



Relaxation



## ST. LAWRENCE RIVER CRUISING – QUEBEC CITY TO KINGSTON

**September 3 to 11, 2023 | 8 NIGHTS 21 MEALS MODERATE PACE**

Experience calm-water cruising on a classic Canadian riverboat the M/V Canadian Empress! Cruise between Quebec City and Kingston, ON on Canada's showpiece, the St. Lawrence River. Take in the beauty of Quebec and the richness of French Canadian culture. Explore the Island and bays of Thousand Islands, learn about the unique living community of Upper Canada Village and much more. Enjoy the rich culture of life on the river!

### HIGHLIGHTS & INCLUSIONS

- Deluxe coach transportation, air-conditioned and washroom equipped
- One night accommodation at the Fairmont Queen Elizabeth and Fairmont Chateau Frontenac
- Guided Quebec city tour and Morrin Cultural Center
- Six nights' accommodation on the M/V Canadian Empress
- Ship's Reserve wine and domestic beer with meals
- Breakfast daily, seven lunches and six dinners
- Board the M/V Canadian Empress in Quebec City
- If available - cruise to Montmorency Falls
- Guided tour of Trois Rivières, Montreal, Upper Canada Village, Fort Wellington, Fulford Mansion, 1000 Islands Heritage Museum or 1000 Islands Boat Museum
- In Trois Rivières, visit the Shrine at Cap de la Madeleine or choose a guided tour of the Borealis Industrial Museum
- Cruise through Millionaires' Row
- Visit Ports of Trois Rivières, Lachine, Crysler Park Marina, Prescott, Brockville, Gananoque and Kingston
- Shipboard activities (shuffleboard, parlour games, kite flying), evening entertainment and lounge services
- Transit the St. Lambert and Ste. Catherine locks to enter the St. Lawrence Seaway System
- Pass through Beauharnois Locks (lower and upper), Eisenhower & Snell Locks(US) into Lake St. Lawrence
- Pass through lock at Seaway Control Dam Iroquois
- Services of a CAA Tour Director
- Onboard gratuities
- Baggage handling with gratuities
- Gratuity to the coach drivers
- All taxes, HST/GST and Port fees



### PRICING

**\$6,199** double | **On request** single

# JOURNEYS

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**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3**

A morning departure begins this journey to Montreal, the largest city in the province of Quebec, situated on an island.

**Accommodations:** Fairmont The Queen Elizabeth or similar

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4****BB, LL**

This morning we leave for our next destination: Quebec City. Visit the Morrin Cultural Center (formerly a prison) with light lunch. Late afternoon check into the Fairmont Le Chateau Frontenac.

**Accommodations:** Fairmont Le Chateau Frontenac

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5****BB, D**

The morning is at leisure until our late check out followed by a guided tour of Quebec City. After the tour, we leave for the Port of Quebec where we will board the M/V Canadian Empress, a nostalgic replica steamboat.

Enjoy a calm-water cruising on a classic Canadian riverboat to begin our Canadian Connection Cruise West.

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6****B, L, D**

This morning we depart Quebec City for Trois Rivières. Once in Trois Rivières we will have a brief bus tour of the city. We have a choice of visiting the Shrine at Cap de la Madeleine or a guided tour of the Borealis Industrial Museum. Enjoy the Port of Trois Rivières ambiance. Late evening entertainment and lounge services are provided tonight.

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7****B, L, D**

Today, we depart Trois Rivières and bound for Montreal. Partake in the shipboard activities or watch the world go by. In mid-afternoon, we arrive at the Old Port of Montreal. Time to board a motorcoach for a guided tour of Montreal. After the tour we reboard the ship and leave for Lachine. Along the way, we transit through the St. Lambert and Ste. Catherine Locks to enter the St. Lawrence Seaway System. Enjoy entertainment and lounge services tonight.

