



Aloha and welcome aboard our 13th annual 13-Day Hawaiian Islands Adventure Cruise Tour! This cruise tour is a favourite of ours and we are happy to offer this in 2027. Sail with us on Norwegian Cruise Lines' Pride of America for an unforgettably beautiful adventure around the Hawaiian Islands. With stops in Maui (overnight!), two stops on the Big Island (Hilo & Kona), Kauai (overnight), and back to Oahu, this cruise has you covered for the best Hawaii has to offer. Premium accommodation stays in Honolulu, a beautiful ship and beautiful scenery, this is sure to be another wonderful Collins Tours experience! Your tour manager looks forward to meeting you and providing a professional and well-organized tour!

Sincerely, Greg Collins – President & CEO

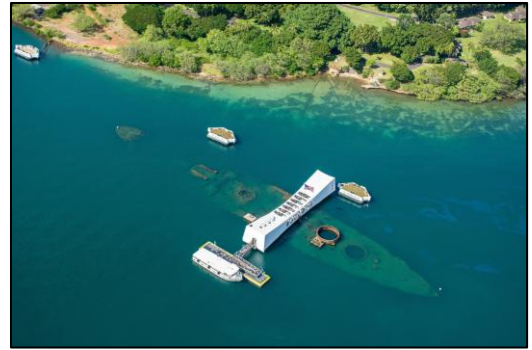
Day 1 – Tuesday, Mar 23 – Flight: Canada to Honolulu, Oahu, Hawaii

- Meet your tour manager at Vancouver International Airport. All group flights are from local departure cities direct to Toronto or Montreal, with connections to Vancouver and Honolulu International. **Please NOTE: all passengers have their 1st checked piece of luggage (up to maximum of 50lbs) included in your tour package. Additional fees apply for overweight bags. Carry-on luggage is free, with a maximum weight of 22lbs per bag. Visit www.aircanada.com for more details on luggage fees. Luggage payments are paid directly to Air Canada for overweight or additional checked luggage. Fees are charged on both outbound & return flights.**
- For all flights, be aware of rules concerning any liquids or gels you want to take on board. Do not pack prescription medication, jewelry, or travel documents in your checked baggage.
- Once you have arrived in Vancouver, be sure to have your ***valid passport** for U.S. Customs & Immigration.
- Once in Honolulu, collect your individual group tagged baggage from the carousel where your tour manager will direct local representatives to load it on our coach (bag handling fee included).
- Board the coach for your transfer to our hotel, the 5 Star Waikiki Beach Marriott Resort & Spa.
- Enjoy your drive into Waikiki - one of the most famous beach areas in the world!
- Our hotel is located on Waikiki Beach and was fully renovated in 2020, totaling 120 million! Enjoy all that the Waikiki Beach Marriot Resort & Spa has to offer.
- Your tour manager will handle group check-in; have your bag sent to your room, and hand out your room key for your deluxe 5 Star accommodation!



Day 2 – Wednesday, Mar 24 – Oahu – Pearl Harbor USS Arizona Memorial (B, Welcome Reception)

- Enjoy your complimentary buffet breakfast this morning before stepping aboard our coach as we head for the Nu'uuanu Pali lookout for a photo opportunity of this sacred ground.
- Next, we visit Pearl Harbor and a self-guided tour of the USS Arizona Memorial (subject to availability. If not, an alternative such as USS Bowfin will be provided at Pearl Harbor - **price included**). Experience with actual video footage of the Pearl Harbour Invasion December 7, 1941. This footage paints an evocative picture of the attack and aftermath.
- Please note, there will be time for a light lunch or snack (not included) before returning to our hotel.
- We will arrive back at the hotel late afternoon leaving you with time to relax before our Collins Tours "Welcome to Hawaii Cocktail Reception." This is a great event to help us all get to know each other a little better.
- The remainder of the evening is on your own.



