

# Daily Program

TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 2005

MAASDAM



CANADA / NEW ENGLAND CRUISE  
SUNRISE 5:23AM      SUNSET 9:05PM

ARRIVAL: 11:30AM  
ALL ABOARD: 4:30PM

## Welcome to Charlottetown, P.E.I.

Charlottetown is the provincial capital of Prince Edward Island, with a population of 39,000 as of 2001. In 1995 the city of Charlottetown amalgamated with the communities of Sherwood, Parkdale, Hillsborough Park, West Royalty, and East Royalty to form the new City of Charlottetown. The first European settlers were the French, who founded the city in 1720, naming it *Port la Joie*. Most of their descendants, the Acadians, were expelled by the British in 1755 for refusing to take an oath to be loyal to England. The growth of tourism in the 20th century has been one of the major facts of life in the north shore region. The national park was established in the 1930's but little development took place in the park until the late 1950's and early 1960's. Once tourists got here, transportation was limited. Roads were poor and the railway was slow. For several years after 1907 it was even illegal to drive a car on Island roads. In fact, it was the PEI Tourist Association which led the fight (opened by 1919) to have roadways opened to cars.

### TONIGHT'S DRESS REQUEST

Informal

### FROM THE NAVIGATOR

As soon as we dropped off our pilots at Les Escoumins we steamed at full speed towards Charlottetown. Once out of St Lawrence River we set Southerly courses toward Northumberland Strait. Northumberland Strait is the stretch of water that lies between Prince Edward Island and the main land. We expect to be arriving in Charlottetown is the principle port and capitol of Prince Edward Island, which is said to have beautiful parks and fine public buildings.

### WEATHER

75°F/24°C  
Partly Cloudy

### DON'T MISS

Explorations Speaker Series Lecture  
Win-a-Cruise Bingo  
The Liars' Club  
Dessert Extravaganza  
Country Line Dance Night





## Music & Dancing

**SEACREST** plays your favorites  
Crow's Nest, Sports Deck 12  
5:15PM – 6:15PM  
7:30PM – 8:30PM  
9:15PM – 11:00PM

dance to night time nostalgia with  
**NEVADA**  
Ocean Bar, Upper Promenade Deck 8  
5:15PM – 6:15PM  
7:30PM – 8:30PM  
9:15PM – 12:00MN

pianist **BILL FORREST**  
Piano Bar, Upper Promenade Deck 8  
7:15PM – 8:15PM  
9:15PM – CLOSE  
9:45PM – **GEORGE GERSHWIN HOUR**

**THE CHAMPAGNE STRINGS**  
play light classical favorites  
Explorers Lounge,  
Upper Promenade Deck 8  
9:15PM – 10:15PM

**DJ CANDISSE** spins the discs  
Crow's Nest, Sports Deck 12  
12:00MN – CLOSE

**COCKTAIL OF THE DAY**  
The Midnight Sun ♦ \$4.75  
Refreshing cocktail with Tequila, Triple  
Sec, splash of Cranberry and Lemon  
Juice.

**MARTINI OF THE DAY**  
Cosmo- Candy Apple Martini ♦ \$4.25  
A fresh blend of vanilla vodka, Green  
Apple Pucker, lemon sour and cranberry  
juice.

## Showtime

**REMBRANDT LOUNGE, DECK 7**

Cruise Director Craig Di Rocco  
proudly presents

## On Track

A ride down the musical rails of  
the New York subway system!

**8:30PM EARLY SEATING**  
**10:15PM MAIN SEATING**  
Please no Audio/video recording flash  
photography or saving of seats

## Movie

**WAJANG THEATER**  
**PROMENADE DECK 7**  
**12:30PM, 5:00PM, 8:00PM &**  
**10:15PM**

### HITCH

Will Smith & Eva Mendes  
1 hour & 55 minutes  
Rated PG-13

Complimentary popcorn is served  
before each feature presentation

### EXPLORATIONS SPEAKER SERIES

Don't miss the second lecture  
from Lou Beres entitled "**America  
and the War on Terror**" *9:15am  
in the Rembrandt Lounge,  
Promenade Deck 7.*

### DESSERT EXTRAVAGANZA

Tonight, indulge in scrumptious  
chocolate desserts, luscious chocolate  
mousse, mouth-watering truffles,  
chocolate covered strawberries, and  
much more. For your eyes, as well as  
for your palate, let our culinary staff  
tempt you with a dessert  
extravaganza that will make a  
chocolate lover out of you! The  
Dessert Extravaganza will be open in  
the Lido Restaurant from 10:30pm -  
12:00mn for your enjoyment. The  
Champagne Strings will enhance the  
ambiance with beautiful music.

### ENVIRONMENTAL CARE

Holland America Line is committed  
to preserve, protect and maintain the  
environment in which our fleet of  
cruise ships operates. Please do not  
throw anything overboard, and join  
us in helping combat pollution of the  
sea by depositing trash in the proper  
receptacles and using the ashtrays  
located throughout the vessel. Today  
your Environmental Officer Kees  
Kant is hosting an informative  
presentation as well as a Q & A  
session at 10:15am in the Half Moon  
Room, 7.

### LIARS' CLUB GAME SHOW

Can you guess who's telling the truth?  
Our notorious panel of liars will try  
to pull the wool over your eyes at this  
hilarious game show *7:45pm,  
Rembrandt Lounge, Promenade Deck 7  
forward*

### WIN A FREE CRUISE AT BINGO

Join us for this chance to win a  
Caribbean cruise for two at this very  
special session of Bingo. Cards go on  
sale at 10:15am for this 10:30am  
session in the Rembrandt Lounge, all  
the way forward on Promenade Deck  
7. It's one game, and one game only,  
so don't be late! One lucky player *will*  
win this exciting prize today (in the  
case of a tie, winner will be  
determined by playoff round).

### COUNTRY LINE DANCE NIGHT

Rustle up a partner and join our  
cruise activities staff for a fun evening  
of country music, line dancing and  
great drink specials. The roundup  
takes place tonight in the Crow's  
Nest at 11:15pm.

### CRUISE DIRECTOR

#### CRAIG DI ROCCO

Craig was born and raised in  
Vancouver, British Columbia. While  
still a youngster he fell in love with  
the game of baseball and played for  
17 years reaching the semi-pro level.  
As Craig holds dual citizenship with  
Canada and Italy he was also selected  
for the 2006 Italian Olympic Curling  
team however he could not afford to  
take 4 years off to train exclusively.  
Craig attended the University of  
British Columbia where he received  
his B.A. in Philosophy. Prior to  
joining Holland America Line almost  
5 years ago, Craig worked as a Sous  
Chef in a large restaurant chain in  
Vancouver. The life of a chef was not  
meant to be, however, as a life at sea  
was calling. Having grown up next to  
the sea, Craig's passion for sailing  
was confirmed after cruising with his  
Mother on the ms Zaandam. He  
soon after joined the ranks of the  
Cruise Staff and has never looked  
back.