Grand Cayman Flightseeing Adventure. Cancelled.
- 514 Reef Teach Snorkel. Meet in the Admiral's Lounge at 10:00 am.
- 515 Reef Teach Snorkel. Meet on the pier (ashore) at 2:15 pm.
- 517 & 519 Atlantis Submarine. Meet at the time and location on your voucher.
- 518 Atlantis Deep Dive Submarine. Meet at the time and location on your voucher.
- 521 Snorkel Cruise. Meet in the Admiral's Lounge at 9:00 am.
- 522 Cayman Mermaid Party Cruise. Meet on the pier at 1:00 pm.
- 523 Beginning Scuba. Meet on the pier (ashore) at 2:00 pm.
- 524 Certified Scuba. Meet on the pier (ashore) at 2:00 pm.
- 525 Reef Roamer Glass Bottom Boat. Meet in the Admiral's Lounge at 8:00 am.
- 526 Reef Roamer Glass Bottom Boat. Meet in the Admiral's Lounge at 9:30 am.
- 527 Reef Roamer Glass Bottom Boat. Meet in the Admiral's Lounge at 10:30 am.
- 528 Reef Roamer Glass Bottom Boat. Meet on the pier (ashore) at 11:45 am.
- 529 Reef Roamer Glass Bottom Boat. Meet on the pier (ashore) at 1:30 pm.

What Makes The Colours Of The Sea

To the human senses, the most obvious patternings of the surface water is indicated by colour. The deep blue water of the open sea far from land is the colour of emptiness and barrenness; the green water of the coastal areas with its varying hues is the colour of life. The sea is blue because sunlight is reflected back to our eyes from water molecules or from very minute particles suspended in the sea. In the journey of the light rays into deep water all the red rays and most of the yellow rays of the spectrum have been absorbed, so when the light returns to our eyes it is chiefly the cool blue rays that we see.

Where the water is rich in plankton, it loses the glassy transparency that permits this deep penetration of the light rays. The yellow and brown and green hues of the coastal waters are derived from the minute algae, and other micro-organisms so abundant there.

Need a towel for the Beach?

Please ask your cabin steward and he will provide you with a beach towel. Please return the towel to him as he is held responsible.

Port and Shopping Questions

Our Port and Shopping expert, Greg Barnes will be available on the pier from 8:00 am - 9:00 am to answer your port and shopping questions.

Duty Free Liquor

"Duty Free Liquor" purchased ashore which is delivered to the ship, and "Duty Free Liquor" purchased on board will be delivered to your cabin on Friday after 12:00 noon.

Keep in touch

In cabin dialing makes staying in touch convenient. Phone service is available 24 hours a day, in port and at sea. Just follow the directions posted in your stateroom. For Fax and Telex service please contact the Front Office.

TV Programming

- Channel 1 24 HOURS NEWS CNN
Depending on station reception.
- Channel 3 PORT INFORMATION
7:00 am - 10:00 am **Grand Cayman Shopping Talk.**
10:00 am Various programs depending on station reception.
5:00 pm THE WORLD OF HOLLAND AMERICA LINE
Holland America "Family" Cruises (continuous).
- Channel 4 MOVIE CHANNEL
8:00 am Clear and Present Danger
10:13 am Speed
12:10 pm It Could Happen To You
1:52 pm Houseguest
3:42 pm The Client
5:41 pm The Lion King
* 7:00 pm True Lies
* 9:31 pm Maverick

*These movies will be repeated throughout the night.

- Channel 5 GENERAL SHIP'S INFORMATION
7:00 am Live Camera View from the Bridge.

Please Note: Due to technical difficulties beyond our control, the reception of your T.V. may be affected. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

Friends of Bill W.

Are invited to meet each other in the Card Room at 5:00 pm.

TREASURES OF THE DEEP

Discover
Fresh Water Pearls.
32" ENDLESS STRANDS
ONLY
\$29.99.

FREE GRABBER
With every 3 strands
purchased from the
Jewelry Shop.

ART AUCTION #4

Queen's Lounge-5:00 pm

Our final auction will feature
art work by Erte, Remington,
Neiman, Agam, Tarkay
and many more

at extremely attractive prices!

NOTE: All the art works are
duty exempt.

Formal Portraits

Have a professional studio
portrait taken while on board.

Visit our "studio" outside the
Admiral's Lounge
at the following times:

5:30 pm - 6:15 pm

7:30 pm - 8:15 pm

9:30 pm - 10:15 pm

No appointment needed
and no obligation to buy.

Chief Officer - Leo van Lanschot Hubrecht

At the age of 17, Chief Officer Leo van Lanschot Hubrecht first went to sea as an ordinary seaman on the Groninger coaster, the Henny T. The small 500 ton vessel had him seasick and homesick, especially during his first Christmas away. So after his first six month tour, he stayed on land and attended the nautical college, the Kweekschool Voor De Zeevaart, in Amsterdam. In 1966, he started sailing with Holland America Line as an apprentice officer on the victory class freighter, the ss Arkeldijk. After many voyages on the line's passenger ships and former cargo ships, Van Lanschot Hubrecht was promoted to Chief Officer in 1982. The ships on which he has sailed include the ss Veendam, ss Volendam, ms Statendam, ss Rotterdam, ms Noordam and the ms Westerdam.

