Cruise Details

Name:	London to Bergen: A Journey Through the Norwegian Fjords with Jann Arden
Reference:	SCENIC191E060827-2
Operator:	Scenic Ocean Cruises
Cruise Type:	Ocean
Cruise Rating:	Ultra Luxury
Ship:	Scenic Eclipse II
Regions:	Northern Europe
Departs On:	06 Aug 27
Departs From:	London (Greenwich)
Arrives On:	15 Aug 27
Arrives At:	Bergen
Cruise Nights:	9
Total Vacation Days:	10

Itinerary

Day 1: London (Greenwich) (England)

Welcome to London, a treasure trove of history, culture and innovation that offers a wealth of experiences at every turn. Prepare for legendary landmarks such as the Tower of London, Buckingham Palace and St Paul’s Cathedral. Your voyage begins at Tilbury, London’s historic port on the River Thames. As you board your ultra-luxury Discovery Yacht, be warmly welcomed by the Captain and crew before meeting your butler and settling into your spacious suite. Scenic transfers are only available for flights arriving into London prior to 02:00 PM. Docked: 18:00

Arrives On: 06 Aug 27

Day 2: Great Yarmouth (England)

Step ashore in Great Yarmouth, a historic seaside town on England’s Norfolk coast. Famous for its golden sandy beaches, lively promenade and traditional Victorian architecture, the town offers something for everyone. Take a stroll along the waterfront, explore local shops, or enjoy classic seaside treats. For history enthusiasts, the Time and Tide Museum and the charming old harbour provide a glimpse into Great Yarmouth’s maritime past. Scenic Freechoice:
Norfolk Broads Cruise & Village of Horning: Travel by coach to picturesque Horning, where a luxury paddleboat cruise along the River Bure offers scenic views of thatched cottages, windmills, reed beds and abundant wildlife. Enjoy commentary from the local skipper before exploring Horning’s charming shops, pubs, restaurants and traditional village atmosphere.

Blickling House & Gardens: Visit the magnificent Blickling Estate, a Jacobean mansion dating to 1616, set within 55 acresof historic gardens. Explore its fascinating collections, formal gardens, lake and kitchen garden, then discover the wider estate’s scenic parkland and countryside before enjoying refreshments at one of the on-site cafés.

History and Heritage at Framlingham Castle: Discover Framlingham Castle, a magnificent 12th-century fortress steeped in over 800 years of history. Explore themed trails, walk the impressive curtain walls and admire views of the surrounding countryside. Visit the tranquil Mere and nearby St Michael’s Church, home to elaborate tombs of the Dukes of Norfolk.

A Walk-Through Medieval Norwich: Explore the medieval city of Norwich on a guided walking tour through its historic streets and architectural landmarks. Wander along the beautifully preserved Elm Hill before visiting the magnificent Norwich Cathedral, one of Europe’s finest Romanesque cathedrals. Afterwards, enjoy free time before returning to Great Yarmouth. Docked: 10:00 – 19:00

Arrives On: 07 Aug 27

Day 3: Newcastle upon Tyne (England)

Newcastle upon Tyne, rising from the Roman settlement of Pons Aelius, takes its name from the 1080 castle built by Robert Curthose. Once a major shipbuilding hub, the city now blends historic charm with modern design, from the Gateshead Millennium Bridge to Sage Gateshead Concert Hall. Highlights include the Castle Keep, St Nicholas and St Mary’s Cathedrals, and the peaceful Jesmond Dene Park. Scenic Freechoice:
Newcastle City Tour: Discover Newcastle’s rich heritage and vibrant modern character on a scenic tour featuring the iconic Angel of the North, historic St Nicholas Cathedral and spectacular views of the River Tyne and its famous bridges. Explore Gateshead Quays and the city centre while admiring contemporary landmarks and centuries of history.