Day 3 – Thursday, Mar 25 – Oahu Free Day (B, Group Welcome Dinner)

- Enjoy your complimentary buffet breakfast this morning before exploring Waikiki area on your own! Perhaps a day at the beach, the Honolulu Zoo or the Aquarium is right for you!
- Free day.
- Tonight, meet your fellow group members for our Welcome to Hawaii Group Dinner complete with a glass of wine or beer (**included**).
- After dinner enjoy the remainder of the evening on your own.

Day 4 – Friday, Mar 26 – Guided Sightseeing Tour – Historic Honolulu and North Shore Beaches (B)

- Start your day with a complimentary full buffet breakfast.
- Meet the coach this morning for our informative professionally guided tour of Honolulu, Waikiki area and North Side of the island. We will make our way to Dole Plantation with guided tour aboard the Pineapple Express Train (**included**), photo opportunities at North Shore beaches (e.g., Sunset Beach, and Waimea Bay) and Waimea Valley (entrance included – lunch on own) where we hope to see surfers in those 30-foot swells!



- This evening, gather to enjoy a special optional event, a traditional Luau. The Luau is complete with authentic Hawaiian entertainment, music, beautiful hula, and an incredible Hawaiian feast! (**Price \$TBA CAD per person including tax and return transportation. Please book by TBA by contacting the Collins Tours staff by email at getaway@collinstours.ca or by calling 1-888-636-8080**).

Day 5 – Saturday, Mar 27 – Embarkation on NCL Pride of America (B, L, D) Diamond Head Crater Entrance

- After another buffet breakfast (**included**) meet your tour manager and group members to visit

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Diamond Head Crater, a top tourist attraction and the best views of Waikiki! This morning, we will have approximately 2 hours of time to enjoy Diamond Head before boarding the NCL *Pride of America*.

- Time to embark on the second phase of this magical journey... your Hawaiian Island Cruise aboard the NCL *Pride of America*.
- Your tour manager will provide you direction on where to check in with the cruise line and have your luggage sent to your stateroom **(fee included)**.
- Please note cabins will not be ready until 3:00 pm or later and your luggage will be delivered and left outside your stateroom. Once on board, you are free to use all open facilities and get to know the ship.
- Be sure to make your way onto the deck for the official cast-off at 7:00pm, See you there!



Day 7 - Sunday, Mar 28 – Kahului, Maui (B, L, Group D) ****Best of Maui Optional Shore Excursion****

**** Ship docks overnight in Maui**



- Dock in Kahului, Maui.
- Meet your tour manager at the Pink Champagne Bar this morning for our **Best of Maui OPTIONAL Collins Tours private shore excursion**, a definite highlight of the trip. **(Price \$TBA CAD per person including tax and return transportation. Please book by TBA by contacting the Collins Tours staff by email at getaway@collinstours.ca or by calling 1-888-636-8080).**
 - Tonight, meet your tour manager on board the NCL *Pride of America*, for our group dinner in one of the ship's dining rooms **(included)**. Spend the evening getting reacquainted and talking about your plans for tomorrow!
 - Overnight in port provides a special evening with amazing

views of the Maui coastline!

- Refer to the ship's itinerary for entertainment on board your floating hotel.

Day 8 - Monday, Mar 29 – Kahului, Maui (B, L, Cocktail Reception, D)

- Rise and shine for your second day on Maui! Today is a free day for you to enjoy this beautiful island on your own.
- Tonight, meet your tour manager for your private group cocktail reception at the Pink Champagne Bar including cheese and crackers, wine, beer, and mixed cocktails.
- Dinner this evening is on your own. Dinner each night is included in your package or feel free to make a reservation in one of the specialty restaurants on board the *Pride of America*!
- We set sail at 6:00pm for Hilo!

Day 9 - Tuesday, Mar 30 – Hilo (B, L, D) ****Collins Tours Optional Shore Excursion****

- Welcome to Hilo, on the Big Island and home to an active volcano! (8:00pm to 6:00pm)
- Take advantage of Collins Tours' second optional 6.5-hour shore excursion. Today we explore:
 - **Mauna Loa Macadamia Nut Factory**- World's largest processor of macadamia nuts, Hawaii's favorite!

