

FAMILY EXPEDITIONS

MEANING & MAGIC IN
WILD PLACES

“SUMMER CAMP”
FUN FOR
THE FAMILY

+ NATIONAL
GEOGRAPHIC
CERTIFIED FIELD
EDUCATORS

MAKE THIS
HOLIDAY A GIFT

Española Island, GALÁPAGOS

1.38° S, 89.68° W

WHEN YOU REALIZE YOU'VE MADE A HUGE DEPOSIT IN YOUR KID'S MEMORY BANK

You know the charge you get when you come upon something wild and unexpected, something rare and beautiful? We live for those moments. We sail to the ends of the Earth to find them, to discover them anew, and conjure them for our guests.

THAT'S THE **EXHILARATION OF DISCOVERY**

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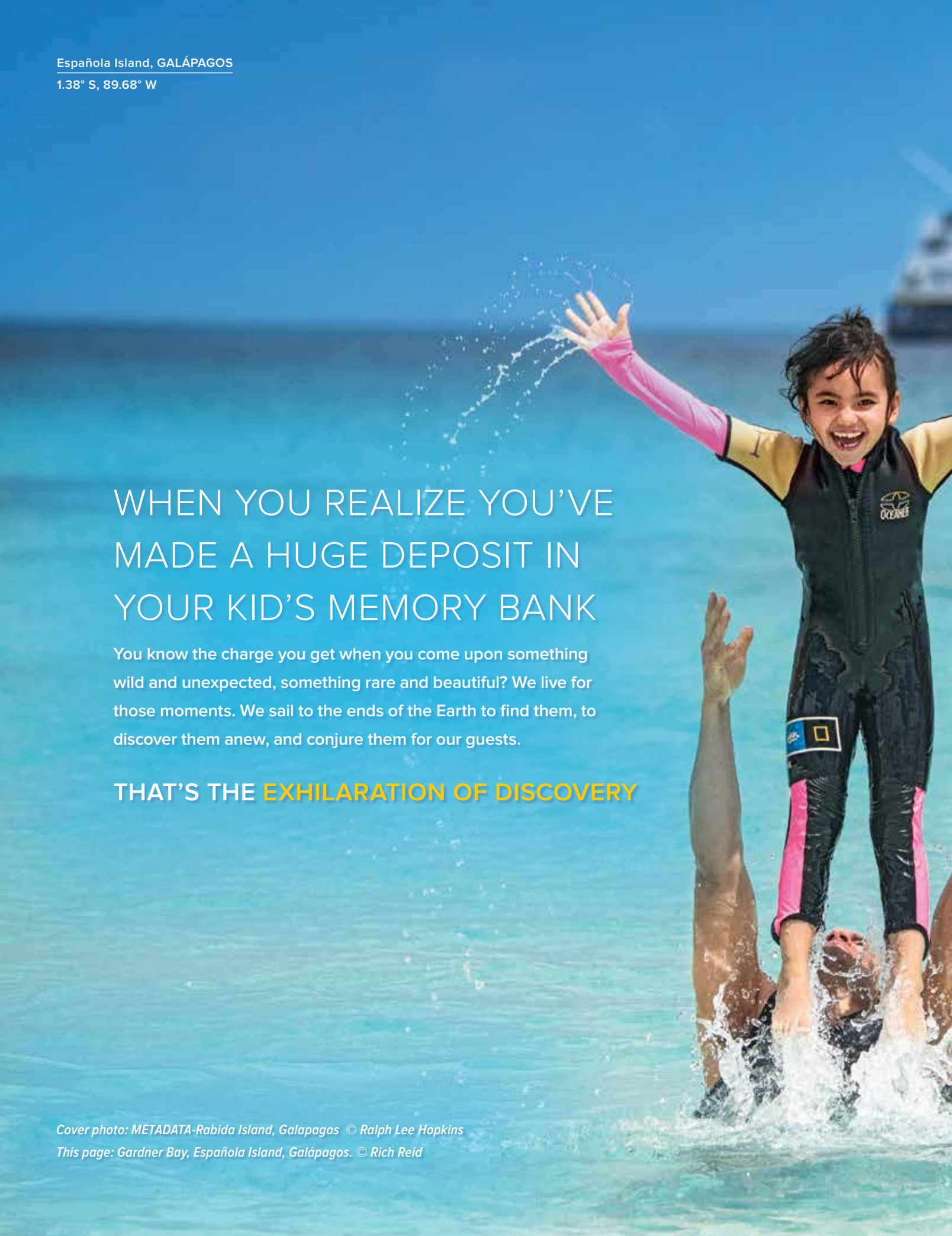