Born just after the second World War on a farm in Zegveld, the Netherlands, the Chief Officer's early memories are of joining farmers to milk cows to make delicious big round cheeses. Although he lived quite a distance from the sea, most of his early childhood drawings were of ships or airplanes. He was 13 when he got his first boat, a canoe. He loved to take it out on a nearby lake, especially on windy days when the waves would build up. As an adult, he has decided to spend his next life — should there be one — as an airline pilot. Currently the Chief Officer lives in The Hague in an eighth-floor apartment with a view of the North Sea. He recently began collecting police hats "in every port, I try to visit the local police station and demand a hat. Most times the officers are so surprised by my request that I usually get one," he said. Among his favorite places to go by ship are Alaska in the summer and the Caribbean in the winter. He looks forward to making his initial visit to Australia, New Zealand and the South Pacific Islands sometime in the future.

Bar and Lounge Hours

On Promenade Deck:

Ocean Bar 10:00 am - 1:00 am
Explorers Lounge 8:30 pm - 12:00 mn
Queen's Lounge 4:00 pm - 11:30 pm
Admiral's Lounge 7:30 pm - 12:15 am
Saloon 4:00 pm - 1:00 am
Peartree Night Club 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm
10:00 pm - wee hours

On Upper Promenade Deck:

Lido Bar 9:00 am - 7:00 pm

On Sun Deck:

Verandah Bar 9:00 am - 7:00 pm

Cocktail Times

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

PEARTREE CLUB

Dance a foxtrot or swing to

The Westerdam Quartet

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm & 7:15 pm - 8:15 pm

OCEAN BAR

Enjoy the music of

Ricardo & Catherine Kunz.

SALOON

Take a trip down memory lane with

Daniel Oliver.

7:15 pm - 8:15 pm

QUEEN'S LOUNGE

Enjoy the the great sounds of

The Lizare Quartet.

Late Night Show

Admiral's Lounge

11:15 pm

THE FILIPINO CREW SHOW

Produced, directed and performed by the

Filipino Crew of ms Westerdam

Vidio Cameras permitted for this special presentation.

Later on Tonight

QUEEN'S LOUNGE

9:00 pm - 11:00 pm.

The Lizare Quartet.

Plays music for listening or dancing.

OCEAN BAR

9:00 pm - 1:00 am

Enjoy the music of

Ricardo & Catherine Kunz or Daniel Oliver.

EXPLORERS LOUNGE

9:30 pm - 12:00 midnight

Make a date tonight to enjoy coffee or liqueurs and the music of

The Rosario Strings or Daniel Oliver.

SALOON

9:00 pm - 11:00 pm

Feel free to sing to the music of

Daniel Oliver.

PEARTREE NIGHT CLUB

10:00 pm

There's "hot" music for dancing.

12:30 am - 1:15 am

Dance to *The Lizare Quartet*. Followed by our D.J. till the wee hours.

Today's Movies

(Theater on Sun Deck)

Showing at

2:15 pm

Nobody's Fool

(Drama)

Duration 1 hour 58 minutes. Rated R.

Showing at 8:00 pm & 10:15 pm.

I.Q.

(Comedy)

Duration 1 hour 36 minutes. Rated PG.

Popcorn is served before the

2:15 pm and 10:15 pm showing.

TONIGHT IN THE ADMIRAL'S LOUNGE

At 8:15 pm and 10:15 pm

Undersea Follies

"A Musical Undersea Fantasy"

Please note: Audio and visual recording, also flash photography not permitted.
Saving of seats, and smoking are also not permitted.

The Casino

The Westerdam's Casino, located on Promenade deck, features Blackjack, Roulette, Caribbean Stud Poker and Craps and boasts 119 state of the art slot machines ranging from Dollars to Quarters and Nickels.

There is something for everyone so stop by and try your luck.