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- **Kilauea Visitor's Center & Volcano** - Educate yourself on the island's amazing bird, insect, and plant species along with facts and information from leading volcanologists. **Overlook** - Experience the most spectacular view in Volcanoes National Park from high atop this 400-foot crater! Look into the 1959 vent that erupted to a height of 1,900 feet located below the Pu'u Pua'i cinder cone.

- **Lava Fields & Steam Vents**: today stand over the Kilauea Steam Vents to have a firsthand view of the natural heat coming from these vents!

- **Richardson's Black Sand Beach** (*Time permitting) – Stroll the only black sand beach in Hilo, and one of the few on the island. See ancient Hawaiian fishponds and a spectacular view of Mauna Kea volcano. **(Price \$TBA**

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- Tonight, enjoy dinner on your own.

Day 10 – Wednesday, Mar 31 – Kona (B, L, Group D)

- We will arrive this morning in the town of Kona, located on the west side of the Big Island. (7:00am to 5:30pm)
- Enjoy your day exploring the Kona area. Don't forget to find some of that gourmet coffee for another memorable moment and interesting entry for your travel diary!
- The ship sails late in the afternoon so please be back on board before departure.
- Tonight, meet your fellow group members for another Collins Tours group dinner **(included)**.
- Refer to the ship's activities tonight for another magical evening in the Hawaiian Islands.

Day 11 – Thursday, Apr 1 – Nawiliwili, Kauai (B, L, D)– ****Collins Tours Optional Shore Excursion****

**** Ship docks overnight in Nawiliwili**

- This morning our ship will dock overnight in Nawiliwili pier in Kauai. Time to explore the island made famous by the Jurassic Park movie series.
- Today Collins Tours offers **another 6-hour private shore excursion** featuring some of the island's natural wonders, such as Waimea Canyon (the Grand Canyon of the Pacific), Queen Victoria's Profile, Old Koloa Town, Spouting Horn Geyser and Hanapepe Lookout! Meet your tour manager in the Pink Champagne Bar for your locally and professionally guided highlights of Kauai tour **(Price \$TBA CAD per person including tax and return transportation. Please book by TBA by contacting the Collins Tours staff by email at getaway@collinstours.ca or by calling 1-888-636-8080).**
- The ship remains in port this evening. Get out and enjoy either shipboard entertainment or local entertainment.



Day 12 – Friday, Apr 2 – Cruise Napali Coast – (B, L, Group D)

- Enjoy Breakfast on the ship before your free day on the NCL Pride of America!
- Enjoy this morning at your leisure, perhaps explore the different amenities offered on the ship, or relax at the spa, or go for a swim in the pool!

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- As you cruise through the Napali Coast, enjoy the front-row seat to an awe-inspiring panorama of towering 4,000-foot emerald cliffs, hidden sea caves, and cascading waterfalls dropping straight into the Pacific Ocean.
- Tonight, enjoy a Collins Tours group dinner in one of the ship's dining rooms **(included)**. Tonight, we will also review our meeting times and procedure for disembarking the ship tomorrow.
- Refer to ship's itinerary for evening entertainment options.

Day 13 – Saturday, Apr 3 – Disembark NCL in Honolulu – Canada (B)

- The ship docks back in Honolulu at 7:00am this morning.
- Disembark and step aboard our private coach for a transfer to Honolulu airport. Our flights depart early in the afternoon and fly overnight returning home to Canada on Sunday April 4th, 2027, mid-day.
- Time to bid farewell to all your new friends and begin planning your next Collins Tours getaway!
- **Note:** Due to time changes and flight duration, you will arrive home **April 4th**. Please keep your flight itinerary on hand. All passengers will be returned to original gateways.
- Please note Collins Tours & Consulting Ltd does not accept any responsibility or liability in delays caused from delayed flight departures, cancellation of flights, missed departures, Acts of God, unforeseen circumstances, or the refusal of boarding air lines, and denied entry into the USA. Reimbursements, refunds, or credits will not be provided from Collins Tours & Consulting Ltd if any of these circumstances arise or similar events causing similar outcomes.
- **Collins Tours recommends having travel insurance purchased separately for your travel arrangements with medical insurance coverage, interruption, and delay, as well as cancellation insurance.** Please contact our office directly for a quote on insurance.

