

CHARTER FLEET

city
cruises 
⚓ by Hornblower™



Enjoy a different view of London with City Cruises exclusive Private Hire

We live for being on the river and City Cruises set sail every 40 minutes, every day of the year.

With such a great pedigree it was logical to be able to offer our exemplary levels of boat and service to clients who wanted to arrange exclusive hire of a boat with the confidence that City Cruises offers.

Our private hire team have over 30 years combined experience of running events on the river and will work with you to offer you the perfect boat for the event that you visualise and expect.

We are known for our hospitality and warm and friendly welcome. With a fleet of 12 great boats for your events and 3 high speed RIB boats we are waiting to greet you on board.

Great food, terrific service, a lovely ambiance coupled with our professional crew and hospitality team are sure to make your private hire a success. We do, of course, owe our thanks to the fabulous City of London which serves as your backdrop throughout your cruise.

WELCOME ABOARD OUR FLEET...





ERASMUS

3 decks – 2 large inside and 3 outside spaces

- Joined the City Cruises fleet in 2019
- Flexible vessel enabling a variety of events but still with large panoramic windows enabling you to enjoy the city of London
- Integrated sound and lighting system ensuring your party or conference event has great AV solutions
- 3 outside decks
- Fully Heated – perfect for Christmas Parties



CAPACITIES

Formal Dining	126
Parties and informal buffets	300+
Canapés (with and without entertainment)	250
Hot & Cold Buffet (with and without entertainment)	300

Summer Party (Drinks and finger food with entertainment)	340
Drinks Only	340
Movie Cruise	40 outside – 60 inside
Transfer with Drinks	340
Maximum licenced passenger capacity	340

THE DIAMOND

Our Flagship Vessel

- Launched in 2012 in time for the Queens Diamond Jubilee River Procession
- A flexible vessel enabling a variety of events but still with large panoramic windows enabling you to enjoy the city of London
- Modern vessel perfect for dining, casual events and even fashion shows
- Fully Accessible
- Air conditioned and heated, perfect for Christmas Parties



CAPACITIES

Parties and informal buffets	300+
Formal Dining one deck (with and without entertainment)	188
Canapés (with and without entertainment)	250
Hot & Cold Buffet (with and without entertainment)	250

Summer Party (Drinks and finger food with entertainment)	300
Drinks Only	300
Movie Cruise	200
Transfer with Drinks	300
Maximum licenced passenger capacity	595

THE LONDON & THE TIME

- These boats are extremely popular with our clients
- They are very similar inside but have varying capacities
- Large outside decks
- Accessible
- Air conditioned and heated



CAPACITIES

Formal Dining with and without entertainment	100/128
Canapés	120/160
Hot/Cold/BBQ Style Buffet	160/180
Summer Party	160/180

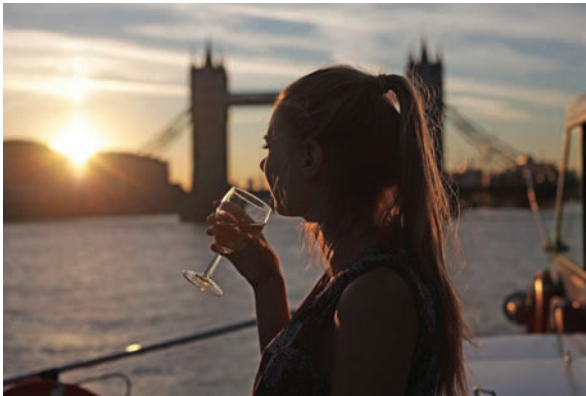
Drinks Only	160/180
Movie Cruise	100/180
Transfer with Drinks	160/180
Maximum Capacity	350/490

CITY ALPHA & CITY GAMMA

- The newest boats in our fleet
- City Alpha relaunched 2016
- City Gamma launched July 2019
- Fast, modern and popular they are the ideal transfer vessel with room inside and out to enjoy London
- Full heating and air conditioning fabulous panoramic windows
- These boats have been used or 3 years for Movie Cruises
- Sister boats with similar contemporary interiors
- Accessible



TimeOut, David Tett



CAPACITIES

Formal Dining	not suitable	Drinks Only	220
Canapés	200	Movie Cruise	160
Hot/Cold/BBQ Style Buffet	not suitable	Transfer with Drinks	220
Summer Party	not suitable	Maximum Capacity	395

THE RIVERLINERS

- All boats refurbished 2019 to 2021
- Spacious – large windows
- Air conditioned and heated
- Large outside decks
- Accessible
- These are great boats for larger groups



CAPACITIES

Formal Dining	214	Drinks Only	250
Canapés	220	Movie Cruise	200
Hot/Cold/BBQ Style Buffet	250	Transfer with Drinks	250
Summer Party	250	Maximum Capacity	495

