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# SECTION No. 1

# BACKGROUND



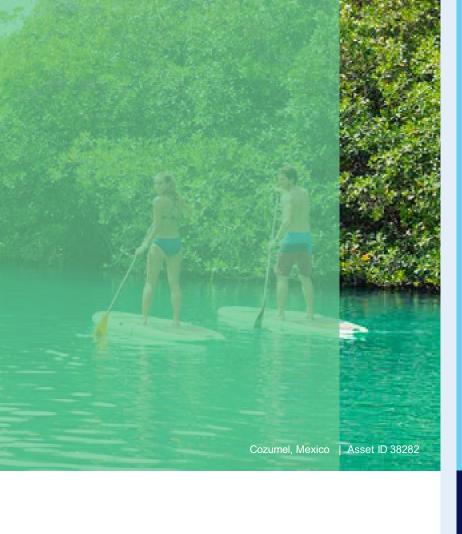


**WE BELIEVE** that life is best lived when filled with as much adventure as possible. So **WE INSPIRE** adventures that expand your horizons, bring you to life and connect you to people.



# OUR TARGET: SEEKERS

Being a seeker isn't about age, demographic, or affinity for cruising —it's about attitude. They are culturally curious, new experience-craving explorers who prioritize travel in their lives, finding deep, meaningful value in going new places and seeing new things. They travel to foreign places to learn about other cultures. They bring the whole family together to bond, grow, and gain new perspectives. They believe the collection of these experiences is a huge part of who they are and the identity they reflect to everyone around them.





### **Travel**

More likely to seek adventure and new experiences when traveling on vacation.

Ideal feelings on vacation include excited, relaxed, rejuvenated and inspired.



### **Curiosity**

Experiences make up their identity, long after the quick hit of the humble-brag goes away.

Motivated by new destinations, excellent food, learning about culture and personal growth.



### Influence

First to try new things, and often influence their friends and family.

About 50% have kids, and want to provide their family with adventurous experiences.



# SECTION No. 2

# COME SEEK





WHAT IS COME SEEK?

Since launching in 2015, Come Seek has challenged cruising clichés with a distinct, clearly defined point of view. But this is not a campaign — it's an invitation to embrace adventure.



# HOW WE FILTER WORK

Bold adventures deserve bold marketing.

### Does it showcase adventure?

Showcase new experiences of all sorts — new foods, new cultures and new ways of interacting with nature are all great options.

### Is it challenging cruising conventions?

This is not a cruise — to make that claim, we have to back it up by depicting norm-defying experiences.

### Does it present the destination in a surprising way?

Come Seek is all about surprising people with unique, unexpected cultural adventures.

### Does it portray a journey within an experience?

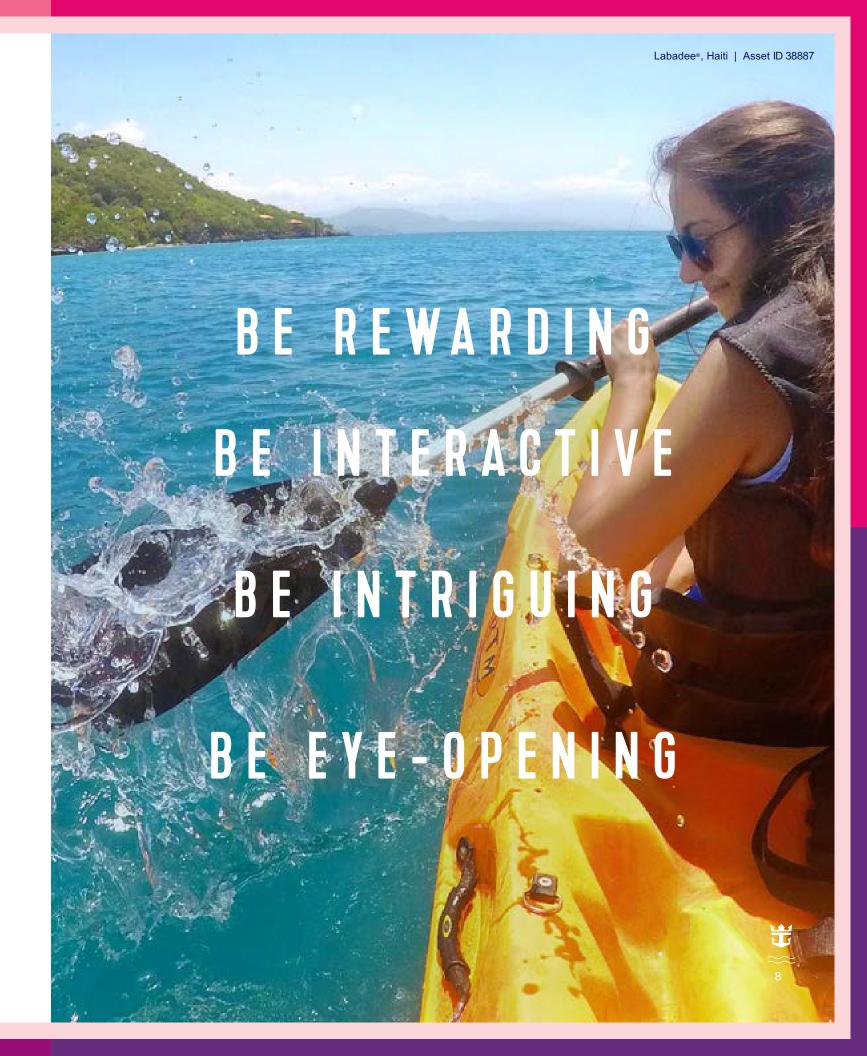
The ideal creative brings moments to life by conveying powerful emotions, like anticipation, bravery and joy.