Day 14 – Sunday, Apr 4 – Flights – Arrive in Canada

FOR CLIENTS THAT OPTED TO JOIN OUR OPTIONAL POST MAUI EXTENSION:

Day 13 – Saturday, Apr 3 – Travel from Honolulu to Maui

- Flight: Fly from Honolulu to Maui will be with Hawaiian Air and approximately 24 minutes in length.
- Transfer: Upon arrival at Kahului Airport, enjoy a private transfer to the Outrigger Kaanapali Beach Resort & Spa, your home for the next 3 nights and check in will be late this afternoon.
- Check-in to your room at the resort. Take time to explore the resort's amenities or simply relax in your room with views of the lush surroundings or ocean.
- Feel free to explore the hotel's restaurant or nearby local food stores for dinner at your own expense.
- Access to Resort Facilities: Access to the resort's swimming pool, fitness center, and spa facilities.
- **Please take note that all services at the hotel and spa will be at your own expense.**

Day 14 – Sunday, Apr 4, Leisure Day at the Resort (B)

- Morning: After enjoying your included breakfast, spend the morning lounging by the pool or beach, or take part in optional activities such as: Stand-up paddleboarding or kayaking in the crystal-clear waters of Ka'anapali Beach.
- Lunch on own for today.

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- Relax on the beach and enjoy the spectacular views of the ocean and neighboring islands.
- Afternoon: You can explore Whalers Village, located just a short walk from the resort. Here you can shop for local Hawaiian crafts, dine at world-class restaurants, or learn about the history of the area.
- Evening: For dinner, consider taking a sunset dinner cruise along Maui's coastline, or consider attending a traditional Hawaiian Luau at the resort or explore nearby dining options for a taste of local flavors at your own expense.

Day 15 – Monday, Apr 5, Explore Maui or Relax at the Resort (B, Farewell D)

- Morning: Enjoy your included hot breakfast, then choose between a relaxing day at the resort or explore the near by local stores or activities offered, such as the Maui Ocean Center: Spend a few hours learning about Maui's marine life at the island's top aquarium at your own expense.
- Perhaps today is a day you will consider teeing it up at one of Hawaii's top golf courses! (green fees not included).
- Lunch on own for today.
- Afternoon: Return to the resort for a laid-back afternoon by the pool or beach or treat yourself to a spa treatment at the resort's Spa at Black Rock. At your own expense.
- Evening: Join your fellow Collins Tours travellers for a special farewell dinner at a local restaurant in Maui. Enjoy a relaxing evening reflecting on the unforgettable experiences and memories shared throughout our journey while taking in the warm Hawaiian hospitality. A glass of wine or beer is included with dinner as we celebrate our final evening together in paradise.

Day 16 – Tuesday, Apr 6, Departure from Flight from Honolulu to Home (B)

- Morning: Enjoy one final breakfast at the resort (**included**), then check out of your room.
- Transfer: You will be transferred to Kahului Airport for your flight from Maui to Vancouver direct.
- Flight: Return to your original destination.