THE WESTMINSTER & THE MAYFLOWER GARDEN

Our Heritage Fleet

- Traditional Style Boat
- Great for smaller events
- Flexible seating on the main inside deck
- Large Open Deck with Rattan sofas and chairs*
- Popular Vessel for smaller groups
- Accessible
- Heated and Air Conditioned
- Dancefloor
- The Mayflower is a faster boat, that's great for transfers



CAPACITIES



Formal Dining	40 / 56
Canapés	30 / 60
Hot/Cold/BBQ Style	30 / 60
Summer Party	60 / 100

Drinks Only	60 / 100
Movie Cruise	Not suitable
Transfer with Drinks	60 / 100
Maximum Capacity	128 / 250

*The Westminster Only

THAMESJET

Our Thamesjet experience is great for birthdays, corporate events, team building or stag and hen parties.

For those who are looking for a bit more of an adrenaline fuelled event, our Thamesjet boats will give you an action packed full-on adrenaline-fuelled ride. The only jet boat fleet on the river (apart from the Police or Military boats which patrol the Thames).

Our 12 seater Thamesjet boats can be hired out for an hour to a full day and can be combined with a Clay Shoot on the MV Erasmus.



- High Speed Jet Boat
- Great for smaller events
- A great option for Team Building
- Multiple boats can be hired for product launch opportunities

FOOD & DRINKS

We have a different view of a Bespoke Menu

We have a great range of menus tailored to work on our fleet of boats. Created by our team of chefs over the past 11 years.

Whilst City Cruises is known for its formal dining menus this literally is the tip of the iceberg on what we can offer.

3 and 4 course dining menus, Hot and Cold fork buffets, our ever popular summer BBQ's and of course canapés, bowl food, finger food and nibbles!

We work with an authentic Indian Food specialist to offer a typical Indian banquet and of course Henry is always happy to plan something to suit your own event. We can send over some sample menus for you to peruse.

That's not all. We have a new and enhanced wine selection, some great drinks packages and of course a good selection of beers and gins! Our team can advise you of the best package to suit your budget and needs.



ON-BOARD ENTERTAINMENT

Unbeatable views, live entertainment, great food and much more: these are the keynotes of our dining cruises on the River Thames.

We have a catalogue of live singers who will perform popular and classic songs.

We also have some terrific tribute artists.

Whether your choice is popular or classic, traditional or musicals, we will have something for you to enjoy.

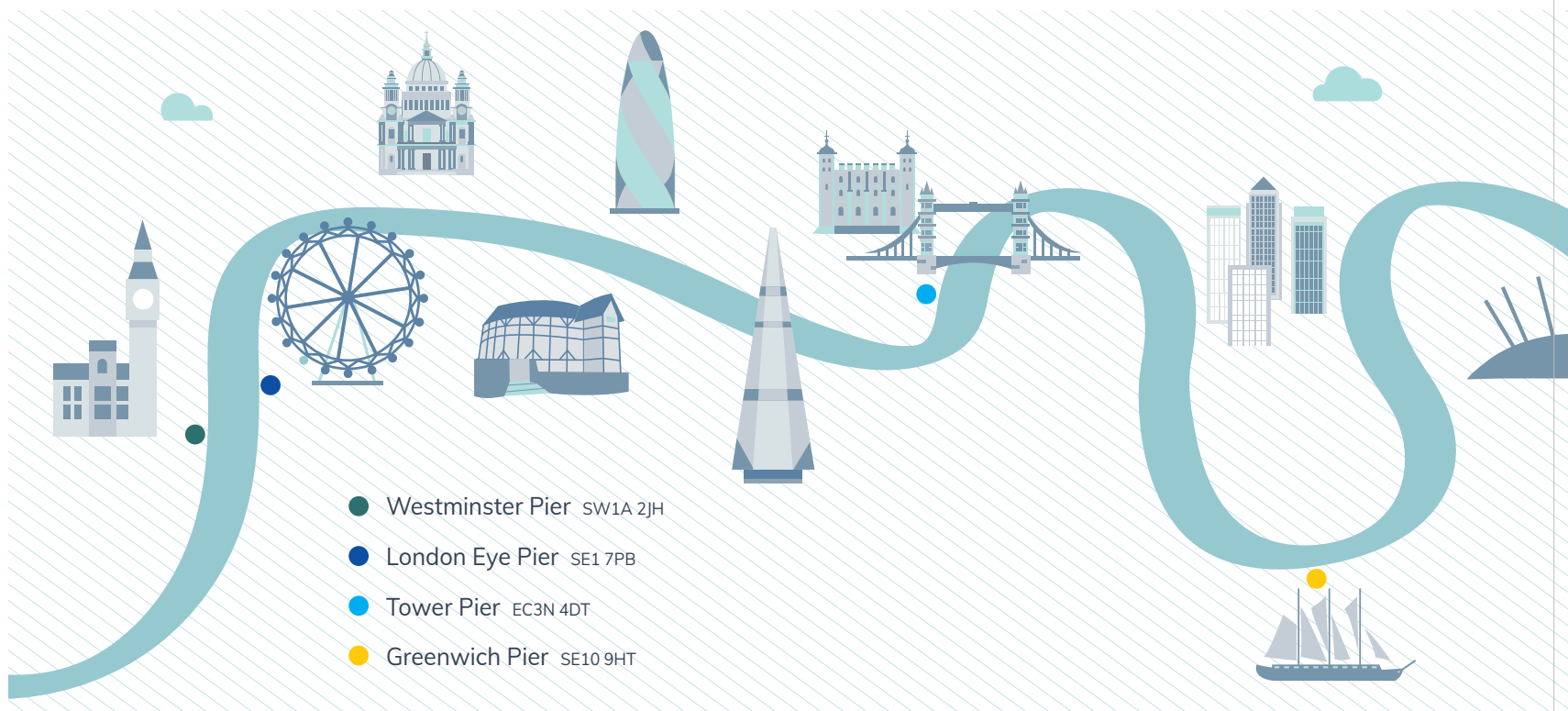
We have a full entertainment brochure enabling you to pick and mix for your perfect event. Check it out on our website or ask our team for more details

