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News and Information for all onboard events

FRIDAY, MAY 8, 2026

WALVIS BAY, NAMIBIA

All aboard: 6:30 p.m.

Departure: 7:00 p.m.

DRESS CODE: ELEGANT CASUAL

On casual evenings, ladies may opt for trousers, a blouse, a skirt, or a casual dress, while gentlemen may wear an open-collar shirt and dress pants.

A jacket is optional.

After 6:00 p.m., indoor spaces prohibit jeans, shorts, hats, caps, sneakers or flip-flop type footwear. Casual wear is always suitable in outdoor venues. Gentlemen dining at La Dame are required to wear a jacket.

TODAY'S WEATHER

Sunny

High: 66°F 19°C

Low: 54°F 12°C



WALVIS BAY, NAMIBIA

Aboard Silver Dawn

PLAN AHEAD

Upcoming ports



DATE	PORT	ARRIVE	DEPART
May 9	Day at Sea		
May 10	Day at Sea		
May 11	Luanda	7:00 a.m.	11:59 p.m.

YOUR EXPERIENCES ASHORE

SHORE EXCURSION SUGGESTIONS

Enhance your voyage with our exceptional excursions. From day excursions or private arrangements, we offer you the world. Please visit the Shore Concierge Desk to discuss your options and reserve your excursions. If you prefer, you may request your excursions via MyCruise on you in-suite TV or by completing the Excursion Booking Form in your suite. Your butler will be pleased to deliver this if completed by our deadline.

WVB-A / Dolphin & Seal Cruise

4.0 Hours | \$199

Search for the Namibian Marine Big 5 - meet clumsy pelicans, view boisterous seals and, if luck permits, see leaping dolphins, playful whales, mysterious mola and shy turtles - all this and more on this half - day educational sailing dolphin and seal cruise.

To top off your trip, enjoy some refreshments including sparkling wine!

DECK 5 EXT. 551

OPENING HOURS:

7:00 A.M. - 10:30 A.M. | 4:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.



WALVIS BAY, NAMIBIA

Walvis Bay is a thriving port town

On the west coast of Namibia, Walvis Bay's history spans centuries. The first people to live in the area were the Topnaar, who were hunter-gatherers and fishermen. They had lived in the area for centuries before the arrival of Europeans, in the late 18th century, when the Dutch East India Company established a trading post in Walvis Bay. It became a regular stop for ships traveling along the African coast.

In the mid-19th century, the city was annexed by the British Empire and became a strategic port for British ships traveling to India and Australia. The British built a lighthouse and a customs house, and the town grew in size as a result of increased trade and commerce. The British also established a military base in Walvis Bay, which remained in operation until Namibia gained independence in 1990.

In the early 20th century, the town became a hub for the South African fishing industry, and it remained under South African control after Namibia gained independence. Walvis Bay was a contentious issue in the negotiations leading up to Namibia's independence, as both Namibia and South Africa claimed sovereignty over the town.

In 1994, South Africa agreed to transfer control of Walvis Bay to Namibia as part of the country's independence agreement. The transfer was completed in 1995, and the town became part of the newly independent Namibia.

Today, Walvis Bay is a thriving port town and a popular tourist destination, known for its natural beauty and rich cultural heritage. The town has a diverse population, reflecting the many cultures and traditions that have shaped it over the centuries. Its strategic location on the coast has made it a vital hub for shipping and transportation, and its history is a testament to the resilience and ingenuity of the people who have called it home over the years.

SIGHTS

- Walvis Bay Lagoon
- Bird Sanctuary & Flamingo Viewing
- Dune 7
- Sandwich Harbour
- Walvis Bay Waterfront
- Walvis Bay Museum

SHOPPING AND CUISINE

Walvis Bay's cuisine reflects its coastal location and multicultural Namibian heritage. Fresh Atlantic seafood is a highlight, particularly hake, kingklip, mussels, oysters, calamari, and rock lobster, often simply prepared to showcase natural flavors. Local dishes and influences include: Grilled or smoked fish, served with rice, potatoes, or vegetables Oshikundu and mahangu-based sides, rooted in traditional Namibian cuisine. German-influenced fare such as sausages and hearty breads, a legacy of colonial history South African flavors, including braai-style grilled meats and chutney. Meals are typically relaxed and generous, pairing well with Namibian beers or South African wines, making Walvis Bay a destination where fresh ingredients and cultural influences come together beautifully.