### Does it speak to a diverse audience?

Focus on featuring a diverse representation, rather than a single target.

### Is it portraying authentic moments?

We want to represent real moments with real people — not anything overly polished or staged.



# SECTION No. 3

# CAMPAIGN ELEMENTS



# TONE GUIDANCE

The Come Seek campaign uses distinct language to portray our brand in an exciting and energetic way that evokes emotion. We use descriptive phrases and vibrant details to engage the reader, while keeping in mind certain distinctions.

**WE ARE** 

Clever

Conversational

Friendly

**Adventurous** 

**Smart** 

**Emotive** 

WE ARE NOT

**Ha-ha Funny** 

**Forced Cool** 

**Overly Familiar** 

**Extreme** 

**Pretentious** 

Mushy



### **HEADLINE EXAMPLES**

# HEADLINES AND HOW THEY WORK

Headlines can be playful and fun. They may challenge convention and inspire the reader. Or they might remix a cliché. But they always say things in a distinct manner.

- Don't sacrifice clarity for the sake of cleverness the reader needs to understand what you're saying
- Our headlines omit all punctuation, so no hyphens, periods, commas, colons, etc. — grammar teachers will cringe, but the clean layouts will thank you
- The exception is the use of question marks when we write interrogative headlines for our yearly WAVE campaign, "Stop Wondering. Start Wandering."
- One option is to give an old saying a new spin
- Another is to use imperative phrases
- Rhyming and alliteration are useful too, as long as the language is bold and paints a picture

Classic Campaign Style

# THIS IS NO WAVE LEFT UNTURNED

Imperative / Product-focused

# WEEKEND LIKE YOU MEAN IT

YOU ARE YOUR OWN

SEARCH ENGINE

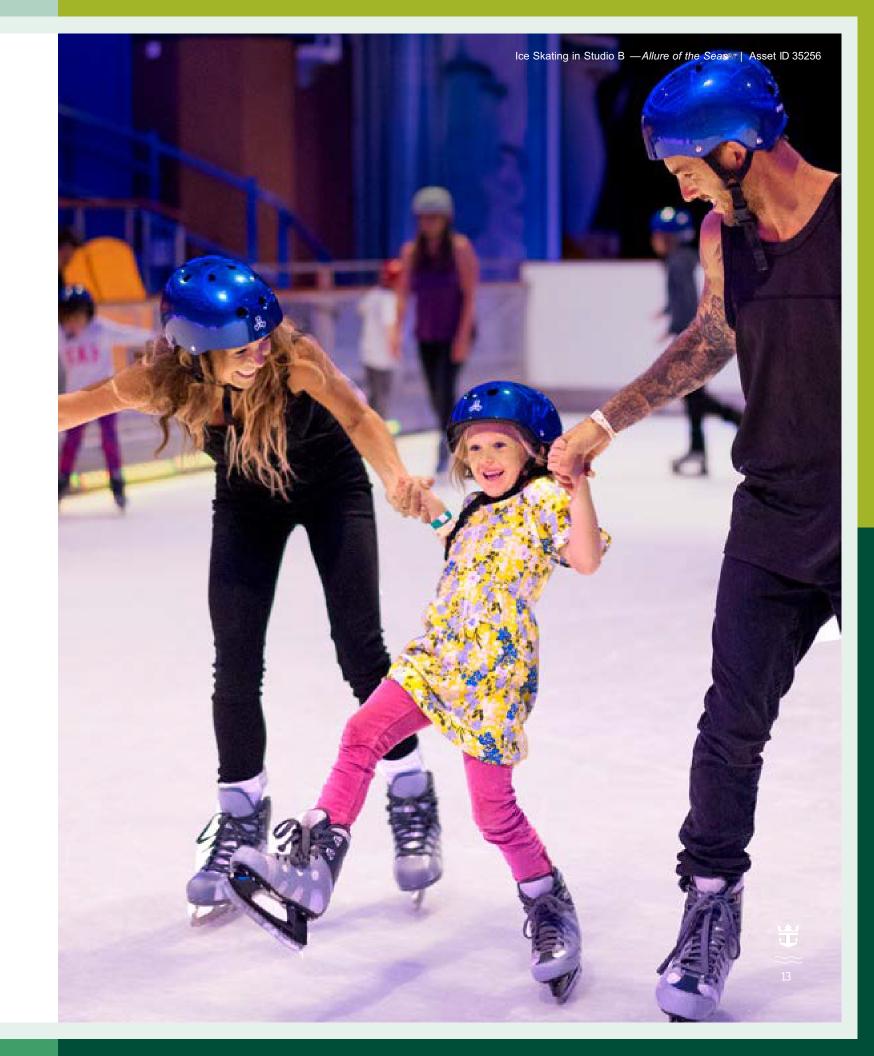
Stop Wondering. Start Wandering.