Exclusive Visit - The Bowes Museum: Enjoy an exclusive visit to the Bowes Museum, exploring its internationally significant collections of fine and decorative arts. With privileged access, venture behind the scenes into the museum’s vaults and conservation areas, discovering rarely seen treasures and learning from expert curators how precious artworks, textiles and historic objects are preserved.

Hadrian’s Wall, including Cawfields: Explore Hadrian’s Wall, a UNESCO

World Heritage Site and remarkable legacy of Roman Britain. Visit Cawfields for dramatic views, then discover Chesters Roman Fort, its well-preserved ruins, bathhouse and museum collection, before enjoying a scenic return journey through Northumberland.

Durham & The Norman Cathedral: Discover Durham, a UNESCO World Heritage Site renowned for its magnificent Norman architecture. Visit Durham Castle and explore the iconic Cathedral, home to the tombs of St Cuthbert and the Venerable Bede. Enjoy a guided tour before strolling through the historic city centre and Market Hall. Docked: 9:00 – 20:00

Arrives On: 08 Aug 27

Day 4: Berwick-upon-Tweed (England)

Located just south of the Scottish border, Berwick-upon-Tweed is a town shaped by centuries of history. Once fiercely contested between England and Scotland, it still bears the marks of its past in well-preserved fortifications and historic buildings. Spend time exploring the town’s Elizabethan walls, walking along the River Tweed, or discovering the stories behind its distinctive bridges and coastal views. With its mix of English and Scottish influences, Berwick offers a quiet charm and a unique glimpse into Britain’s borderland heritage. Scenic Freechoice:
Alnwick Castle: Discover one of England’s most impressive historic castles, home to the Dukes of Northumberland and featured in numerous film and television productions. Explore its magnificent State Rooms, medieval architecture and remarkable art collection.

Berwick-upon-Tweed Walking Tour: Walk along Berwick’s remarkably preserved Elizabethan fortifications while discovering the town’s turbulent English and Scottish history. Enjoy panoramic coastal views before continuing through the historic harbour and quayside.

Lindisfarne (Holy Island): Cross the tidal causeway to Holy Island, renowned for its peaceful atmosphere and important religious heritage. Visit dramatic Lindisfarne Castle before enjoying free time to explore the historic village.

Manderston Edwardian Country House: Step into the elegance of Edwardian Scotland during an exclusive guided visit to magnificent Manderston House. Discover its opulent interiors, fascinating treasures and beautiful gardens before enjoying homemade scones with tea or coffee. Anchored: 9:30 – 19:00

Arrives On: 09 Aug 27

Day 5: Aberdeen (Scotland)

Set neatly between the mountains and the sea on the east coast, Aberdeen is an ancient settlement dating back to the Stone Age. Today, it’s Scotland’s third-largest centre and has the nickname "Granite City," its shimmering silver buildings create a captivating contrast against the sea. Your Discovery Yacht will dock right in the heart of the city, where you can admire the architecturally distinctive harbour and see the sparkling granite buildings and monuments shimmering in the sunlight. Listen out for the warm tones of the Scottish dialect

'Doric', which is native to the area. Scenic Freechoice:
Aberdeen Highlights Panorama: Explore Aberdeen, “The Granite City,” with visits to Duthie Park’s indoor gardens, King’s College Chapel and St Machar Cathedral, ending with a scenic drive through Union Street and Queen’s Road.

Glen Garioch Distillery & Granite City: Head to Glen Garioch distillery to experience authentic whisky-making and taste a smooth Highland Single Malt. Afterwards, take in the stunning sights of Aberdeen, famous for its beautiful granite buildings and rich history.

Aberdeenshire Highland Cattle: Journey to a traditional Banchory farm for a scenic drive, meeting Grace Noble’s award-winning Highland cattle. Learn about their heritage and sustainable farming, then savour Aberdeenshire beef with tea, coffee and shortbread, immersing in Scotland’s rural charm.

