



# The HERALD

WEDNESDAY, November 21, 2018

ISLAS BALLESTAS, PERU

Arrive: 7:00a for Ventures Operations, Depart: 7:30a

GENERAL SAN MARTIN (PISCO), PERU

Arrive: 9:00a All Aboard: 6:30p

Gangway: Deck 4, Forward of the Restaurant

The dress for tonight is Elegant Casual



## WEATHER

Sunny

Wind: SW'ly 15 - 22 knots

Highs: 72° F / 22° C

Sunrise: 5:27a

Sunset: 6:15p

## General San Martin (Pisco), Peru

Pisco is a small city located in the Ica Region of Peru, the capital of the Pisco Province. Pisco was founded in 1640, close to the indigenous emplacement of the same name. Pisco originally prospered because of its nearby vineyards and became noted for its grape brandy or pisco, which was exported from its port.

Pisco is a Quechua word that means "bird." The area is often visited because of the concentration of marine animals and birds at the Paracas National Reserve, or the *Peruvian Galápagos*. At the reserve there are the Islas Ballestas, a collection of islands which are off limits to people, but boat tours can get close to. The Chincha Islands are also near its coast. Many bird species can be seen in the islands including pelicans, penguins, cormorants, Peruvian boobies, and Inca terns, as well as sea lions, turtles, dolphins, and whales.

Another attraction in the area is El Candelabro, a giant lamp dug in the rough sand in the method used by the creators of the Nazca Lines. In the area where Pisco sits flourished one of the major ancient civilizations in Peru, the Paracas culture. Due to its ease of access, and its crossroads to the Andes the Spaniards may have considered making Pisco the capital, before they decided on Lima.



### A Conversation with David Smith:

#### World Travel Photography Tips

World travel photographer David Smith reviews strategy and camera/smart device techniques for capturing and sharing better images of cruise activities, ports of call and shore excursions.

5:00p Grand Salon, Deck 6

## PRE-DINNER ENRICHMENT

### A Conversation with David Stansfield: The Inca Legacy

A look at the importance of the Incas on Peru. This was the most extensive and coordinated indigenous civilization in the continent before the arrival of the Spanish conquistadores. It was defeated politically by the Spaniards but its languages and cultural traits persist.

6:30p Grand Salon, Deck 6

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

PORT AGENT: Inchcape Shipping Services

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## Currency: Peruvian Sol (PEN)

1 (GBP) = 4.40 (PEN) 1 (EUR) = 3.83 (PEN) 1 (USD) = 3.38 (PEN)

## IMPORTANT NOTICES:

**All Guests proceeding ashore today are required to carry a picture ID along with their Ship Card.**

## TRAVEL ADVISORY TO ALL GUESTS:

Visitors to popular tourist destinations should be alert to pickpockets. Please keep safe your personal belongings, purses, cameras, etc., and do not wear conspicuous jewelry.

## DISEMBARKATION NOTICE SAN ANTONIO

If you would like to book a Seabourn Transfer to complete your onward journey please visit our Guest Services team at the Seabourn Square on Deck 7. Transfers are available to purchase until Sunday November 25, 6:00pm. Alternatively, taxis are available outside the terminal in San Antonio if you wish to continue onwards independently.

Your family and friends can follow your voyage with our daily Ventures Voyage tracker Blog at: <https://my.yb.tl/ventures/>




## TONIGHT'S ENTERTAINMENT:

### The Music and Mayhem of Davie Howes

Join Virtuoso of Variety, Davie Howes, for a high energy, multi-instrumental show featuring music and instruments from the norm to the absolute bizarre.

