

# citycruises

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## WE HAVE A DIFFERENT VIEW OF CAPTURING MEMORIES

Charter Brochure 2021

To book, please call 07483038487 or email [poolesales@citycruises.com](mailto:poolesales@citycruises.com)

## Why use City Cruises Poole?

City Cruises Poole has undertaken hundreds of charters over the past 4 years since we opened on Poole Quay. We specialise in the sights of Poole Harbour, Brownsea Island, Studland Bay, Swanage Bay and even up the River Frome in Wareham. With a variety of vessels available, you will be sure to find the perfect match for your event.

## What more can you offer for my private event?

We have plenty more than just a private cruise for you! We have some of the finest food available in Dorset, along with all forms of entertainment. Not sure what you're looking for? We can find the right fit for you, from our wide range of acts we have worked with in the past, or our in-house DJ who is tried and tested to be the best! The partnership with our professional caterers allows you to hand pick your food selection, making sure all your desires are met efficiently.

## How are we different?

With the standard and quality of our services, you will want for nothing. With a team readily available to hand craft your event, you can relax as our experienced sales team take care of every detail. Our knowledgeable Captains and crew have over 30 years' experience on the water and will be there to make sure your event goes to plan with ease.

## SOCIAL DISTANCING



We will be conducting frequent disinfection of all touch points, including handrails, door handles, tables and seating.



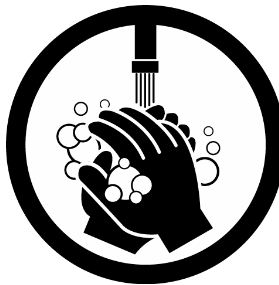
We have socially distanced all seating and between all tables in the saloons of each vessel. We ask all passengers to respect this and choose seats where available.



We have installed hand sanitiser stations at the start of our queueing system, as well as various locations on each vessel. We also have dispensers available to use at our ticketing kiosk.



We have installed hygienic screens at all of our refreshment and food service areas. Contactless payment is preferred.



We kindly ask all of our passengers adhere to government advice regarding personal hygiene whilst on board our vessels, including washing their hands regularly with soap and water, for at least 20 seconds.



All employees are issued with PPE, which may include face masks, face shields, disposable gloves and hand sanitiser, in order to protect them and our guests.





Open air viewing areas | Boats designed for all-weather visibility | Award winning cruises |  
Daytime and evening departures | Catering options | Fully stocked licensed bars | Toilets

**We can cruise both locally from Poole along the Jurassic Coast to Dancing Ledge  
or more remotely to the Solent and beyond in the east.**

# SOLENT SCENE

Solent Scene is the largest vessel of its type operating in the Poole & Swanage area. We can accommodate over 200 passengers on a daytime cruise and up to 150 on an evening function.

It is the only vessel with two separate internal saloons, incorporating the bar and quiet lounge on the lower deck and the disco and dancefloor on the upper deck. In addition to this, she also has two large outside decks. Solent Scene is not available for private hire during the day in the months of April-October.



3 Hour Evening Hire (Sunday – Wednesday)	<b>April, May, June, Sept &amp; Oct</b> £840, <b>July &amp; August</b> £945
3 Hour Evening Hire (Thursday – Saturday)	<b>April, May, June, Sept &amp; Oct</b> £945, <b>July &amp; August</b> £995
3 Hour Evening Hire (Any Day)	<b>November - March</b> £800
Day Time Hire (Any Day)	<b>November - March</b> £550 per hour

## Facilities:

- 2 toilets
- Dance floor area
- Public announcement system
- iPod/aux music system
- Fully stocked bar
- Open air decks

**\*Please note** for daytime hire, it is a minimum 2 hour hire, and in the peak season it is a minimum of 3 hour hire for all boats.

All evening hires are a 3 hour inclusive cruise, 7.30pm – 10.30pm. Extension for an extra fee can be discussed.



**Facilities:**

- 2 toilets
- Spacious inside saloon
- Public announcement system
- iPod/aux music system
- Fully stocked bar
- Open air decks

## SOLENT CAT

The Solent Cat is the newest vessel to join us here in Poole over the summer season. Bringing a different view to our fleet as a catamaran, this boat serves best with up to 180 on an evening cruise.

