

Gold Country Cruise

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"Building Memories One Vacation At A Time"

Things To Know Before Cruising

Proof of Citizenship -- Carnival always likes to see everyone with a Valid Passport. But with U.S. citizens taking "closed-loop" cruises (sailings that both originate and terminate in the same U.S. port) are not required to have a passport, but will need proof of citizenship such as an original or certified copy of a birth certificate, a certificate of naturalization, a passport card, an enhanced driver's license (EDL) as well as a government-issued photo ID. Children are also required to bring proof of citizenship, and if 16 and over, a photo ID is also required.

U.S. Alien Residents -- need a valid Alien Resident Card, Non-U.S. citizens need a valid passport and a valid, unexpired U.S. Multiple Re-entry Visa, if applicable.

When traveling with a minor and both parents/legal guardians are not cruising, we strongly recommend bringing an original signed letter from the absent parent/legal guardian authorizing the minor to travel with you. This will expedite processing by the Department of Homeland Security. Please note that a notarized letter to this effect is required if debarking with children in Mexico.

Guest Changes -- Name changes or additions are allowed at Carnival Cruise Lines' discretion. Name changes are subject to cancellation charges and any rate increases. There will be a service fee for any correction involving names, and for any changes **after 6/1/2011**. For such late changes, supplement charges may also apply.

Dining Preference -- Assigned seating meals are served in the dining room in two seatings Early (6:00 PM) or Late (8:15 PM). Dining assignment preference will be confirmed with names and full per person deposit at time of booking. If your preference is not available, you may be waitlisted and an automatic email notification will be sent if clearance occurs. Alternatively, Your Time Dining allows you to dine at your leisure in the Main Dining room anytime between 5.45 PM and 9.30 PM. Guests are seated on a first come, first served depending on party size. Pagers are provided if all tables are occupied so they may relax elsewhere on the ship until their table is ready. Due to limited number of large table availability, parties greater than 10 guests may need to be accommodated at different tables.

Guest Information -- We will require the guest's full legal name, gender, date of birth and guest contact phone numbers with full per person deposit(s).

PrePaid gratuities -- may be arranged covering the team service staff, Maitre D and Cabin Steward.

Ground transportation, Airline Tickets & Overnight Packages -- can be arranged 8 months prior to sailing. Charges are each way between named airport and pier.