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# DAILY program



**MSC OPERA** Thursday, 8 January 2015

4:37

18:43

TODAY'S FORECAST



24°C min  
29°C max

## FROM THE BRIDGE

**\*5:30** Arrival 9 January  
**DURBAN**

Distance from  
Port Louis to Durban:  
1550 nautical miles

Did you remember to  
move your clocks **BACK** by  
**1 HOUR** last night?

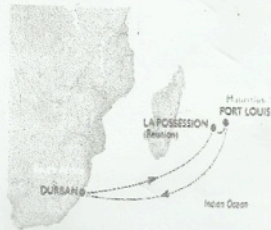


\* Weather Permitting.

## NAUTICAL INFORMATION

We will navigate with a course of 252° across the south western part of the Indian Ocean and head for our next destination Durban. The Indian Ocean is the third largest of the world's oceanic divisions, covering approximately 20% of the water on the Earth's surface. It is bounded by Asia on the north, on the west by Africa, on the east by Australia, and on the south by the Southern Ocean (or, depending on definition, by Antarctica). The average depth of the ocean is 3,890m (12,762 ft). Its deepest point is Diamantina Deep in Diamantina Trench, at 8,047 m (26,401 ft) deep; also sometimes considered is Sunda Trench, at a depth of 7,258-7,725 m (23,812-25,344 ft).

Suggested dress tonight:  
**CASUAL**



## AT SEA

The ship will now spend another full day at sea. It's the perfect time to enjoy the numerous activities organized by our team and the many entertainment opportunities onboard. From the swimming pools to the spa, from the shops to the bars, you can do as much or as little as you please.

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT DISEMBARKATION IN DURBAN

Your cruise is coming to an end. We hope you have enjoyed many wonderful moments on board. We look forward to seeing at least one member of your family or group at this meeting about disembarkation procedures. Thank you very much for your co-operation.

**10:00, Teatro dell'Opera, decks 5 & 6**

## SCATEGORIES

Creativity is the name of the game in 'Scattogories', a team event where we award points for the most original answers.

So if you're feeling inspired, come and join in the fun!

**11:00, Caruso Lounge, deck 7**

## MSC POP IDOLS

Support your fellow Guests to see who has what it takes to be the next MSC Pop Idol. Our celebrity judges include Danny Fisher, Shameem Kardashian and Simon Bowel.

**15:00, Teatro dell'Opera, decks 5 & 6**  
**Auditions: 11:30, Teatro dell'Opera, decks 5 & 6**

## DID YOU KNOW...?

### MASTERS OF THE SEA AT YOUR SERVICE

At MSC, we have a long and grand history of sailing. Having explored the seas for over 300 years, we're now the world's second-largest shipping company, with almost 450 vessels sailing to all corners of the globe. With such a large fleet, you can feel assured that this mastery of the sea is evident in everything we do. Our expertise, passion and professionalism can be relied upon to provide a host of truly enriching experiences for our guests on every cruise.

## FROM THE EXCURSION OFFICE

Only a few places left for Durban Excursions. Don't delay! Come to the Excursion Office.

Excursion Office - Deck 5

## IMPORTANT TO KNOW ALCOHOL POLICY

Guests over the age of 18 may purchase alcoholic drinks on board. No beverages may be brought on board for use during the cruise. Any bottles found in carry-on baggage on your return from your time ashore will be held and returned to you at the end of the cruise.

## LOST & FOUND OBJECTS

If you misplace something or find something that may have been lost by someone else, please report to the **Guest Services - Reception, deck 5.**

## BACK TO BACK CRUISES

We kindly ask guests who will be remaining on board the MSC Opera for the next cruise to bring their tickets to the **Guest services - Reception, deck 5.**

## TRANSFER SERVICE

If you need a transfer from port to King Shaka International Airport you can ask for information and assistance at the **Guest Services - Reception Desk, deck 5 before 15:00.**

## BEACH AND POOL TOWELS & DECK CHAIRS

Deck chairs are available on the pool and sun decks and in the aft section of most accommodation decks. Chairs may not be reserved or held unused for long periods. Towels are provided in your cabin for both beach and pool use. After usage they can be placed in the bathroom of your cabin, where they will be replaced with fresh ones by our crew every night. Towels may not be left at the pool area or at the beach. In case towels are not returned, the amount of **20 USD** will be charged to your onboard bill. In order to keep the deck areas tidy, any item left unattended more than 30 minutes may be removed and taken to Reception - Guest Services, deck 5.