With a spacious inside saloon where there is a fully stocked bar and toilets available, you can relax as you set sail. There is a main outside deck that has a perfect view of all Poole's fantastic sights, as well as a smaller bow deck.

\*Please note, Solent Cat is not available for day hire at any point in the year, or evening hire in the months October – March.

3 Hour Evening Hire (Sunday – Wednesday)	<b>April, May, Jun &amp; Sept £840, July &amp; August £945</b>
3 Hour Evening Hire (Thursday – Saturday)	<b>April, May, June &amp; Sept £945, July &amp; August £995</b>



# ISLAND SCENE

Island Scene is one of our smaller vessels, which is for more bespoke cruises and can accommodate up to 100 guests on a daytime cruise and 80 on an evening cruise, depending on your event requirements.

Island Scene is perfect for the more intimate gatherings, where you can mingle and entertain with ease.

There are 2 large outside decks and an indoor saloon with a well-stocked bar. With quaint booths for your guests to sit, catch up in and enjoy the outstanding views.

3 Hour Evening Hire (Sunday – Wednesday)	<b>April, May, June, Sept &amp; Oct</b> £550, <b>July &amp; August</b> £630
3 Hour Evening Hire (Thursday – Saturday)	<b>April, May, June, Sept &amp; Oct</b> £630, <b>July &amp; August</b> £660
3 Hour Evening Hire (Any Day)	<b>November - March</b> £525
Day Time Hire (Any Day)	<b>November - March</b> £370 per hour, <b>April – June</b> £500 per hour, <b>July &amp; August</b> £590 per hour, <b>Sept &amp; Oct</b> £500 per hour



## Facilities:

- 2 toilets
- Inside saloon booth seating
- Public announcement system
- iPod/aux music system
- Fully stocked bar
- Rain cover for back deck
- Open air decks



#### Facilities:

- 2 separate bathrooms
- Inside saloon with table seating
- Public announcement system
- iPod/aux music system
- Fully stocked bar
- Open air decks

## HARBOUR SCENE

Harbour Scene (named Eltham in the image to the left) is the newest addition to our permanent fleet here in Poole, which can accommodate up to 128 people on a daytime cruise, and up to 80 passengers on an evening charter.

There is a large outer deck for you to take in all the sights of Poole, along with a charming inside saloon, where you are able to have table seating or alternatively create a spacious dancefloor for you and your guests. Harbour Scene is perfect for the more intimate gatherings, where you can socialise with your guests with ease.

\*Please note, this vessel can only sail within Poole Harbour.

3 Hour Evening Hire (Sunday – Wednesday)	<b>April, May, June, Sept &amp; Oct</b> £550, <b>July &amp; August</b> £630
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## ENTERTAINMENT

### Elvis Tribute Artist

#### Subject to availability

Garry Foley is a multi-award winning Elvis tribute artist and has performed throughout the UK, Europe, USA and Asia in theatre productions, weddings, parties & functions and corporate events. He also regularly performs on our themed evenings in the summer season and could be available to play at your event!

### Freddie Mercury Impersonator

#### Subject to availability

Billy West has been named Europe's best Freddie Mercury impersonator. With 20 years' experience paying tribute to Freddie, for nearly 3500 performances, he is could be just what your charter needs.

### Shirley Bassey Tribute Artist

#### Subject to availability

Debbie Farrell is one of the world's best Shirley Bassey tribute artists. She also specialises in motown & soul music, for your entertainment.

## In House DJ – Rob

£200.00 extra

Rob is one of our regular DJ's with a wide variety of music. If you wish to specify the genre of music you want played at your event then please let us know.

## Want to bring your own DJ?

£55.00 extra

We can accommodate your own DJ at a small charge of £55.00 this would be for a music license to play your own music on board our vessel. We would also need for the equipment to be PAT tested. This is to certify that the equipment you wish to bring on board our vessel and plug in is safe to use. We would need these documents sent to us at least 2 weeks prior to departure.

## Mobiles and Tablets

£55.00 extra

We do accept mobiles and tablets to be plugged in to our PA system if you wish to play your own music. The device must have a headphone port to connect to the PA. We would also need you to purchase the music license with us for £55.00 to do this.