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DISCOVER THE PLANET'S MOST AWESOME PLACES TOGETHER

HEAR THE THUNDER OF CRACKING ICE AS YOUR EXPEDITION LANDING

craft speeds towards a glacier. Stand together on the bow while sailing into fast-moving channels where whales come to feed. Or snorkel reefs as dive buddies to see a galaxy of brightly hued fish. Walk together in lush equatorial forests among 100-year-old tortoises. We've been going to these places for decades. And our fleet of nimble expedition ships enables us to go deep inside each—places larger cruise ships simply cannot go.

Now, we go even further: following our decision to become single use plastic-free, we are now 100% carbon neutral, offsetting our entire company. Our award-winning menus are locally sourced from sustainable providers anywhere possible. And we've had a significant impact on conservation and community initiatives in the regions we explore—raising a cumulative \$18.1 million from our guests, including \$12.2 million since the LEX-NG Fund was established in 2008. And our commitment is ongoing, so you can feel good about traveling with us.





“I can only hope that these kinds of experiences—both for my kids and all the families onboard—will help culture a real love of the natural world that gets deep into their cells that lays the foundation for becoming our planet’s future stewards.”

—DR. TIERNEY THYS

DISCONNECT FROM ROUTINES, RECONNECT IN WILDNESS

TAKE YOUR MORNING COFFEE ON THE BOW AS THE SUN

peeks over the horizon. “Commute” with your kids or grandkids to a wild shore aboard an expedition landing craft. And wind down the day without a TV or phone in sight. An expedition, with its mix of new daily sights, wildlife, undersea wonders, and activities for every age and fitness level, is the ideal way to unite old and young in shared experiences you’ll find collectively exhilarating. In this era of devices and seemingly limitless connectivity, it’s become far too easy for family members to spend more time with their phones than with each other.

The benefits of spending time in nature are well documented. It encourages curiosity, relaxes the mind and body—and it’s super fun, too. On expeditions, kids and teens can find new outlets for their interests. They get to exercise some measure of independence within the safe confines of the ship. And our staff, specially trained to work with kids of every age, lead rollicking tromps through the forests and into bogs, meadows, and along shores where kids have so much fun they don’t even realize how much they’re learning.

“The classroom provides an essential foundation for learning. But a child can only understand the true world by traveling it.”

—PAUL THEROUX





OUR TEAMS ARE ACE AT
DOING WHAT IT TAKES





THEY'LL TEAR UP THE DAY'S PLAN AND DROP EXPEDITION

landing craft when we encounter a super-pod of dolphins in Baja. Veer far off course in Galápagos to see a rare volcanic eruption. Or linger with a group of bubble-net feeding whales in Alaska. Our expert expedition team will do whatever it takes to give your family an unforgettable adventure and make your experience extraordinary. Our naturalists are excellent role models who ably embed learning in every activity. And in Galápagos and Alaska, and coming soon to Baja, National Geographic certified field educators on board help optimize daily activities while ensuring kids and teens have fun.

“I traveled with my son and the two of us really enjoyed having access to the Bridge. Being able to spend time watching the Captain and officers navigate, or hanging out with the naturalists, admiring their ability to spot and identify birds so swiftly added so much to our experience. Because of this privilege, we felt we really got to see ‘inside’ Costa Rica. My son got some great photos too.”

—BEN D.



THE HEART OF THE TRIP IS THE SHIP

YOUR SHIP IS A MOVING BASECAMP, OUTFITTED WITH TOOLS FOR EXPLORATION

and staffed with talented and friendly stewards and chefs who prepare delectable meals daily and ensure your complete comfort. It abounds with public spaces for gathering with new friends and quiet nooks where you can relax on your own or in a small group. It is ideal for families since it allows kids and adults to enjoy some freedom and space to stretch out on their own and then gather for daily rituals like Recap, meals, and wildlife watching.



Meet up at the deck rail. There's plenty of room for everyone to watch dolphins surfing our bow wake.