The day at a glance

7:00 am - 7:00 pm	Fitness Instructors in attendance in the Fitness Center. Nav. deck, midship.
7:30 am	The ms Westerdam is expected to anchor at George Town, Grand Cayman.
8:00 am	Our tender service will commence.
8:00 am ♥	Walk-a-Mile. Upper Promenade deck, aft with your Fitness Instructor.
8:00 am - 9:00 am	Port lecturer Greg will be on the pier to provide last minute information.
9:00 am - 9:00 pm	Swimming pools and jacuzzis are open.
9:00 am - 9:00 pm	Deck Sports equipment is out for your enjoyment.
9:00 am ♥	Lower Back & Abdominals with your Fitness Instructor in the Fitness Center.
9:00 am - 5:00 pm	The Reading Room (Bookchest) is open for Books and games, Promenade deck.
9:30 am	Lifeboat drill for crew only. Don't be alarmed by the ringing of the bells.
10:00 am	Susan's Daily Quiz, Biblical Knowledge, is available. Reading Room (Bookchest).
10:30 am - 11:00 am	Coffee is served in the Explorers Lounge.
10:30 am - 11:00 am	Lemonade is served on the outside decks.
11:15 am ♥	Circuit Training with your Fitness Instructor in the Fitness Center.
2:15 pm	Chess anyone? Meet the Cruise Staff in the Explorers Lounge.
3:00 pm	Anyone for a game of Bridge or other indoor game? Meet in the Card Room.
3:30 pm ♥	Walk-a-mile. Meet your Fitness Instructor. Lido Pool, Upper Prom. deck, aft.
3:30 pm - 4:00 pm	Tea is served in the Explorers Lounge with music by The Rosario Strings.
3:30 pm - 4:00 pm	Iced tea is served on the outside decks.
4:00 pm ♥	Open Volleyball with the Cruise Staff. Sports Deck.
4:15 pm	Snowball Bingo with Matt. The Jackpot is now over \$1960. Queen's Lounge.
4:30 pm - 6:30 pm	Sailaway Music with The Steel & Ivory Band. Upper Promenade deck, aft.
5:00 pm	Art Auction #4 with Art Auctioneer Ilan. Queen's Lounge.
5:30 pm Ship Time	Last Tender from shore! The ms Westerdam sails for Port Everglades at 6:00 pm.
8:15 pm	Showtime in the Admiral's Lounge. First Sitting.
9:00 pm - 12:00 mid.	Art Hospitality Desk is open in De Halve Maen for shipping, framing or purchasing of art work.
10:15 pm	Showtime in the Admiral's Lounge. Second Sitting.
11:15 pm	Filipino Crew Show. A show not to be missed! Admiral's Lounge.

Did you know?

Many everyday expressions originated from Nautical terms:

ALOOF: From the old Dutch word *loef*, meaning windward. It was adopted by English sailors in the 16th and 17th centuries, and in books of old voyages it is written variously as *aluffe*, *a-luff* and *aloof*. Describes a vessel which is sailing along a lee shore with her head pointing into the wind to prevent her being set inshore; also said of a vessel amongst a fleet of ships which sails higher into the wind so that she draws apart. Thus it has come to mean "one who stands apart".

BITTER END: The name given to the innermost end of the anchor rope, so called because it was secured to a set of 'bitts' or large pillars of oak bolted and fixed upright to the deck. In controlled circumstances an anchor rope is allowed to run out a measured amount until the anchor hits the sea bed, whereupon it is checked. However, if the water is a lot deeper than expected or things go wrong, then the rope will keep running unto the bitter end. After that there is nothing left.

FLOGGING A DEAD HORSE: A "dead horse" was the seaman's term for the first month at sea - a month for which they would have been already paid and spent the money very quickly afterwards. So it seemed to them, with the money all gone, that the first month was spent working for nothing. To mark the end of the "dead horse" month the crew would make an effigy of a horse and parade it around the decks.

Service Hours

INFIRMARY (B deck forward via elevator 3)	
Nurse on duty:	
8:00 am - 12:00 nn & 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm	
A fee is charged for consultation	
For Medical Emergency Dial 72	
PHYSICIAN'S HOURS	
8:00 am - 9:00 am & 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm	
SHOPS ON BOARD (Promenade deck)	
6:00 pm - 10:30 pm	
BEAUTY PARLOR (Promenade deck)	
8:00 am - 8:00 pm	
MASSAGE (Navigation deck) Dial 74	
8:00 am - 8:00 pm	
SAUNA and FITNESS CENTER	
(Nav. deck, midships) 7:00 am - 9:00 pm	
SHORE EXCURSION OFFICE (Main deck)	
Closed.	
PHOTO SHOP (Promenade deck)	
8:00 am - 11:00 am	
CASINO (Promenade deck)	
Slot Machines: 6:30 pm - the wee hours	
Gaming Tables: 6:30 pm - the wee hours	
ART HOSPITALITY DESK (De Halve Maen Room)	
9:00 pm - 12:00 midnight.	
GUEST RELATIONS MANAGER'S DESK	
9:00 am - 11:00 am & 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm.	

Dining Hours

VERANDAH RESTAURANT	
Early Coffee:	6:00 am
Breakfast:	6:30 am - 9:30 am
Continental Breakfast:	6:30 am - 10:00 am
Lunch:	11:30 am - 2:00 pm
Ice Cream Parlor:	11:30 am - 2:30 pm
Meals by the pool:	11:30 am - 8:00 pm
Late Buffet	11:30 pm - 12:30 am

LIDO RESTAURANT	
Breakfast:	7:30 am - 10:30 am
Continental Breakfast:	7:00 am - 10:30 am
Lunch:	11:30 am - 2:00 pm
Meals by the pool:	11:30 am - 2:30 pm
Ice Cream Parlor:	11:30 am - 2:30 pm
	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Coffee and Tea are available 24 hours in the Lido and Verandah Restaurants.

AMSTERDAM DINING ROOM	
Open Sitting Breakfast:	7:00 am - 8:30 am
Express Breakfast:	7:00 am - 8:30 am
(Aft section only)	
Open Sitting Lunch:	12:00 nn - 1:00 pm.
Farewell Dinner:	
First Sitting	6:00 pm
Second Sitting	8:15 pm