Crathes Castle & Aberdeen Highlights: Travel through Royal Deeside to Crathes Castle, a 16th-century tower house known for its fairytale turrets and historic Horn of Leys. Explore the colourful walled gardens, then enjoy a panoramic drive through Aberdeen’s striking granite architecture. Docked: 8:00 – 16:00

Arrives On: 10 Aug 27

Day 6: Lerwick, Shetland Islands (Scotland)

The most northerly point of the British Isles, the Shetland Islands sit almost 200 kilometres off the north coast of mainland Scotland. Their sole town, Lerwick, has a charming waterfront lined with sandstone buildings dating back to the 18th century. Explore the ancient ruins of Jarlshof or visit the Shetland Museum to discover the island’s Viking past. Tonight, choose from up to 10 world-class dining experiences on board your Discovery Yacht. From our French cuisine at Lumière to dynamic Asian fusion at Koko’s, or simply dine in the comfort of your suite with a nightcap delivered by your butler. Scenic Freechoice:
Sumburgh Head to Jarlshof Hike: Embark on a guided hike through Shetland’s southern reaches from Lerwick, featuring views of Mousa Broch (weather permitting). Hike to Sumburgh Head’s RSPB Reserve for birdlife, then explore Jarlshof’s5,000-year-old archaeological site, returning with scenic views and pony sightings.

Jarlshof & Southern Shores: Depart from Lerwick to Shetland’s southern tip, stopping at Mousa Broch and St Ninian’s Isle, then explore the remarkable Jarlshof archaeological site.

Town Walk & Shetland Museum: Discover Lerwick’s rich history on a guided walk from Victoria Pier through the Old Town, exploring its maritime past, iconic Lodberries, and narrow lanes. Visit the historic Town Hall and conclude at the Shetland Museum, with time to browse local shops.

Western Shetland - Meet the Locals: Discover Shetland’s culture with visits to Lerwick, a local fisherman in Hamnavoe, Shetland ponies in Tingwall and a jewellery workshop—all set against stunning scenery. Docked: 9:00 – 14:00

Arrives On: 11 Aug 27

Day 7: Nordfjordeid (Norway)

Sail through Norway’s breathtaking Nordfjord, where towering mountains plunge dramatically into deep, glassy waters, creating magnificent waterfalls. The view will take your breath away. The town of Nordfjordeid is steeped in Viking history, once a crucial centre during the Viking Age. Marvel at the replica of the Myklebust Ship, one of the largest Viking longships ever discovered, and learn about Norway’s seafaring past. Scenic Freechoice:
Nordfjordeid, Sagastad & Myklebust Viking Ship: Discover Nordfjordeid on a scenic walking tour featuring historic wooden houses, the Church of Eid, Opera House and poignant war memorials. Enjoy a local cinnamon or fruit bun with coffee before visiting Sagastad, home to Norway’s largest reconstructed Viking ship and fascinating exhibitions on Viking heritage and boatbuilding traditions.

Leisurely Nordfjord: Enjoy a scenic drive through western Norway, following the shores of Nordfjord with spectacular mountain and valley views. Stop at Kvalen and Nos viewpoints for panoramic photographs before continuing to HornindalLake, Europe’s deepest lake. Admire its pristine waters and snow-capped surroundings before returning to Nordfjordeid.

Loen Skylift: Take the Loen Skylift to Mount Hoven, ascending 3,317 feet in just five minutes for spectacular views of Nordfjord, Lake Lovatnet and Jostedal Glacier. Enjoy a scenic drive via the Nos viewpoint and Hornindal Lake, Europe’s deepest, before returning to Nordfjordeid. Anchored: 14:00 – 19:00

Arrives On: 12 Aug 27

Day 8: Geiranger (Norway)