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8****B, L, D**

We begin the day with an early sail to Morrisburg, passing through the Lower and Upper Beauharnois Locks. Later in the afternoon we pass through the Eisenhower and Snell Locks in the US which takes us in the Lake St. Lawrence. We dock at the Chrysler Park Marina in Morrisburg, ON. This evening relax and stroll the grounds of the marina. Entertainment is provided tonight.

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9****B, L, D**

After breakfast we depart by miniature train for a guided tour of Upper Canada Village. In the early afternoon we continue our journey to Prescott. Along the way we sail through the lock at the Seaway Control Dam Iroquois. By mid-afternoon, we secure at Prescott and enjoy a guided tour of Fort Wellington. A late departure for Brockville is scheduled and by evening we arrive at Brockville "The City of the 1000 Islands"

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10****B, L, D**

This morning, enjoy a guided tour of the Fulford Mansion followed with mid-morning departure for Gananoque. Along the way, we will cruise through Millionaires' Row and experience the beauty of the 1000 Islands. This evening we have Celebration Night with fun-loving entertainment.

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11****B, L**

Our last breakfast will be while cruising through the 1000 Islands. We return to Gananoque for a guided tour of the 1000 Islands Heritage Museum or 1000 Islands Boat Museum. Following these tours we sail through the Canadian Channel en route to Kingston. Our last tour will be of the Kingston Harbour, ending at the Crawford Dock. We bid farewell to the ship crew taking with us wonderful memories, and feeling much more relaxed. Time to board our land transportation to return home.

**B – Breakfast****BB – Buffet Breakfast****LL – Light Lunch****TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

**How to book:** Reservations may be made through any CAA Niagara office. A non-refundable deposit of \$300 per person is due at time of booking. Balance of payment is due July 3, 2023. CAA strongly recommends the purchase of travel insurance. Ask for details.

**Cancellation charges:** Should it be necessary to cancel your trip prior to departure, the following penalties will apply:

90 days or more prior	Deposit non-refundable
89 to 60 days prior	50% non-refundable
59 to 0 days prior	100% non-refundable

The day of departure is excluded when calculating cancellation charges. CAA strongly recommends the purchase of cancellation insurance.

**Local laws and customs:** The Government of Ontario requires that residents travelling out of province to be advised that there may be different living standards with respect to the provision of utilities, services and accommodations outside of Ontario. Travel Act Regulation 38(06)

**Moderate Pace:** Tour requires average physical activity. Traveller should be in good physical health, able to climb stairs, be comfortable standing, and walking moderate distances including uneven surfaces. Itineraries typically include more longer than shorter days

**Prices:** All prices in this brochure are in Canadian dollars, unless otherwise stated, are based on January 2023 contract rates, and are subject to change should currencies fluctuate or surcharge be imposed.

**Responsibility and liability:** CAA Travel Agency (Niagara) Inc., acts solely as an organizer of the tours outlined. Our intention is to operate all tours as described. Operational situations occasionally force changes and we reserve the right to adjust where necessary. CAA Travel Agency (Niagara) Inc. has made arrangements for this tour with various independent parties to provide you with the travel services offered. Each party has its own terms and conditions beyond our direct control as such you are bound by those terms and conditions. CAA Travel Agency (Niagara) Inc. will not be responsible for any acts or omissions on the part of these parties or any loss or damage, injury or death that occurs as a result of government actions, terrorism, acts of GOD, late arrivals, missed connections and other factors beyond our direct control. Rates are based on January 2023 contract rates and are subject to change. CAA reserves the right to cancel a tour or substitute services or modify the itinerary as required. Substitutions will be comparable or superior. If a tour is cancelled, CAA Travel Agency (Niagara) Inc has no further responsibility beyond the refund of all monies paid by passengers. A minimum number of passengers are required for a CAA Tour Director to accompany the group.

**Accessibility:** Each travel providers have specific regulations governing the carriage of individuals needing special accommodation. If you have a disability, plan on travelling with an assisted device or need accommodations, please advise your Travel Consultant at time of booking to ensure the appropriate arrangements can be made..

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