SPA SERVICES

THE ULTIMATE FACIAL

FROM 10:00
SPA, DECK 6

The Ultimate Facial. Five advanced technologies—ultrasonic peeling, microcurrent, LED light therapy, cryotherapy, and oxygen infusion work in harmony to cleanse, lift, firm, and deeply hydrate for your most radiant skin yet. Reserve your transformation today. Please dial 600 or visit the spa on Deck 6.



MOTHER'S DAY SHOPPING

CELEBRATE IN STYLE

AT 7:30 P.M.
THE BOUTIQUE, DECK 8

Our Boutique invites you to discover the perfect Mother's Day gift. From refined fragrances to elegant jewelry or handbags, our team is delighted to help you choose something truly meaningful.



THE CHEF & THE SOMMELIER

EXQUISITE WINES FROM OUR CONNOISSEUR'S WINE LIST WITH A GOURMET LUNCH.

Join Silversea's Executive Chef Ross and Head Sommelier Slobodan, on May 10, on this exclusive opportunity to experience the art of wine and food pairing.

Due to limited space reservations are required and a fee per person is applicable.

The Head Sommelier and Reception will assist in all the details. Should you wish to cancel a reservation at any of our wine events, kindly do so no later than 24 hours prior to your reservation time. Cancellations made after this period will incur full cover charge per person.



THE EPICUREAN EXPERIENCE

Savor the refined flavors of La Dame and Kaiseki at our best combined price, plus enjoy priority reservations at the complimentary Silver Note. With this exclusive offer, you'll discover firsthand why Food & Wine named Silversea the leader in Food and Beverage. Visit the reception desk or any dining venue to confirm availability.



ROCK THE BOAT

TONIGHT'S SHOW

AT 9:15
PANORAMA LOUNGE, DECK 9

Put on your dancing shoes and join us as we dance the night away with our collection of eclectic party hits. The Silversea Singers and Band will be sure to keep you swinging and swaying as those records keep playing for you to party throughout the entire evening!

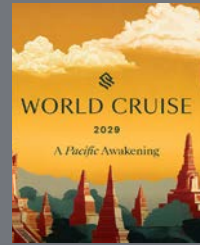


THE 2029 WORLD CRUISE

A PACIFIC AWAKENING

Behold the Pacific – boundless and sacred. Somewhere between volcanic peaks and bamboo forests, she reveals everything you didn't know you were seeking. And more than you ever could have imagined. The Silversea 2029 World Cruise is now open for booking – an invitation to experience this luminous ocean in depth. Awaken your capacity for wonder as Silver Whisper charts a 125-day course from San Diego to Singapore across 19 countries, visiting mythical destinations and unlocking experiences crafted exclusively for this majestic voyage.

Book onboard and receive exclusive 5% onboard savings!



For more information, please contact your Future Cruise Team, James and Elena on Deck 5, or extension 60515 or 80509

GOLDEN 21



CASINO, DECK 7

Double the Payout. Double the Thrill! Visit our Casino and take part in the Golden 21 Event. For a limited time, we're raising the stakes at the Blackjack table—enjoy an enhanced 2:1 payout for every natural Blackjack! Don't miss your chance to turn a winning hand into an even bigger reward. For full details, just ask our friendly Casino team!



ALL DAY DINING

BREAKFAST

ATLANTIDE (DECK 4)
À la Carte 8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

LA TERRAZZA (DECK 7)
Buffet 7:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

LUNCH

ATLANTIDE (DECK 4)
À la Carte 12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

KAISEKI (DECK 4)
À la Carte 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

LA TERRAZZA (DECK 7)
Buffet 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

THE GRILL (DECK 10) *
À la Carte 12:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

OPEN ALL DAY

ARTS CAFÉ (DECK 8)
Light Snacks 6:30 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.

SPACCANAPOLI (DECK 11)
À la Carte 11:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.

* Weather permitting
** Reservations required

IN-SUITE DINING

24-hour
The menu is available on the TV.
To place your order please contact your butler or call extension 500. In-Suite Dining is also available in other public areas when our dining venues are not open for service.

*Consuming raw or uncooked meats, poultry, seafood, shellfish or eggs may increase your risk of foodborne illness, especially if you have certain medical conditions. Silversea kitchens are not allergen free environments. Please inform our Crew if you have a food allergy or dietary restrictions.