Sail into the awe-inspiring Geirangerfjord as the morning light reveals dramatic cliffs, shimmering emerald waters and a charming village nestled along the shore. Spend the day immersed in Norway’s pristine beauty before your voyage continues. As evening falls, marvel at the captivating Seven Sisters Waterfall, its delicate streams tumbling down the mountainside. At the heart of the World Heritage-listed Geirangerfjord, Geiranger serves as a gateway to some of Norway’s most breathtaking landscapes. Framed by towering peaks and cascading waterfalls, this picturesque village invites exploration, from the sweeping vistas of Dalsnibba to the winding curves of the legendary Eagle Road. Scenic Freechoice:
Geiranger Fjord Centre: Drive up 11 thrilling hairpin bends to Eagle’s Bend Viewpoint for stunning Geirangerfjord panoramas. Visit the interactive Geiranger Fjord Centre to explore local history, then stop at Flydal Gorge Viewpoint.??

Hiking Westerås: Start with a scenic ride through Geiranger village to Hole, then hike to Storseter Falls where you can walk behind cascading waters. Visit Westerås Mountain Farm for local refreshments and fjord views before returning to the pier.

Geirangerfjord Kayaking: Paddle through the UNESCO-listed Geirangerfjord on a guided sea kayaking adventure. Glide past towering cliffs and waterfalls to the Preacher’s Pulpit, enjoying breathtaking views and local stories in this serene, sheltered fjord setting.

Geirangerfjord by RIB: Board a Rigid Inflatable Boat (RIB) for an exhilarating ride through

Geirangerfjord. Experience dynamic manoeuvers, get close to the iconic Seven Sisters and Bridal Veil waterfalls, and admire the fjord’s stunning natural beauty from sea level. Docked or Anchored: 8:00 – 18:00

Arrives On: 13 Aug 27

Day 9: Måløy (Norway)

A picturesque coastal town on Norway’s west coast, Måløy is a gateway to some of the region’s most dramatic landscapes. Discover rugged cliffs, pristine beaches, and a deep-rooted maritime history. Take a scenic drive to the Kannesteinen Rock, an extraordinary stone formation sculpted by the waves over thousands of years or explore the lighthouses that stand sentinel along the coastline. Enjoy a leisurely evening aboard your Discovery Yacht or perhaps unwinding in the tranquil Senses Spa# or sipping fine whiskey in the elegant Scenic Lounge Bar. Scenic Freechoice:
Coastal Highlights of Vågsøy: Explore the dramatic landscapes of Vågsøy Island, visiting the unusual wave-sculpted Kannesteinen Rock, the white sands of Refviksanden Beach and viewpoints overlooking the open sea. Along the way, discover the character of the island’s remote fishing communities and their close connection to the ocean.

Måløy and Norway’s Wartime History: Discover Måløy’s maritime heritage and learn about the daring Allied raid carried out here during the Second World War. Visit the Måløy Raid Centre, see historic locations connected to the operation and explore the town’s colourful street art inspired by local history and coastal life.

Hike above Måløy: Set out on a guided hike through the coastal landscape above Måløy to enjoy panoramic views across the town, surrounding islands and Norwegian Sea. Learn about the area’s natural environment and local way of life while experiencing the rugged beauty of western Norway. Docked: 8:00 – 16:00

Arrives On: 14 Aug 27

Day 10: Bergen (Norway)

Your journey concludes in Bergen, Norway’s World Heritage-listed coastal city, where colourful wooden houses line the historic waterfront of Bryggen, once a key trading post of the Hanseatic League. Savour one last delicious breakfast on your Discovery Yacht before saying farewell to the crew who have shared this once-in-a-lifetime journey with you. As you disembark, share the highlights of your journey in this spectacular part of the world with your new friends, knowing you have created stories for life. Scenic transfers are only available for flights departing out of Bergen after 12:00 PM. Docked: 8:00 #Spa treatments at additional cost. +All drinks on board, including those stocked in your mini bar, are included, except for a very small number of rare, fine and vintage wines, Champagnes and spirits. Specialty restaurants require a reservation, enquire on board. ^Flights on board the helicopters and submersible experiences are at additional cost,

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