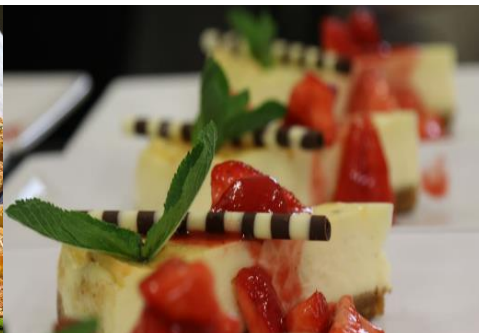
## MENU OPTIONS

Barbecue Cruise Packages	from £14.40 per person
Party Food Packages	from £8.40 per person
Sandwich Buffet	from £12.00 per person
Fish & Chips	from £7.50 per person
Desserts	from £5.40 per person

Please see a more detailed view of each menu below.  
(All packages include bread, mixed salad, homemade coleslaw, potato salad, relish and toppings)



We work closely with multiple local food caterers to provide you with the best quality catering for your occasion. All our catering options are also very flexible with vegetarian, vegan and gluten free alternatives to cater for all your guests. Please let us know of any special dietary requirements you require when choosing your menu.



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## FOOD MENUS

### CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING BARBEQUE CRUISE PACKAGES:

(All packages include bread, mixed salad, homemade coleslaw, potato salad, relish and toppings)

Steak Burger & Local Sausages **VG Mushroom & Halloumi Burger, Veggie Sausage** (£14.40 per person)

Steak Burger & Cajun Chicken Thighs **VG Mushroom & Halloumi Burger, Spiced Cauliflower Steak** (£14.40 per person)

Wild Boar & Apple Burgers & Local Sausage **VG Falafel Burger, Veggie Sausage** (£14.40 per person)

Lemon, Pepper & Garlic Chicken Fillets with Sausages **VG Spiced Cauliflower Steak, Veggie Sausage** (£14.40 per person)

Steak Burgers, Chicken Thighs & Local Sausages **VG Mushroom, Halloumi Burger, Veggie Sausage & Sweet Potato Steak** (£18.00 per person)

Hog Roast New Forest Pork with Stuffing & Apple Sauce **VG Charred Vegetables & Mozzarella Bap with Pesto Dressing** (£14.40 per person)

Signature Pulled Pork **VG Pulled barbecue Jack Fruit** (£14.40 per person)

Seafood Kebabs **VG Mediterranean Charred Vegetable Kebabs** (£18.00 per person)



### CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING PARTY FOOD PACKAGES:

(All packages include bread, mixed salad, homemade coleslaw, potato salad, relish and toppings)

Bacon & Sausage Baps with Cheese, Onions & Sauces **VG Portobello Mushroom Bap** (£8.40 per person)

Hot Dogs with Onions & Sauces **VG Vegetable Dog** (£8.40 per person)

Nacho Chips with Beef Chilli with Cheese & Sour Cream & Chives **VG 5 Bean Chilli** (£9.60 per person)

### SANDWICH BUFFET:

(£12.00 per person)

Mixed Filled Sandwiches

Homemade Quiche

Homemade Sausage Rolls

Potato Crisps

Brownie Fingers

### Fish & Chips:

(£7.50 per portion)

Fish & Chips

Spring Roll & Chips (**VG**)

Veggie Burger & Chips (**VG**)

Vegetable Pasty & Chips (**VG**)

Jacket Potato & Beans (**VG & G/F**)

G/F Steamed Cod & Chips

### DESSERTS:

(£5.40 per portion)

Vanilla Cheesecake

Homemade Brownie

Lemon Tart

Chocolate Tart

Homemade Chocolate Eclairs

Eton Mess

## HOUSE WINES 2021

### Pais de Poetas Sauvignon Blance (Valle Central, Chile)

An elegant fresh Sauvignon with perfect natural acidity.

### Pais de Poetas Merlot (Curico Valley, Chile)

A 2015 decanter Trophy winning wine. A super soft and supple fruity Merlot.

### South Coast Social Rosé (Western Capre, South Africa)

Crisp, rich pink, a seductive nose with juicy black fruit flavours.

