50 REASONS TO CELEBRATE OUR 50TH IN GALÁPAGOS

1. The debut of National Geographic Endeavour II
2. Free Airfare in celebration on select departures in 2017-18
3. The Lindblad Expeditions-National Geographic alliance since 2004
4. Ecuadorian chocolate on your pillow at night! Sweet!
5. Carry a letter home from the barrel at Post Office Bay! The oldest mail service in the hemisphere.
6. Take your best photos! Learn with Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructors.
7. Ideal itineraries! With the perfect sequence of islands and great pace, see something new every day.
8. New! An innovative kids and teen program! Developed with National Geographic Education.
9. Enjoy special touches! Wine tasting off Kicker Rock at the golden hour.
10. Be among animals unafraid of you. Feel at peace in the universe.
11. We brake for whales! Flexibility and spontaneity is the expedition way, if something wonderful happens we’ll stop, drop Zodiaks and see.
12. Artisan Fund! Learn how we help turn trash into treasure.
14. Kids, get a Zodiac driver license!
15. Kayak on personal explorations! With a new fleet of Necky expedition kayaks.
16. Snorkel more! Or stay dry aboard the glass-bottom Zodiac and with undersea video.
17. Choose National Geographic Islander for a yacht-scale experience.
18. Marine Iguanas! They are endemic to Galápagos.
19. Zoom around in Zodiaks! Our large fleet means everyone gets out on adventures.
20. Visit as a friend! We’ve supported the Charles Darwin Research Station and Galápagos National Park since the beginning.
21. Everybody together! With one lounge, one dining room with no assigned seating, one language (English), guests form a warm community.
22. Love it? Stay on for a second week, see more and get 10% off.
23. Galápagos Tortoises! See them range free in the highlands and in the Park’s breeding program too.
24. Erupting volcano! Hey, it could happen, and so it has for us twice already in 50 years.
25. Uncommon naturalist team! Galápagos natives with a global perspective through Lindblad travels—and many are newly minted as National Geographic field educators.
26. See the Southern Cross! The Magellanic Clouds and other objects in the equatorial sky—star-gazing on the Observation Deck.
27. Meet researchers, scientists and rangers! We provide transport for interesting people and projects in the islands.
28. New! Scuba Dive with our local partner.
29. Evening Recap rocks! It’s a Lindblad hallmark and fun with hors d’oeuvres and tasty cocktails too.
30. Hang out on the Bridge! The captain and officers will welcome you. Watch navigation.
31. Visit the Tomás de Berlanga School! Meet the kids and teachers, donate books to the library.
32. Yoga and Stretching! Start the morning with our wellness specialist on the Observation Deck.
33. Blue-footed boobies! See them dance!
34. Snorkel with playful sea lion pups.
35. Waved albatrosses! They mate for life.
36. Ecuadorian Feast! Lunch in style, a highlight of the week.
37. Head onward to Peru & Machu Picchu! We handle everything—with National Geographic touches, to make the most of your time in the region.
38. Head to the Amazon! Combine two expeditions into one awesome experience.
39. New! Get more Ecuador! With Tropical Andes and Colonial Quito, our new extension featuring Machu Picchu, a National Geographic Unique Lodge of the World.
40. Cross the Equator! And transform from a stumpy pollywog to trusty shellback. Get a collectible pin that proves you did!
41. See Darwin’s Toilet! Yup that’s what they call it.
42. BBQ under the stars.
43. Andean superfoods! With 100% Galápagos coffee served. Local, sustainably sourced fish, and Galápagos craft beer, too.
44. It’s a family affair! CEO Sven Lindblad came with his dad in the 1960s, and brought his own four kids to the Galápagos many times. Share the experience with your family.
45. Family-friendly ships! With convenient, connecting cabins and suites.
46. Make a difference on Endeavour II! Together with your help, we support conservation in Galápagos.
47. Don’t pack snorkel gear! We have everything you need onboard, including wetsuits.
48. Solos welcome! National Geographic Endeavour II has nine dedicated solo cabins.
49. Take home a video! Our videographer chronicles your expedition so you can stay in the moment; it’s shot, edited and delivered to you during the expedition.
50. Fifty years of experience in Galápagos! And you’ll see when you join us, experience matters!