DINNER

As a courtesy to your fellow guests please respect the times of your dinner reservation.

ATLANTIDE (DECK 4)
À la Carte 6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

S.A.L.T. Kitchen (DECK 4)
À la Carte 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

KAISEKI (DECK 4) **
À la Carte 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
A dining fee per person applies

LA TERRAZZA (DECK 7) **
À la Carte 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

SILVER NOTE (DECK 7) **
À la Carte 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

THE GRILL (DECK 10) */**
À la Carte 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

LA DAME (DECK 8) **
À la Carte 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Gentlemen: Jacket required
A dining fee per person applies

Should you wish to cancel a reservation at any of our specialty dining venues, kindly do so no later than 24 hours prior to your reservation time. Cancellations made after this period will incur the full cover charge per person.

BAR HOURS

6:30 a.m. – 11:00 p.m. Arts Café [Deck 8]
9:00 a.m. – 10:30 p.m. Pool Bar * [Deck 10]
10:00 a.m. – until late Panorama Lounge [Deck 9]
10:00 a.m. – until late Dolce Vita [Deck 5]
6:00 p.m. – until late S.A.L.T. Bar [Deck 4]
6:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. Observation Lounge [Deck 11]
6:30 p.m. – until late Silver Note [Deck 7]
9:00 p.m. – until late Connoisseur's Corner [Deck 9]

*Weather permitting

SERVICES

POOL & JACUZZI* | DECK 10
7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
* Weather permitting

BOUTIQUE | DECK 8
7:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.

*Toiletries and other essential items are available for purchase upon request in the Boutique or through your Butler.
Dial 555 (Reception) for assistance.*

CASINO | DECK 7

Slot & Tables: 9:00 p.m. – until late
Age restriction: over 18 to use the facilities.

SPA | DECK 6

Please dial 600 for appointment
7:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.

SAUNA & STEAM | DECK 6

7:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Ages 16-17 permitted with guardian

FITNESS CENTER | DECK 6

5:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Ages 16-17 permitted with guardian

FUTURE CRUISE SALES | DECK 5

Please dial 60515 or 80509 or consult your suite ITV to request an appointment.
8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. | 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

SHORE CONCIERGE DESK | DECK 5

Dial 551 during daily opening hours or consult your suite ITV to request an appointment or book an excursion.
7:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. | 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

GUEST RELATIONS MANAGER | DECK 5

Dial 555 for assistance.
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | 4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

MEDICAL CENTER | DECK 3

Dial 10333 during clinic hours.
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. | 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Medical assistance is also available by appointment.
Dial 555 (Reception) after hours.
*Emergency service is available 24 hours a day.
Please use the Forward elevator or Forward stairs to reach the clinic.
Kindly ask about charges prior to consultation.*

MARPOL CONVENTION: ONBOARD TOILET SYSTEM

Silversea is committed to protecting the environment. *Silver Dawn* uses a sensitive EVAC vacuum toilet system. Please dispose only of toilet paper in the bowl—no tissues or other items—as they can damage the system and cause blockages and pollution.

**IN THE EVENT OF AN
EMERGENCY PLEASE DIAL 999**

Friday, May 8, 2026

Sunrise 7:24 a.m. • Sunset 6:32 p.m.

MANDATORY DEPARTURE FACE-TO-FACE IMMIGRATION INSPECTION - WALVIS BAY

Please be advised that local authorities will conduct a mandatory departure face-to-face immigration inspection. The inspection will take place onboard in the Venetian Lounge, Deck 5, from 4:15 p.m. until 6:15 p.m. Your passport will be handed to you at the entrance of the Venetian Lounge. For further details, please refer to the letter sent to your suite.