Morning starts with an optional stretch on the sundeck. Or stay in bed if you prefer. (Only stretchers get the smoothie of the day.)

Kids, meet your fellow National Geographic Global Explorers in the Lounge each morning to go over the plans for the day's adventure.

Gather on the Bridge to learn from the officers about navigation. Or take a family pic next to the GPS as we sail across the Equator or Arctic Circle.

Get out and go! Our nimble Zodiacs and kayaks mean we're off the ship, not waiting around.

What's going on beneath the ship? Find out! See the images our undersea specialist captures on dives or by manning an ROV.

Never miss a beat—spotters keep a lookout for wildlife, and you can keep an eye out too, through the panoramic windows.







KIDS, GET YOUR ZODIAC DRIVER'S LICENSE

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC GLOBAL EXPLORERS, OUR EXCLUSIVE family program, is aboard all ships in Alaska, Galápagos, and Baja California. Developed in conjunction with National Geographic Education, this unique exploration-based program provides an unforgettable “smart fun” experience. Kids and teens choose cool activities from earning a Zodiac “driver’s license” to recording wildlife sightings in their official Field Notebook—all designed to help them develop the attitudes, skills, and knowledge of an explorer. They’ll have an opportunity to:

- ✓ **First and foremost, have fun!**
They’ll swim, snorkel, paddle-board, kayak, and much more with newfound friends and create lifelong memories.
- ✓ **Benefit from National Geographic certified field educators:** Our naturalists, designated as National Geographic certified field educators, optimize daily learning opportunities and fun for families.
- ✓ **Connect with nature:** They’ll have direct contact with wildlife and wonders above and below the sea, such as snorkeling with sea lions or identifying whale flukes from the ship’s bow.
- ✓ **Learn to be a storyteller:**
Using photos, video, music, writing and more, kids and teens will be encouraged to use their creativity to tell stories about the unique things they’ll do and see along the way.
- ✓ **Develop their observation skills:** Daily “In the Field: Spot It!” activities will prompt kids to watch out for a particular item, like a creature with scales, then record their observations in their Field Notebook.

▶ Learn more at expeditions.com/family

“Having direct access to a naturalist was a real bonus. We could ask questions whenever we wanted and I got to learn about what I was interested in. Working in the Field Notebook was a good way to reflect on what I did each day and capture what I saw, learned, and experienced. Meeting other kids from across the U.S. was cool too. I made some lasting connections and had a lot of fun!”

— BRIDGET GOLDBERG
National Geographic Quest Guest



A DAY IN THE LIFE OF THE NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC GLOBAL EXPLORERS PROGRAM

7:00AM | UP ON THE SUNDECK

Hop into an expedition landing craft and zip along the shore and then hike in search of wildlife and strange and interesting plant life. In Alaska, spot a bald eagle fishing. In Galápagos, observe sunbathing marine iguanas. Snap photos with your smartphone and jot notes in your Field Notebook.

10:00AM | MICROSCOPIC EXPLORATION

Drop a net over the side of your expedition landing craft to collect plankton, then check it out under a video microscope to see how this tiny creature looks and moves.

1:00PM | VIDEO SHOOT

After lunch, meet your Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructor or the ship's video chronicler in the Lounge and get some tips on how to create impressive slow-motion and time-lapse videos, then test out those new skills in the field.

2:00PM | LICENSE TO EXPLORE

Time to drive! Learn to operate our expedition landing craft and earn your license. (Sorry adults, kids only.)

4:00PM | WILDLIFE LIST

Before dinner, meet up in the Lounge to go over all the wildlife you saw and mark it down in your Field Notebook. Add the day's points to your tally so that you can keep track of your progress on becoming certified as a National Geographic Global Explorer.

8:00PM | NIGHT SKY

After dinner, head to the top deck to watch the stars come out as the sun goes down. Find new constellations with the help of your naturalist and make notes of them.





EXPLORE WITH COOL TOOLS AND A PHOTOGRAPHER AT YOUR SIDE

OUR EXPEDITION SHIPS ARE UNIQUELY EQUIPPED WITH

cool tools for exploring. On every departure, kids of all ages can choose from an array of tools to enhance their expedition experience. Kayaks; stand-up paddleboards; snorkel gear, including shorty wetsuits, in sizes for all (and yours for the duration of the voyage). In addition, video microscopes, bow cams, and expedition landing craft provide intriguing perspectives on the region you're exploring.