Don't forget the decorations we work with florists, event planners to ensure the boat is dressed to your event needs.

- **LIVE SINGERS**
- **JAZZ BANDS**
- **DJs**
- **CLAY SHOOTING**
- **MAGICIANS & ILLUSIONISTS**
- **CASINO GAMING TABLES, GAMES**



RIVER THAMES



At City Cruises we are extremely proud of our capital city and we love to share our unique view of the city from the river Thames. Our fabulous river runs through the entire city offering a different perspective of both the City of London and the City of Westminster.

Cruise past the iconic landmarks whilst enjoying first class hospitality and the obligatory glass of bubbles. Whether you are enjoying a formal dinner, bowl food, BBQ or cocktails, our fleet of boats enables you to enjoy the London sights whatever the weather and during any season of the year. Daytime and evening offer very different scenes of London and your guests are sure to be delighted to share this unique perspective with you.

Our most popular piers are shown on this map. our experienced events team are able to advise on other piers that can be used throughout London. They are just a phone call or email away and will assist you in creating the perfect even.

WHAT OUR CLIENTS SAY...

// Thank you so much for your assistance throughout, from viewing the boats, booking the boat and making the process easy and of course your help on the day itself.

For a first time doing this type of an event I think it went smoothly indeed, all our customers were very impressed and to be able to start their meetings at WTM arriving on a VIP shuttle service serving bubbles and a Cuban themed breakfast went down very well.

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American Airlines

// Everything was as hoped, if not better and I received this morning an email from the MD saying how much they all enjoyed the evening.

I can't thank your staff enough for all their efforts. The food was excellent and the attention to detail by the Event Manager – was very much appreciated. There was nothing that was too much trouble for him and he and his team made sure our guests were well looked after.

The boat was a perfect size for a private party like ours and the evening was actually sunny and dry – couldn't have been better!

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JVC Kenwood

“ Our event at City Cruises bespoke was suited to our every needs. The event was a surprise to our students and they weren't disappointed. In fact, they were really excited.

The vessel looked excellent and the upper deck views at night were much appreciated. The dancefloor was arranged perfectly at the front of the ship. A great organisation beforehand made sure we had an amazing evening.

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Stichting LVO

// We had an amazing day, everything was perfect from start to finish, thank you to you and your whole team for all your help and support.

There was not a single hitch and every single colleague and manager loved it.

We have already had so much feedback from colleagues to say how much they enjoyed there special day. Thank you again – and hope I get to work with you all again.

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Sainsbury's

“ I just want to say a huge thank you from my team to yours, for all of your help both in the run up to and on the night of our event. Everyone really enjoyed themselves and I've had nothing but positive feedback. Thank you so much and I hope to work with you again in the future.

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Percipient

“ It was great evening. The guests enjoyed cruise and dinner very much. Special thanks to the crew and Captain for facilitating a group photo in front of Tower Bridge. Everybody had a great time. Many thanks to City Cruises of behalf of IBB Polonia Volleyball Club London.

I would like to thank you for all your help in organising great evening - Showboat dinner cruise for our Client. Special thanks to the Captain for facilitating a group picture in front of Tower Bridge. The whole team was brilliant. Guests had a great time and everybody enjoyed the evening very much.

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Plus Travel Services

“ I had the most brilliant birthday celebrations on board the Erasmus! The team were fantastic from start to finish. I would highly recommend for any type of event... but especially parties!

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EJ Saxby



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