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First Cruise Ship Arrival of the Season

CORNER BROOK – Corner Brook Port Corporation will welcome the first ship of the 2013 cruise season on Monday, June 3. The *Oceania Marina* will arrive in port at 8 a.m. and spend a full day in port, departing at 6 p.m. The ship, which made its debut in 2011, has a capacity of 1,250 passengers and 800 crew.

Marina is one of five ships from the fleet of Oceania Cruise Line, a company whose speciality is offering sophisticated, personalized service aboard its mid-sized cruise ships. While the Oceania vessel *Regatta* visited Corner Brook several times during 2011 and 2012, Monday's visit will be the Marina's inaugural call to Corner Brook Port. Some of the more unique offerings offering onboard Marina and her sister vessel Riviera include a hands-on cooking school and an artists-in-residence program.

Upon departure from Corner Brook, the vessel will visit L'Anse Aux Meadows on June 4. The 16 Day Viking Passage itinerary began in New York on May 26 and will conclude on June 11 in Southampton, UK.

Corner Brook Port Corporation is expecting 13 cruise ship visits this season. Following the first call on June 3, the next scheduled call will be August 23 when the Amadea from the Phoenix Reisen Cruise Line arrives. A complete list of scheduled calls for 2013 can be found at www.cornerbrookport.com.

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BACKGROUND:

Oceania Marina Itinerary: 16 Day Viking Passage

Dates: May 26 - June 11, 2013

New York, New York; At Sea; Bar Harbour, Maine; Halifax, Nova Scotia; Sydney, Nova Scotia; At Sea; Quebec City, Quebec; At Sea; **Corner Brook, Newfoundland** ; L'Anse Aux Meadows, Newfoundland; At Sea; At Sea; At Sea; Cork, Ireland; Dublin, Ireland; Falmouth, UK; Southampton, UK