Every expedition sails with a Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructor, and some ships with a National Geographic photographer who can help you with everything from camera settings to the basics of composition. Whether you shoot with the latest DSLR or your iPhone, you'll pick up tips in the field on photo walks and hands-on demonstrations in the ship's lounge. You're guaranteed to go home with some card-worthy family photos—and some new photo skills to put to use on your own.



STRESS-FREE FAMILY TRAVEL

LET US HANDLE ALL THE DETAILS OF YOUR TRIP, AND STRING

together every element for a seamless, stress-free experience.

We'll help you book flights, arrange transfers, make sure you get everywhere in time, and book accommodations before or after your expedition if you want to arrive early or linger later. Whether you're a hyper-busy parent planning the family vacation around a dozen other tasks, or the clan's travel planner determining where the family is going this year, we make your task easy. We create a seamless experience with a richly rewarding itinerary.

Once you're aboard our ship, enjoy choice and flexibility for the whole family. Kids are picky eaters? Our chef has kid-friendly meals. Grandparents or young children prefer not to take longer hikes? We have you covered with activities tiered for every fitness level and age group to ensure multi-generational fun. And that choice extends to what individual family members want to do—photography walks, hiking, kayaking, snorkeling, and more.





EXPEDITIONS TIMED FOR THE HOLIDAYS ARE IDEAL FOR FAMILIES

TAKE A BREAK FROM USUAL HOLIDAY ROUTINES BY TAKING THE FAMILY on an expedition. Select departures, timed for the holiday season, offer a chance to make meaningful connections in some of the planet's most spectacular places. Take the stress out of holiday gatherings by letting us handle everything. Choose to spend the holidays snorkeling with sea lions in Baja California, sitting on the beach with marine iguanas in Galápagos, observing penguin antics in Antarctica, or swimming in waterfall pools in Costa Rica & Panama—all have holiday sailings, and like all of our expeditions, any one of them is right for families.





GALÁPAGOS

“One of the things that I find extraordinary about Galápagos—a tremendous number, particularly in the summer, of our guests are multi-generation—a grandfather and a grandmother taking their kids and their grandkids. And what’s fun about it is that you’re not separated. The interest of a child and the interest of an adult are aligned. So, when I take my kids there, every day we wake up and we do whatever we do together and are delighted to do it together. And that’s a wonderful, wonderful thing to do.”

—SVEN-OLOF LINDBLAD, CEO

▶ Learn more at expeditions.com/galapagos





ALASKA

*“My career goals have changed because of you!
Now I want to be a naturalist. Next time I come
back, I’m wearing your [black staff] shirt!”*

—MARIANA T., NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC
GLOBAL EXPLORER, 14 YEARS OLD

▶ Learn more at expeditions.com/alaska

BAJA CALIFORNIA THE SEA OF

*“Watching humpback whales breach is so cool!
They jumped out of the water so high that you
could feel their splash when they hit the water.”*

—EMMA R., 7 YEARS OLD

▶ Learn more at expeditions.com/baja



A & CORTEZ





THE ARCTIC

“When you do go out and do things you’ve never done before, you learn that life isn’t the way it is for you that it is for everyone else in the world. Everyone has a different experience in life, and I feel like stepping out of that comfort zone that you’ve developed, that sort of bubble, is really necessary to see the bigger world. I feel like traveling, going into nature...it just makes you feel like you’re part of something bigger than just you or a few other people.”

— CHARLOTTE FISHER, YOUNG EXPLORER AND HONORARY
LINDBLAD-NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC JUNIOR NATURALIST

▶ Learn more at expeditions.com/arctic



A group of people, mostly wearing blue jackets, are playing in a large, deep snowdrift. In the foreground, a young girl in a blue jacket and black pants is sliding down the snow, her arms outstretched. Other people are visible in the background, some sitting on the snow and others standing. The scene is set in a snowy, open landscape under a cloudy sky.

ANTARCTICA

*“Zodiac landings—I’ve never seen something so awesome!
Every single day that we were in Antarctica we went on
these Zodiac motorboats to take pics of wildlife, climb up
mountains, slide down snow—it’s just so fun.”*

—AARON G., 12 YEARS OLD

▶ Learn more at expeditions.com/antarctica





COSTA RICA & PANAMA

"I was looking forward to getting out of school for a week and being able to swim a lot and stuff. Swimming in the rainforest was pretty awesome. The water was great. The food has been really great. The rooms are really nice. Being on a boat is all-around fun. The sun is great, because up in Kentucky we're snowed in right now."