## ENTERTAINMENT HIGHLIGHTS

### TEATRO DELL'OPERA

Tonight  
your Cruise Director  
**Stephen**  
presents:

**BOLLYWOOD**  
Dedicated to India

With the MSC Opera  
International  
Dancers and Artists



Please note that due to copyright restrictions, the use of recording devices, such as video cameras and mobile phones, is not permitted during performances. The theatre is strictly non-smoking environment and food and drink is not permitted. Strobe lighting, laser and smoke effects will be used during performances. These are harmless and non-toxic. Please also remember that reserving seats is not allowed in the theatre. Thank you and enjoy the show.

**Decks 5 & 6 19:00 - Guests with 2nd seating dinner**  
**21:00 - Guests with 1st seating dinner**

### CREATIVITY WHILE CRUISING

**Today:** Learn how to make an Angel with the help of our expert Instructors, Rosaria and Pasquale.  
**Adults Only.** Maximum 50 Participants.

**10:00 - 12:00 & 15:00 - 17:00, Cotton Club, deck 6**

### WIN UP TO \$ 25,000 IN TODAY'S MEGA BINGO GAME!

Complete your card within the first 40 numbers called to win **\$ 25,000!** Hit the jackpot between 41 and 44 numbers and win **\$ 10,000!**

Buy your cards 30 minutes before the game starts.  
Torn cards will not be accepted.

**11:30, Pool, deck 11**  
**16:30, Pool, deck 11**

In case of bad weather, the activities will take place in the Piazza di Spagna, deck 5

### BOLLYWOOD DANCE LESSON

Learn to dance and impress your friends!  
Our entertainment team is ready to teach you some amazing moves.

**19:45, Cotton Club, deck 6**

### CLUB QUIZ

Our nightly pub style quiz is great for teams and solo players.  
Bring your friends or make new ones and see who will be crowned brains of the day.

**22:15, Cotton Club, deck 6**

### WHAT'S THAT GAME?

With the Entertainment Team.