9:45p Grand Salon, Deck 6

# Today at a Glance

- 9:00a **Yoga\*** The Spa, Deck 9  
An invigorating, active yoga that strengthens, lengthens and leaves you energized.  
*\*Class incurs a nominal fee.*
- 9:30a - 11:30a **A Local Hospitality Representative will be available in Seabourn Square, Deck 7 for approximately two hours.**
- 9:30a - 5:00p **COMPLIMENTARY SHUTTLE SERVICE**  
There will be a complimentary shuttle service to Marina Turistica (Pisco Center), approximately every 30 minutes starting at 9:30a, with the final return from town to the ship at 5:00p.
- Board Games and Bridge Sign-up Sheets Available**  
Card Room, Deck 7
- Deck Sports Available All Day** The Retreat, Deck 11
- 10:15a **CREW SAFETY DRILL** Today we will have a Crew Safety Drill. No Guest participation is required. Some services will be suspended or interrupted during today's drill.
- 11:00a **Spa Seminar: Introduction to Acupuncture**  
The Spa, Deck 9  
Meet our onboard licensed Acupuncturist Reiko Mitani.
- 1:15p **Wellness Seminar: Secret to a Flatter Stomach**  
The Spa, Deck 9
- 2:00p **Informal Bridge Play (unhosted)** Card Room, Deck 7
- 4:00p - 5:00p **Afternoon Tea Time** Observation Bar, Deck 10
- 5:00p  **A Conversation with David Smith: World Travel Photography Tips** Grand Salon, Deck 6
- 6:30p  **A Conversation with David Stansfield: The Inca Legacy** Grand Salon, Deck 6
- 6:30p - 8:00p **Pre-Dinner Moods with The Trio** The Club, Deck 5
- 6:45p - 7:45p **Piano Moods with Piano Entertainer Deborah Dyer** Observation Bar, Deck 10
- 7:30p **Mova Globes** The Boutique, Deck 7  
Join us for an insight into the magic of the eco-friendly globes that channel energy from ambient light and earth's magnetic field to rotate continuously on their own. Available in the Boutique at tax and duty free prices.
- 9:15p - 11:00p **After-Dinner Grooves with The Trio** The Club, Deck 5
- 9:30p - 12:00mn **Deborah's Piano Bar** Observation Bar, Deck 10
- 9:45p  **SHOWTIME: THE MUSIC AND MAYHEM OF DAVIE HOWES** Grand Salon, Deck 6  
Join Virtuoso of Variety, Davie Howes, for a high energy, multi-instrumental show featuring music and instruments from the norm to the absolute bizarre.
- 11:00p - late **Dance Hits with The Band and Anne** The Club, Deck 5



## FOOD & DRINK

**The Restaurant, Deck 4**  
Breakfast 8:00a - 9:00a  
Lunch 12:30p - 1:30p  
Dinner 7:00p - 9:00p

**The Colonnade, Deck 8**  
Breakfast 7:30a - 10:00a  
Lunch, Wrap & Roll 12:00p - 2:00p  
Dinner, Thai 7:00p - 9:00p

**The Grill by Thomas Keller Deck 8**  
6:00p - 9:00p  
by Reservation only, please dial 9 or visit The Grill during opening hours

**The Patio, Deck 8**  
Lunch, Al Fresco (weather permitting) 12:30p - 3:30p  
Dinner, Earth & Ocean (weather permitting) 7:00p - 9:00p

**Seabourn Square, Deck 7**  
Coffee & Snacks 6:15a - 6:00p / 8:00p - 10:00p

**Observation Bar, Deck 10**  
**Sky Bar, Deck 9**  
**Patio Bar, Deck 8**  
**Grand Salon, Deck 6**  
**The Club, Deck 5**  
Early Risers 6:15a - 8:00a/4:00p - mn (weather permitting) 12:00p - 6:30p (weather permitting) 10:00a - 10:00p  
6:15p - 7:00p/9:15p - 10:30p  
6:30p - close

## SERVICES

**Boutique & Collection, Deck 7** 7:30p - 10:00p  
**Spa & Serene Area, Deck 9** 8:00a - 10:00p  
**Fitness Center, Deck 9** 6:00a - 10:00p  
**Daily Mindful Theme** Love

**Cruise Sales, Deck 7** 2:00p - 6:00p  
*Book onboard and save 5%*

**Destination Services, Deck 7** 3:30p - 6:30p

**Casino, Deck 5**  
Slots 6:30p - All night  
Tables 6:30p - 8:00p / 9:00p - Close  
*Bonus Offer - Buy \$25 worth of scratch cards and get a FREE \$5 scratch card!*

**Medical Center, Deck 3 fwd** 8:00a - 10:00a / 4:00p - 6:00p  
For urgent medical attention 24 hours a day, please dial 911