THE METTA DANCE TRAVEL SERIES FEBRUARY 2026 WESTERN CARIBBEAN CRUISE FREQUENTLY-ASKED QUESTIONS

What are the dates to know?

The cruise departs from Fort Lauderdale, Florida on the afternoon of February 8, 2026 and returns to port in Fort Lauderdale on the morning of February 14, 2026.

What is the timeline?

We have reserved a limited number of rooms specifically for Metta Dance guests, and this enables us to secure special prices. The rules around the group reservation include some timelines that must be met, so we do ask you to make your booking as soon as you have made your decision to attend. The stated prices are valid until October 9, 2025 or until the reserved block of staterooms is sold, whichever occurs first.

What are the stateroom categories and what are the costs?

- *Prime Inside Stateroom: \$1878 Canadian per person, based on double occupancy
- *Veranda (Partial View): \$2036 Canadian per person, based on double occupancy
- *Prime Ocean View: \$2049 Canadian per person, based on double occupancy
- *Veranda Stateroom: \$2066 Canadian per person, based on double occupancy

These prices are valid until all reserved staterooms are sold, or until October 9, 2025.

What is included?

Taxes, fees, and port expenses. Breakfast, lunch, and dinner in a variety of onboard restaurants and cafes. Onboard theatre shows, live music, events, parties, and activities. Your rate also includes Celebrity's classic drinks package and basic wifi package.

What is not included?

Airfare, transfer to and from the ship, onboard gratuities (approximately \$18 USD per guest, per day), organized shore excursions, room service, specialty dining experiences. Metta Dance's organized classes onboard the ship are not included in the cruise price, with payment for those sessions being collected by Metta Dance.

The listed prices are for double occupancy. What if I am not travelling with a companion?

If you will be travelling solo but would like to find another group member with whom to share a stateroom, please let me know. I will maintain a list of travellers who are looking for roommates, and we will do our best to put you in touch with other travellers in the same circumstance.

Single-occupancy staterooms are available at 200% of the double-occupancy fare.

When is payment due for my cruise?

Your stateroom on the cruise will be secured with a non-refundable deposit of \$100 per room at the time of booking. Additional payments will be due June 30 and September 1, 2025. Your reservation balance must be paid in full by November 3, 2025. I will be happy to process additional payments for you between now and November, as long as the above payment milestones are met.

What are the cancellation dates?

The initial \$100 payment is non-refundable. Subsequent payments are refundable until November 9, 2025. Cancellation penalties apply thereafter.

I'm ready to proceed with a reservation. What are the steps?

- 1. Once you've decided upon your preferred stateroom category, reach out to me at heather@windwayeswands.com
- 2. I will need to collect some information from you in order to proceed with her reservation, and I'll send you some secure links to forms to submit those details.
 - 1. First, the personal information for everyone in your travel party, including passport information.
 - 2. Next, a payment acknowledgement, an insurance acknowledgement, and a credit card authorization.
 - 3. Finally, please email me your credit card's CVV (three-digit code), as this detail is not collected or stored together with the rest of the credit card information.
- 3. When I have all of the above details, I will be able to reserve your place on the sailing and I'll send you a confirmation.

I also need flight arrangements. Can you help?

Yes, absolutely! If you need help with flights, hotels, or ground transfers I'll be glad to help with those details as well. Let me know what you're looking for and I'll be glad to give you a guote.

What about insurance?

It's important to consider travel insurance. I always recommend that guests have adequate insurance coverage for unexpected circumstances such as delays, cancellations, or medical needs while away from home. The insurance acknowledgement form I will send you (mentioned above) offers some food for thought as to why travel insurance can be beneficial. It's my responsibility as a travel advisor to make you aware of the availability of policies to cover various situations you may encounter. By returning the form, you're confirming that you've received that information from me. If you decide you need insurance, I recommend the travel policies offered by Manulife. Please visit this link and choose which coverage suits you best, then let me know and I will arrange it for you.

I still have questions!

Please email me at heather@windwaveswands.com with any questions.

Let's chat soon! The sail date will be here sooner than you think! I look forward to hearing from you!