MORNING ACTIVITIES

8:00	Spa Open in Port: Ask about our port day pricing	Spa (6)
9:00	Today's Silver Quiz, Crossword Puzzle, and Sudoku are available (Return the Quiz to Reception by 3:00 p.m.)	Arts Café (8)
9:00	Knitters and Stitchers: Gather and share your craft in a cozy knitting and stitching meetup (<i>unhosted</i>)	Panorama Lounge (9)
9:00	Shuffleboard is set up for your enjoyment throughout the day (<i>weather permitting</i>)	Outside Panorama Lounge (9)
9:00	Bean Bag Toss will be available to play (<i>weather permitting</i>)	Outside Panorama Lounge (9)
9:00	Table Tennis is available for your enjoyment (<i>weather permitting</i>)	Outside Panorama Lounge (9)
9:00	Board games are available for your enjoyment	Observation Lounge (11)
9:30	Archery: Aim, shoot, and hit the inflatable bullseye in this exciting archery session with your Cruise Staff	Outside Panorama Lounge (9)
9:30	Bridge play and American Mahjong: Arrange games with your fellow guests (<i>unhosted</i>)	Observation Lounge (11)
10:00	Sudoku Challenge: Put your brainpower to the test! Join your Cruise Staff for a fun daytime activity and a chance to win Prize Points	Dolce Vita (5)
10:00	Spa Presents: Say Goodbye to Frizz in Just One Hour!	Spa (6)
10:30	UNO Challenge: Play, laugh, repeat! Join your Cruise Staff for a fun daytime activity and a chance to win Prize Points	Dolce Vita (5)
11:00	Shuffleboard Tournament: Join your Cruise Staff for this daytime activity (<i>weather permitting</i>)	Outside Panorama Lounge (9)
11:30	AFL: Brisbane vs Carlton (<i>satellite reception permitting</i>)	Sport 24 Extra Channel

AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES

12:00	NRL: Cowboys vs Eels (<i>satellite reception permitting</i>)	Sport 24 Channel
2:00	ATP 1000 Tennis: Rome Day 3 (<i>satellite reception permitting</i>)	Sport 24 Channel
2:00	Food and Beverage Concierge Desk (<i>next to Reception, until 4:00 pm</i>)	Dolce Vita (5)
2:30	Bridge play and American Mahjong: Arrange games with your fellow guests (<i>unhosted</i>)	S.A.L.T. Kitchen (4)
3:00	S.A.L.T. Lab Class: "Unexpected & Aromatic: Introducing West African Cuisine" (<i>Reserve before 10:00 a.m., at Reception, Deck 5</i>)	S.A.L.T. Lab (4)
3:00	Table Tennis Tournament with your Cruise Staff (<i>weather permitting</i>)	Outside Panorama Lounge (9)
3:30	LIV Golf: Virginia Round 2 (<i>satellite reception permitting</i>)	Sport 24 Extra Channel
4:00	World Cruise Ambassador Concierge Desk (<i>next to Reception, until 4:45 p.m.</i>)	Dolce Vita (5)
4:00	Bingo! Join your Cruise Staff for this daytime activity	Dolce Vita (5)
4:00	Spa Presents: The Ultimate Facial - Five advanced technologies	Spa (6)
4:00	Health Seminar: Fab - Abs with your Fitness Instructor (<i>sign up required</i>)	Fitness Center (6)
4:30	Spa Presents: Enhance your lips for a fuller, natural-looking pout, or a smoother lip border	Spa (6)
4:30	Health Seminar: Pure-Form Yoga with your Fitness Instructor (<i>sign up required</i>)	Fitness Center (6)
4:30	Complimentary Restorative Salt Stone Massage Tasters	Spa (6)
4:45	Team Trivia - Join Cruise Director Moss for this daytime activity for fun and prize points	Dolce Vita (5)
4:45	Spa Presents: Complimentary tongue and pulse analysis with our Acupuncturist and Herbal Specialist	Spa (6)
5:00	Spa Presents: Relieve Back, Neck and Shoulder Pain Naturally with Acupuncture	Spa (6)
5:30	Golf Putting Competition: Join your Cruise Staff for this daytime activity	Lobby (4)
5:30	Shabbat Service with Rabbi Bryan - All are welcome	Silver Nova (7)
5:45	Pianist Remon and Guitar Entertainer Chayan alternate performances for guests' listening pleasure	Dolce Vita (5)

