

World Dream Resumes 50% Passenger Capacity from 14 June onwards Introducing unique and special Japanese-themed Super Summer Seacations for the school holidays



Singapore, **11 June 2021** – Following the latest announcement from Singapore government, Dream Cruises is pleased to announce that effective from 14 June 2021, World Dream will resume operating at the permitted 50% passenger capacity where guests from different households may now enjoy the option of traveling in a group size of up to five. Additionally, from 21 June onwards, guests may indulge in a feast for the palates and eyes where they may explore and enjoy dining in at over 35 F&B concepts around the ship including Asian, international and Halal-certified cuisine and enjoy additional live performances including singing, magic shows and ballroom dancing by our international performers.

With the well-being of its guests and crew its number one priority, Dream Cruises maintains the highest standards in safety with comprehensive precautionary measures in place. Since the restart of cruise operations in November 2020, World Dream has enjoyed over seven months of COVID-19 incident free sailings in Singapore and has received tremendous positive feedback on social media from guests on their experiences on board the ship.

"Dream Cruises would like to thank the people of Singapore who have continued to support World Dream even during this period of stricter health guidelines and safety precautions. Despite the heightened health measures of the previous month, World Dream has enjoyed robust sales in June and we are seeing limited availability of cruises in July," said Mr. Michael Goh, President of Dream Cruises. "With the diligence of our crew to provide the safest environment for our guests on board, World Dream has extended its proven track record as worry-free vacation option for Singaporeans."

Added Mr. Goh: "Not only are we excited to welcome a higher capacity of guests up to 50% aboard World Dream for a Super Summer Seacation, we are also excited to introduce our unique Japanese-themed cruise experience from 20 June – 18 September. This includes the world's first lavender fields of Hokkaido and Torii gates of Kyoto at sea, complemented by a variety of fun-filled Japanese related activities and cuisine - ideal for vacationers and families, especially during the present school holidays."

As part of the unique Japanese themed cruises on World Dream from 20 June to 18 September, guests can begin their wonderful journey aboard by strolling through the stunning and breathtaking torii tunnel surrounded by pink sakura trees, as well as a dreamy lavender field specially created and inspired by popular destinations like Hokkaido in Japan. Guests will also be able to enjoy all things Japanese, including Lavender sachet and crepe paper making work-shops, relaxing with a Lavender Spa treatment or personally experiencing traditional Geisha culture from make-up



demonstrations to hair ornament tutorials, Japanese parasol dance classes, as well as favourite and popular Japanese cuisine and so much more.

"We had launched a series of successful thematic cruises centred around the Asia Pacific starting with the *Rhythm of Korea* and *Amazing Thailand* thematic cruises; and soon guests can discover the *Wonders of Japan* on World Dream. Guests can look forward to more amazing and global thematic cruises towards year-end including the *Markets of the World* and *Nordic Christmas* thematic sailings later this year," added Mr Michael Goh.

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About Dream Cruises

Genting HK brings 26 years of Asian cruise industry experience in creating its new cruise line – Dream Cruises. Featuring a complete fleet of quality, German built vessels for Asian sourced passengers, Dream Cruises aims to be a pacesetter in the global cruise industry, meeting the needs of the 'emerging generation' of confident, independently minded and upwardly mobile Asian travelers. Dream Cruises offers inspirational journeys, which are Asian at heart and international in spirit.

Purpose-built for the Asian market, Genting Dream, the first ship of the fleet, debuted in November 2016, with her sister ship World Dream joining in November 2017, offering guests cruising from Guangzhou, Hong Kong and Singapore the highest levels of service, as measured by crew to passenger ratio, and most spacious comfort as measured by gross tons per lower berth. Further expanding the Dream Cruises family, Explorer Dream joined in 2019 with homeports in Shanghai, Dalian and Tianjin during summer and Australia and New Zealand in winter. Construction has also started in Germany on the 208,000 gross ton Global Class ship that will join the fleet in 2022.

Dream Cruises has been recognized by the Berlitz Cruising and Cruise Guide 2020, ranking Genting Dream and World Dream once again in the world's top ten Large Resort Ships – the only two highest ships to homeport year-round in Asia. Dream Cruises' third ship, Explorer Dream, also made her debut in the Berlitz Cruising and Cruise Ships 2020 guide under the "Mid-Sized Ship" category in the Top 20 position.

Dream Cruises was also recently awarded 'Best Luxury Cruise Line' at the Annual 30th Travel Trade Gazette's (TTG) Travel Awards 2019 and 'Best Cruise Line – Cuisine', 'Best Cruise Line – Entertainment' and 'Best Cruise Line – Family' by the Travel Weekly Asia Readers' Choice Awards 2019.

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