### Terre de Giulio Prosecco DOC (Italy)

Light and lively with ripe pears and lemons rounded off with rewarding mousse effervescence.

#### PRICE

£19.50

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£24.00

#### TASTE GUIDE

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White Wine	Driest	1
	Sweetest	9
Red Wine	Lightest	A
	Full-bodied	E

## SINGLE SERVE WINES

### Roberts & Reeves Sauvignon Blanc - White

An elegant fresh Sauvignon with perfect natural acidity.

PRICE

£6.00

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### Roberts & Reeves Merlot - Red

A soft fruity, easy drinking Merlot.

£6.00

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### Roberts & Reeves White Zinfandel - Rosé

The balance of its floral character, sweetness and crisp acidity makes this perfect aperitif.

£6.00

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### MO Prosecco DOC Treviso Brut Spumante (Vegan)

Dry, crisp and whistle clean, it's a delicious aperitif, has a distinct green apple crunch to it.

£8.00

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# CHARTER WINES 2021

## WHITES

### Botter Pinot Grigio DOC (Veneto, Italy) (Vegan)

Crisp and refreshing apple & hazelnut flavours and just a hint of spice.

PRICE

£20.50

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### Domaine la Serre. Picpoul de Pinet (Beziers. France)

Citrusy southern French white wine made from Picpoul grape, soft & exotic peach flavours with a zingy finish.

£26.00

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### The Cloud Factory Sauvignon Blanc (Marlborough, New Zealand)

Perfumed with nettle flower and green pepper with a palate of limes, restrained minerality and a hint of tropical fruit.

£26.00

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**\*Needs to be pre-booked with 7  
days' notice**



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	Sweetest	9
Red Wine	Lightest	A
	Full-bodied	E

# REDS/SPARKLING

## Douglas Green Shiraz (Western Cape, South Africa) (Vegan)

Bright and lifted Shiraz with a wonderful perfumed nose of dark fruit and silky mouthfeel of mulberry and blackberry.

PRICE

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£22.00

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## Real Rubio Selection Tinto Rioja (Rioja, Spain)

A rich ruby red wine with deep Morello cherry flavours.

£24.00

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## Los Haroldos Chacabuco Malbec (Argentina) (Vegetarian)

Firm juicy structure, great fruit expression, smooth tannins and a lively persistent finish.

£26.00

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## Langham Estate Classic Cuvee (Dorset, England) (Vegan)

Barrel Fermentation & 24 month’s lees ageing provide layers and complexity.  
Beautifully poised and bursting with flavours of crunchy green apple and grapefruit.

£49.00

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\*Needs to be pre-booked with 7 days’ notice



White Wine	Driest	1
	Sweetest	9
Red Wine	Lightest	A
	Full-bodied	E

# Reviews

Don't just take our word for it! Here's what our customers have to say:

Great singer and staff  
were excellent.  
Thoroughly enjoyed the  
whole experience.  
– Paul C

Well organised and  
everyone felt safe, the  
staff were really  
approachable and easy  
to build a rapport with  
which is important  
when it's a relaxed  
social event! – Siemens

It met all the  
requirements that I was  
looking for.  
– Anonymous - Feefo

Service, friendliness of  
staff and safety is  
always top-class.  
– Jurassic Coast Trust





# Charter Booking 2021

Post to City Cruises Poole, Booking Kiosk, Poole BH15 1HJ

OR email [poolesales@citycruises.com](mailto:poolesales@citycruises.com)

Tel: 07483 005956 / 07483038487

## ORGANISER DETAILS

Name of organiser \_\_\_\_\_

Business Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number \_\_\_\_\_



## TRIP DETAILS

Date of trip \_\_\_\_\_ No. of passengers \_\_\_\_\_

Time ☐ 7.30pm – 10.30pm ☐ other (please state) \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of trip (birthday, corporate) \_\_\_\_\_



## OPTIONAL EXTRAS (please tick if required)

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|--|----------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> IN HOUSE DJ   | £200.00                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC LICENCE | £55.00 Type of music _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> WINE          | Quantity _____ Type _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FOOD          | Quantity _____ Type _____  |



## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Special requests \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Where did you hear about us \_\_\_\_\_



**SIGNED** (I am over 18 and agree the conditions of carriage) \_\_\_\_\_

Print name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

\*Deposit / balance can be made by card on 07483 005956 or 07483 038487 or by cheque made payable to 'City Cruises Plc'



## **1. APPLICATION**

These conditions apply whether a contract has been made verbally or in writing.