**22:15, Piazza di Spagna, deck 5**

### DISCO NIGHT

With DJ Q'ba

**22:45, Byblos Disco, deck 12**

## SERVICES & OPENING HOURS

Time	Telephone	Deck
<b>MEDICAL EMERGENCY:</b> 1111		
<b>RECEPTION - Guest Service</b>		
24hr	99	5
<b>WAKE-UP SERVICE</b>		
Push * # and 24hr format time		
<b>ROOM SERVICE</b>		
24hr	99	
Snacks and beverages from our Room Service menu and Bar Lists are available 24 hours a day. Except in cases of illness, restaurant meals are not available in cabins.		
<b>MEDICAL CENTRE (charges apply)</b>		
9:00-12:00 16:00-20:00	2360	7
<b>EXCURSION OFFICE</b>		
9:00-12:00 17:00-20:00	2239	5
<b>CRUISE CONSULTANT</b>		
10:00 - 12:00 15:00 - 18:00 (Pool Deck) 20:00 - 22:00	Guest Services - Reception Area	5
<b>DUTY FREE SHOP (Tobacco, Spirits and Snacks)</b>		
9:30-24:00	2221	5
<b>JEWELLERY</b>		
9:30-24:00	2254	5
<b>BOUTIQUE</b>		
9:30-24:00	2255	5
<b>PERFUMERY</b>		
9:30-24:00	2252	5
<b>GALLERY</b>		
9:30-24:00		5
<b>INTERNET</b>		
24hr		6
<b>PHOTO SHOP-PHOTOGRAPHERS</b>		
9:00- 23:30	2333	6
<b>CASINO (minimum age: 18+)</b>		
Tables: From 13:00	2322	6
Slot Machines: From 10:00		6
<b>LIBRARY</b>		
Returns to the Guest Services Reception		
<b>POOLS AND WHIRPOOLS</b>		
7:00-22:00		11
Any towels left unattended on loungers or objects left unattended on deck for more than 30 minutes may be removed and taken to Reception - Guest Service.		
<b>FITNESS CENTRE</b>		
6:00-22:00		11
The Gym welcomes guests aged 14 years and over, from 06:00 to 22:00 each day. Please wear appropriate sportswear, including sneakers. So that everyone can have a go, we ask you not to spend more than 20 minutes on any individual piece of equipment.		
<b>FITNESS INSTRUCTOR</b>		
17:00-19:00		11
<b>MSC AUREA SPA</b>		
9:00-21:00	2555	11
<b>BEAUTY SALON</b>		
9:00-21:00	2555	11
<b>MINI &amp; JUNIOR'S CLUB - BUFFALO BILL</b>		
9:00-12:00 14:00-15:30 18:00-23:00	2560	11
<b>YOUNG &amp; TEENS CLUB C/O BYBLOS DISCO</b>		
10:00-12:00 15:00-18:00 20:00-23:30		12

# DAILY planner

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AT SEA

## BREAKFAST, DINING & SNACKS

Time	Service	Deck
<b>Buffet Il Patio &amp; Le Vele available 20h/24</b>		
24h/24	Coffee, tea, water, ice and creamers	11
6:30 - 7:00	Early Bird Breakfast	
7:00 - 10:00	Breakfast	
10:00 - 11:45	Continental Breakfast	
12:00 - 15:00	Buffet Lunch	
12:00 - 24:00	Pizzeria	
12:00 - 16:00 18:30 - 22:00	Grill	
16:00 - 17:00	Afternoon snacks	
18:30 - 22:00	Dinner	
22:00 - 2:15	Make your own Sandwich	
<b>La Caravella, Restaurant</b>		5
7:30 - 9:30	Breakfast	
12:00 - 14:00	Lunch	
18:00	1 <sup>st</sup> Dinner seating	
20:15	2 <sup>nd</sup> Dinner seating	
<b>L'Approdo, Restaurant</b>		6
18:00	1 <sup>st</sup> Dinner seating	
20:15	2 <sup>nd</sup> Dinner seating	
In order to offer you the best service, please respect the above times. Restaurant doors will close 15 min after the start of each dinner sitting.		

## SERVICES

Time	Location	Deck
<b>Croissants</b>		
7:30 - 12:00	Piazza di Spagna	5
<b>Breakfast - Room Service</b>		
7:30 - 10:00	Cabin breakfast; complete door/knob menu and place outside the door before 2:00 on desired morning.	
<b>Pizza Delivery (charges apply)</b>		
20:00 - 24:00	tel. 99 (Guests Services - Reception)	cabin
<b>24-hour Room Service</b>		
Snacks and beverages from our Room Service menu and Bar Lists are available 24 hours a day. Except in cases of illness, restaurant meals are not available in cabins.		