EVENING ACTIVITIES

DRESS CODE: ELEGANT CASUAL

6:00	The Tommy Dorsey Orchestra: Enjoy listening and dancing to one of the greatest big bands of all-time, led by trombonist Jeff Bush	Panorama Lounge (9)
6:00	Solo Travelers get together with your Gentlemen Hosts, Jay and Geoff	Panorama Lounge (9)
6:30	All Aboard! Silver Dawn prepares to sail	
6:45	Jazz Pianist Andre plays for guests' listening pleasure	Silver Note (7)
7:00	Silver Dawn sails for Luanda, Angola	
7:30	Mother's Day Shopping Night: Enjoy the Mother's Day gift-guide showcase and sip on bubbly while you shop	Boutique (8)
7:45	Join Silver Note Jazz Duo Andre and Esther as they entertain you with their live music	Silver Note (7)
9:00	Pianist Remon and Guitar Entertainer Chayan alternate performances for guests' listening pleasure	Dolce Vita (5)
9:00	Visit the Casino onboard. Indulge in Blackjack—natural hands earn an elegant 2:1 payout. Good Luck!	Casino (7)
9:15	Rock The Boat! Silversea Signature Party: Dance at our high-energy, signature Dance Party! Followed by Disco Night with DJ Gabor: All your dance floor favorites, plus your requests	Panorama Lounge (9)

Going ashore in Walvis Bay, *Namibia*

SHIP PROCEDURES

Please remember to carry your **Suite Key Card** whenever going ashore as this is your only valid identification for reboarding the vessel.

PIER INFORMATION

Silver Dawn is docked in Walvis Bay, Namibia
Nairport, Berth 9, Walvis Bay.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Silversea charges in United States Dollars for all shipboard transactions. We would like you to be aware that your credit card company may charge a foreign transaction fee. Silversea processes shipboard credit card transactions through the United Kingdom. Should you wish to register a different credit card to settle your account, please see our Reception Staff on Deck 5.

CURRENCY EXCHANGE

The local currency is the Namibia Dollar (NAD).
Guests going ashore can expect the following rates of exchange:

1 USD = 16.64 NAD approx.

1 EUR = 19.51 NAD approx.

1 GBP = 22.59 NAD approx.

SHIP'S AGENT

(for use in emergencies only)

OMA Shipping & Logistics Namibia Pty Ltd

Email: jacques.oosthuizen@omagroup.com

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EXCURSIONS

The excursions depart at the times listed below from the pier ashore. As a courtesy to your fellow guests and to allow the punctual departure of your excursion, we ask all participants to proceed ashore **10 minutes** prior to your departure time. If you are late, unfortunately the transportation will not wait.

Please do not forget to bring your excursion tickets and Suite Key Card.

WVB-M	Bird-Watching Experience	7:45 a.m.
WVB-B	Namib Desert Adventure by 4x4	8:00 a.m.
WVB-O	Marine & Dune Adventure.....	8:00 a.m.
WVB-T	Pelican Point Kayaking & 4x4 Drive	8:00 a.m.
WVB-A	Dolphin & Seal Cruise	8:30 a.m.
WVB-C	Sandwich Harbour & Dune Drive by 4x4	8:30 a.m.
WVB-E	Swakopmund Highlights	9:00 a.m.
WVB-F	Mondesa Township Experience	9:00 a.m.

HOSPITALITY DESK ON BOARD

There will be a local Hospitality Desk Representative on Deck 5 at the Shore Concierge Desk. Available from 7:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. to offer personalized guidance to local attractions, ensuring a smooth and enjoyable shore experience.

SHUTTLE BUS

A complimentary Shuttle Bus Service will be operating between the pier and the Dunes Shopping Mall from 8:30 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. (last bus from town). The distance to downtown is approximately a 10-minute drive (one way). We recommend arriving at least 10 minutes prior to the shuttle bus departure at the pickup locations. The shuttle bus schedule will be posted at the Shore Concierge Desk, Deck 5 and at the gangway.

VAT REFUND FOR PURCHASES IN NAMIBIA

Customs Officers will be available today in the Venetian Lounge, Deck 5, from **4:15 p.m.- 6:15 p.m.** to process VAT refunds for purchases made in Walvis Bay. Please bring your original and photocopy of receipts (exceeding NAD 250), passport, and the purchased items.

HAND WASHING & HAND SANITIZING

Keeping hands clean helps prevent illness and the spread of germs. Wash with soap and water when possible; alcohol-based sanitizers also reduce germs quickly. Please use the hand sanitizers at dining-area entrances and throughout the ship.

TAKE VERO WATER WITH YOU

Stay hydrated ashore by bringing your Silversea refillable bottle. Your butler or any bar can fill it with Vero Water. The thermos design keeps drinks cool or warm during your excursion.

All aboard
6:30 p.m.

PLEASE NOTE THIS USEFUL INFORMATION WHEN GOING ASHORE.
SILVER DAWN SATELLITE PHONE NUMBER: +1 786 605 5750