

Dear Valued Guest,

The day so many of us have been waiting for is finally here. Today, we embark on our first Grand World Voyage in three years, and we are delighted to welcome you back home.

The voyage will be shared amongst two Captains. Captain Friso Kramer gezegd Freher will command the first half, and Captain Frank van der Hoeven will take over the helm for the second half of the voyage. Throughout the voyage Hotel General Manager Henk Mensink and many other Grand-experienced Officers, Staff and Crew will support them on this 128-day journey, set to carry on our 65-year tradition of world cruises. And we are especially honored for this to be the first time on our Vista-class vessel, Zuiderdam.

We are excited to continue the Grand experience, and we used the pause in cruising to reimagine the overall guest experience to continue creating delightful memories. We've retained the best of what we do while adding new events, activities, and exciting surprises along the voyage.

This Grand World Voyage will be an adventure like no other, and we are thankful and happy to share this experience with you. We look forward to meeting you on board and wish you our very best for the New Year!

Sincerely,

Captain Friso Kramer gezegd Freher Captain Frank van der Hoeven

Henk Mensink Hotel General Manager