Day 17 – Wednesday, Apr 7, Flights - Arrive in Canada

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- ****Tour itineraries are a guideline and may need to be adjusted** by Collins Tours & Consulting Ltd, or your tour manager and all times maybe impacted by unforeseen factors such as weather, traffic, emergencies, protests, or any acts of God. **Collins Tours is not responsible for any refunds, reimbursements, credits, or held liable due to any changes in itineraries, modifications, event cancellations, delays during flights, cruise itineraries, motor coach transportation, or lost time in any one area due to emergencies, weather, mechanical, Act of God, any unforeseen events as described above, or events not described above yet causing similar outcomes and delays.**
- U. S. Customs & Immigration requires **every Canadian to have a Valid Passport for a minimum of 3 months after your return date.** They have the right to refuse entry to anyone with a past record. It is the client's responsibility to ensure all information/ documentation is in good order prior to leaving your destination. Collins Tours is **not responsible or liable** for expenses or hardship incurred if you are refused entry into the U.S. Citizens of other countries should call and verify their required documentation.
- All liquids and gels that you are planning to bring on board an airplane must be 3oz or less and sealed in a Ziploc bag. Once at the security checkpoint, this bag must be removed from your carry-on and placed in a bin for TSA screening.
- Baggage allowance details: For all Air Canada flights to and from the USA: You are allowed one personal

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and one carry on item at no charge (max dimension 23 cm x 40 cm x 55 cm). You are also allowed one free checked bag (max weight 23 kg; \$100 fee for overweight bag each way). Airline fees for any checked baggage overages or additional bags (both outbound and inbound flights) are NOT included in your tour package, and any additional costs are your responsibility paid directly to Air Canada.

- Prescription medication should be kept in its original container, or the prescription should be carried with you during travel.
- **Visitors to the Arizona Memorial are only allowed to carry wallets, cell phones, and cameras into this high security area. Purses and bags of any kind are not allowed through security. Lockers are available on site for \$3 pp (locker expense not included in tour price). This is the most popular attraction in Hawaii and tickets are in high demand.
- Your hotel in Oahu is the Waikiki Beach Marriott Resort & Spa, 2552 Kalakaua Avenue, Honolulu, HI 96815, Ph: 880-922-6611. While cruising, NCL guests can be contacted from Canada by calling 1-732-335-3280, select ship name & enter your credit card information. *Amex, MasterCard & Discover Card, only.
- Duty Free Rules: Each person can claim \$800 CAD if outside the country for 7 days or more.
- To simplify your shopping experiences, purchase American currency in advance, as many U.S. banks will not exchange your money without a U.S. bank account and passport in hand. Debit cards must be VISA or MasterCard flagged to be accepted at U.S. stores.
- Please remember that Collins Tours is not responsible for the loss of any personal items.
- Tipping while on board the cruise ship: Gratuities for good service are \$13.50 USD per person per day included in your tour price. If you use the concierge or butler service a gratuity is normally offered.
- Collins Tours & Consulting Ltd is not responsible for any flight delays, schedule changes, flight gate changes, acts of God, mechanical issues, any emergencies, or any missed connections due from any such events described above or unforeseen circumstances arising not described above yet may cause similar outcomes or delays. Collins Tours & Consulting Ltd is not responsible for providing additional transportations costs, if necessary, reimbursements of any kind for these additional expenses, loss of use, or loss of hotel nights, meals, transportation arrangements, or any portion of your planned vacation you have that may or may not be missed. These costs, if any, will be paid directly by the traveler and submitted through the appropriate person's travel insurance for reimbursement of expenses. Please contact our office if you need assistance with all-inclusive medical insurance, trip cancellation and interruption coverage, or quarantine insurance. Collins Tours & Consulting Ltd does not anticipate any such concerns or events and only wishes for everyone to ensure proper travel insurance has been purchased in advance.
- **REMEMBER;** Your Collins Tours tour manager handles: hotel check in/check out procedures, overall group management (e.g. cruise check in, timely transitions, itinerary planning), and group representation at attractions, events, hotels, Customs and Immigration, and overall operation of each tour. We work hard to ensure that everyone enjoys his or her experience to the fullest.
- **Gratuities for your Tour Manager are not included in your tour price. Here are our guidelines on tipping etiquette:**
 - Collins Tours Tour Manager** – Ranging from \$8.00 – \$10.00 per person, per day.
 - Private City Tour Guides** - \$3.00 per person, per day.
 - Bus Driver** - \$4.00 - \$6.00 per person, per day



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