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## Visit Llanfairpwylgwyngyllgogerichwyrndroblllandisilligogoch, the Loch Ness Monster, the Inside of Buckingham Palace and the Edinburgh Tattoo on New British Isles Cruise Tour

The London Olympics, a town with the longest name in Europe, the world's oldest clock, a Diamond Jubilee tour inside Buckingham Palace and the world-famous Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo will all feature in a new, 21-day cruise tour around the UK in August, 2012, which is shaping up as one of the most exciting years in Britain's history.

Offered by Australian agency, Cruise Express, the hosted 'Glory of the British Isles' tour will begin during the in the final days of the London Olympics and also include ancient Stonehenge, London's now-leaning Big Ben, Shakespeare's home town, the history-changing Magna Carta and a tour of the Queen's own former cruise ship, the Royal yacht Britannia.

The full, all-inclusive 21-day package departs Australia on August 7, 2012, and begins with a five-night coach tour of southern England, taking in the picture-postcard hamlets of the Cotswolds, the Roman relics of Bath and the huge, 750-year-old Salisbury Cathedral which boasts the tallest church spire in Britain (123m), the world's oldest working clock (626 years and ticking) and also the Magna Carta, written in 1215.

Cruise Express passengers will then board the deluxe 3000-passenger superliner, Caribbean Princess, in Southampton for a 12-night circumnavigation of the British Isles including visits to the Channel Islands, Wales, Dublin and Belfast in Ireland, the Orkney Islands, Edinburgh, Glasgow and Inverness in Scotland and Le Havre in France.

A special Cruise Express shore tour package for \$xxx offers a tour in every port including a Welsh town with the longest place name in Europe stretching for 58 letters – Llanfairpwylgwyngyllgogerichwyrndroblllandisilligogoch – as well as the Guinness Brewery in Dublin, the rugged Giant's Causeway and medieval ruins of Dunluce Castle near Belfast, legendary Loch Ness and majestic Cawdor Castle near Inverness and the French town of Rouen where Joan of Arc was burned at the stake in 1431.

All Cruise Express guests will also receive tickets to the world-famous Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo at Edinburgh Castle, a cruise on Britain's largest lake, the spectacular Loch Lomond, a tour through the Royal Yacht Britannia and two days of sightseeing in London including a ride on the London Eye, 2012 Olympic venues and special tickets for a tour inside the 600-room Buckingham Palace during the Diamond Jubilee Exhibition marking 60 years on the throne for the Queen.

Including return flights from Australia, extensive sightseeing, accommodation and 45 meals, the 21-day coach and cruise tour is available from \$8190 per person, twin-share. A shorter 16-day package including the 12-night cruise, three days in London and the flights is available from \$6990 per person, twin-share.

Bookings or brochures are available from Cruise Express on 1300 766 537 or visit [www.cruiseexpress.com.au](http://www.cruiseexpress.com.au)

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