—WILL W., 13 YEARS OLD

► Learn more at expeditions.com/wild

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SPECIAL OFFERS: Offers are available on select departures, and based on availability at the time of booking. On voyages with complimentary air offers, airfare is based on economy group flights that must be ticketed by Lindblad Expeditions. In the case that Lindblad's group or charter flights are no longer available at time of booking, we reserve the right to issue a credit. All offers are valid for new bookings only, subject to availability at the time of booking, and may not be combined with other offers and pre- and post-extensions. Call for details.

FREE GALÁPAGOS ROUND-TRIP AIR: Book now for free round-trip air from Miami—or, from \$249 and \$349 from popular home cities—on select departures. Upgrade to Business Class starting from \$750, subject to availability. Offer on American Airlines only, economy class. Free air offer includes internal flights between mainland Ecuador and Galápagos. All offers are valid for new bookings only, must be ticketed by Lindblad Expeditions and are subject to availability at time of booking. In the case that offered Miami flights are no longer available, Lindblad reserves the right to issue a credit.

25% SAVINGS FOR KIDS IN BAJA: Save 25% on kids 22 and under when traveling with 2 full paying adults on select Baja departures. Valid for new bookings only, subject to availability, not applicable on extensions, and may not be combined with other offers.

BAR TAB AND WI-FI INCLUDED: Travel aboard any *National Geographic Endeavour II* voyage and we will cover your bar tab. Complimentary bar offer excludes certain premium brands

of alcohol. Free Wi-Fi, up to one hour a day per person aboard any *National Geographic Endeavour II* departure.

BRINGING THE KIDS: We believe sharing an expedition with your kids or grandkids is a life-enhancing experience. So take \$500 off for each child under the age of 18.

BACK-TO-BACK SAVINGS: Save 10% on any consecutive journeys taken on board our expedition ships. This savings is applicable on voyage fares only, and are not valid on extensions or airfare.

WILD ESCAPES INTRODUCTORY OFFER: TRAVEL WITH 6 OR MORE & SAVE 10%: Traveling with family or sharing an adventure with friends often doubles the pleasure. So, we're doubling the incentive on select departures—save 10% when traveling as a group of 6 or more on select Wild Escape voyages. Details at expeditions.com/wild-escapes.

On dates not included in this introductory offer, save 5% when traveling as a group of 8 or more. These savings are applicable to voyage fares only, and are not valid on extensions or airfare. Deposit, final payments, and cancellation policies for group travel vary from our regular policies.

COMBINING OFFERS: Certain offers may be combinable, up to two savings opportunities except where noted otherwise. For example, travel with a group of 8 or more on back-to-back expeditions, and take advantage of both savings!

INCLUSIVE PRICING, EXCEPTIONAL VALUE

We believe the most exhilarating discoveries are the ones you share with your kids and grandkids—and we hope you'll be inspired to join us and see for yourself with these special savings. Just about everything you'll have the opportunity to do as part of your expedition is included—from meals and beverages aboard ship to activities and excursions onshore. The only additional charges are for items of a personal nature—alcohol, Wi-Fi, crew tips, wellness treatments, and other specialized arrangements.

ABOARD SHIP

- ✓ All meals and non-alcoholic beverages
- ✓ Cappuccinos, lattes & complimentary refillable water bottle
- ✓ 24-hour coffee, tea & soda on demand
- ✓ Hors d'oeuvres & snacks during lounge recap
- ✓ Fitness center
- ✓ Fully stocked library
- ✓ The guidance and company of our expedition staff

ASHORE

- ✓ Meals on land, as indicated in itinerary
- ✓ Special access permits, park fees, port taxes
- ✓ Transfers to and from group flights
- ✓ The expertise of our expedition staff

ACTIVITIES

- ✓ All excursions
- ✓ Zodiac & kayak explorations
- ✓ Snorkeling and paddleboarding (where indicated)
- ✓ Lectures & presentations in the lounge

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on kids, free air & more. Alaska, Baja
& Galápagos on select dates!
Act now! See page 32.