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## TODAY'S ACTIVITIES

	TIME	ACTIVITIES	LOCATION	DECK
MORNING	9:00 12:00	<b>Meeting Point!</b> Please note that sports equipment, board games and playing cards are available on request.	Pool*	11
	9:00	Stretching	Pool*	11
	9:30	Zumba	Pool*	11
	10:00	Good Morning Game	Pool*	11
	10:00	Kids Workshop	Mini Club	11
	10:00 12:00	Arts & Crafts with Rosaria & Pasquale "Angel" Maximum 50 Participants	Cotton Club	6
	10:30	Stick Game	Pool*	11
	10:30	Table Soccer Tournament	Mini Golf Area	13
	11:00	Scattergories	Caruso Lounge	7
	11:00	Movie Quiz	Pool*	11
	11:30	MSC Pop Idols -Auditions	Teatro dell'Opera	5/6
	11:30	Mega Bingo	Pool*	11
	AFTERNOON	15:00 17:00	<b>Meeting Point!</b> Please note that sports equipment, board games and playing cards are available on request.	Pool*
15:00 17:00		Arts & Crafts with Rosaria & Pasquale "Angel" Maximum 50 Participants	Cotton Club	6
15:00		Target Shooting	Pool*	11
15:00		MSC Pop Idols	Teatro dell'Opera	5/6
15:30		Balloon Ball	Pool*	11
16:00		Kids Talent Show	Caruso Lounge	7
16:00		Can Crush	Pool*	11
EVENING	16:30	Mega Bingo	Pool*	11
	19:45	Bollywood Dance Lesson	Cotton Club	6
	22:15	Club Quiz	Cotton Club	5
	22:15	What's that Game?	Piazza di Spagna	5
	From 22:45	Disco Night with DJ Q'ba	Byblos Disco	12

\*In case of bad weather, the activities will take place in the Piazza di Spagna, deck 5



## MUSIC ON BOARD

**"MUSIC & BEER..."**  
Pop...and good beer with  
Lorenzo  
From 18:15  
Sottovento Pub - Deck 5

**"CHEEK TO CHEEK"**  
International music with  
Middle Sea  
From 18:15  
Piazza di Spagna - Deck 5

**"A SONG FOR YOU"**  
Listen to the most beautiful classics ever written,  
performed by  
Easy Sound Duo  
From 17:30  
La Cabala - Deck 6

**PUT ON THOSE DANCING SHOES!!"**  
International music and lots of fun with  
Crystal Harmony and Trio Jak  
From 17:30  
Cotton Club - Deck 6

**"DANCE"**  
With  
2Unique  
From 11:45  
Pool - Deck 11

Note: during live performances musicians may take short breaks between sets.

## BARS & LOUNGES

Time	Bar	Deck
From 7:00	Sottovento Pub	5
From 7:00	Piazza di Spagna	5
17:00-24:00	Aroma Coffee Bar	6
From 17:30	La Cabala Piano Bar	6
From 10:00	Casino Bar	6
From 17:30	Cotton Club	6
From 7:00	Il Patio Pool Bar	11
From 8:00	Spinnaker Pool Bar	11
9:00-18:00	Ice Cream Bar	11
From 22:30	Byblos Disco Bar	12

## TODAY'S MOVIES

IN YOUR CABIN

CHANNEL 24	CHANNEL 25	CHANNEL 26
1:15 BLACK COFFEE	1:30 VERONICA MARS	00:15 THE AMAZING SPIDER-MAN 2
3:00 CUBAN FURY	3:30 MONS NIGHT OUT	3:00 HERMIES FOR REAL
05:00 BAD WORDS	5:30 CLOUD 9	5:00 ABOUT LAST NIGHT
06:45 A FAREWELL TO FOOLS	7:15 GODZILLA (2014)	7:00 EYELESS LOVE
08:30 REDWOOD HIGHWAY	9:45 BLENDED	9:00 MALEFICENT
10:15 LOCKE	12:00 GRUDGE MATCH!	11:00 VERONICA MARS
12:00 PAYCHECK TO PAYCHECK	14:15 BLACK COFFEE	13:00 MONS NIGHT OUT
13:30 WORDS AND PICTURES	16:00 CUBAN FURY	15:00 CLOUD 9
15:45 IN SECRET	18:00 BAD WORDS	16:45 GODZILLA (2014)
17:45 IN MY DREAMS	19:45 A FAREWELL TO FOOLS	19:00 BLENDED
19:45 HALF OF A YELLOW SUN	21:30 REDWOOD HIGHWAY	21:15 GRUDGE MATCH
22:00 SHORT TERM 12	23:15 LOCKE	23:30 BLACK COFFEE