## **2. QUOTATIONS**

All quotations are made subject to a vessel suitable for the Hirer's requirements still being available at the time of acceptance. Quotations are valid for 28 days from issue or for any period specified.

## **3. ROUTE VARIATION**

Whilst every endeavour will be made to ensure that vessels run to the scheduled timetable, circumstances may prevail which prevent punctuality and, at all times the vessel will remain under complete control of the Master; the trip being varied if in his sole discretion this should be desirable for weather or any other cause beyond our control, the customer having no claim against City Cruises Plc in the event of such deviation or variation.

## **4. PAYMENT**

A 50% deposit is required at time of booking unless an alternate agreement has been made in writing beforehand. The balance will become due 14 days prior to sailing and must be paid on time or the cruise may be cancelled. Deposits are non-returnable in the event of cancellation by the customer. Where Catering and other services are required, 50% payment of these are due prior the cruise, and the whole amounts due may be payable if the trip is cancelled by the client for any cause.

## **5. CANCELLATION**

Bookings are accepted on the understanding that payment is guaranteed for the numbers booked or the agreed rate for the hire of the vessel. No allowance can be considered unless advice is given early enough to allow City Cruises Plc time to try and dispose of such bookings to an alternative customer and every effort will be made so to do. Nonetheless in the event that the booking is not re-sold the customer shall remain liable for the outstanding amount in full. In the event of failure by outside contractors, i.e. Disco, Caterers etc., that are arranged on the Hirer's behalf, the cruise charges which are separate will still be payable in full. Likewise, in the event of a cancellation of cruise due to any circumstances beyond our control (bad weather, mechanical failure etc.) we shall only be liable to refund cruise charges paid by the customer after deducting any expenses incurred on the Hirers behalf, and we will not be liable for any other expenses incurred by the Hirer.

## **6. CONDUCT / DRESS**

The Master is responsible for the safety of the vessel, and for comfort of the passengers. Therefore a reasonable standard of dress is requested and it is desirable that particularly on evening functions this is adhered to. Ladies should be aware of the possibility of tripping on the landing stage, and wear suitable flat shoes. Passengers must conduct themselves in a safe manner; the cruise may be cancelled at the Masters discretion if this is not the case passengers must not climb onto the ships roof or onto the bow railings. Passengers must use the gangway to board the ship and any passenger not doing so will be refused passage. The Hirer is responsible for any damage caused by his party, and for advising his group of the conditions required, and that unless he has made prior arrangement, no drinks are to be brought aboard by them.

## **7. FOOD & DRINK**

Under normal circumstances the company will allow on board no food or drink without written permission. Where permission is given it will be accepted that in most circumstances a corkage or service charge may be made. In the event of guests arriving with their own food or drink without such permission the company reserve the right to either retain such goods in safe custody until the end of the cruise or at the masters sole discretion to refuse boarding to such persons.

## **8. COMPLAINTS**

Any complaints in respect of the services supplied must be registered during or before the end of the cruise to the Master, and in writing within 7 days.

## **9. CRUISE**

Bookings are for the time specified on the Booking Form, although boarding can commence 15 minutes before sailing. Should the Hirer require time for setting up displays etc., then prior arrangements must be made with City Cruises Plc and a charge may be made. In the case of party bookings for persons under 21 year olds a breakage bond will be required and the company shall stipulate the number of adults over 25 required to supervise the party. We don't allow ticketed events on any of our vessels unless an alternate agreement has been made in writing beforehand. We have the right to cancel your event at any point if we are to believe you have broken this agreement.

## **10. TELEPHONE**

Bookings can only accepted on receipt of the completed booking form and requested deposit. We are unable to accept bookings verbally by telephone, although we are able to indicate whether a date is available bookings are taken on the basis of the first booking form received.

## **11. PUBLICITY**

Banners, Posters, and decoration of any kind can only be displayed by prior arrangement in writing. Depending upon the event, a charge may be made.