WHAT IF YOU PICK NOW OVER NEVER?

# WRITING BODY COPY

Body copy should be distinctive, but approachable. The tone is neither fancy nor dumbed down. It conjures imagery and moments. It's purposeful but still descriptive.

- Write as if you're speaking to a friend about an unexpected adventure.
- Avoid clichés and describing things the same old way.
   Whether through clever turn of phrase or rich description, say things in fresh ways.
- The language should be conversational.
- Content may adjust for the audience, but our voice should remain consistent.



# BRAND COPY EXAMPLES

FOR CURRENT TRADEMARKS IN USE
BY ROYAL CARIBBEAN, VISIT

WriteItRoyal.com

### SHIP FOCUSED

This is not a cruise. This is a perception remixing, memory maxing mic drop. It's adrenaline amping thrills. Edge-of-your-seat-inducing entertainment. And dining that hits all the high notes.

This is Symphony of the Seas®.

### **DESTINATION FOCUSED**

This is not the Caribbean. This is Piton peaking in St. Lucia, and rainforest roaming in St. Kitts. Bonaire flamingo bonding, and natural bridge bounding in Aruba. Come Seek the Royal Caribbean®.

### **EMOTIONAL FOCUS**

Sometimes, you have to disconnect to reconnect. Go for bolder bonding with the ones you love most on a whale shark dive in Cozumel. Link up with locals to learn how to dance salsa in San Juan, Puerto Rico. Fuel your competitive side onboard with glow-in-the-dark laser tag or share the thrill of racing to the bottom of the tallest slide at sea. Open yourself up to new adventures —and discover why Royal Caribbean was voted Best Overall 16 years running by Travel Weekly. Come Seek the Royal Caribbean®.

### WHY IT WORKS

The copy opens with a Come Seek pillar. What follows is a string of colorful, unexpected phrases that convey energy in a unique way, like "memory maxing" and "edge-of-your-seat-inducing". Also be sure to close with a brand statement about the ship, or an invitation to Come Seek the Royal Caribbean.

### WHY IT WORKS

Focusing on destination, this copy opens with "This is not the Caribbean," another Come Seek pillar. Phrases like "Piton peaking" and "rainforest roaming" use alliteration to add some brand personality.

### WHY IT WORKS

This copy delivers on our Phase Three strategy, drawing on emotive language to tell a deeper, richer story — but never sacrificing the energy or vibrancy that has been our campaign's calling card.

# RETAIL COPY EXAMPLES

FOR CURRENT TRADEMARKS IN USE
BY ROYAL CARIBBEAN, VISIT

WriteItRoyal.com

Retail promotions drive a large portion of our business, and communicating offers requires balance. Always highlight the value of the offer, but never make us sound tacky. We want to be sure we maintain the brand tone so we don't lose our greatest selling point — one-of-a-kind, unforgettable adventures — in lieu of a value opportunity.

### **CAMPAIGN PILLAR**

This is not a cruise. This is making a break from the cold and into the bold. Right now, you can save big on a winter-ditching getaway with 50% off your second guest —plus a bonus up to \$100 to spend at sea on *Anthem of the Seas*®. Ask your travel advisor for more ways to save. Come Seek the Royal Caribbean®.

### **MULT-COMPONENT OFFER**

You could scroll through memories. Or you can make your own. Get in touch with your wild side as you explore lush jungle trails in Belize —then discover the depths of your courage onboard by plunging down the tallest slide at sea, Ultimate Abyss<sup>SM</sup>. You'll save big on every adventure, because the WOW Sale is back. Book now and score up to \$300 off your next getaway, plus 50% off your second guest. And bring the whole family, because kids sail free.\* Come Seek the Royal Caribbean<sup>®</sup>.

### WHY IT WORKS

This example leans into one of our Come Seek pillars (This is not a cruise) and builds off of it using colorful language. Offer language is woven in in a way that still conveys energy through brand-appropriate word choice. When explaining offers, don't bog down the body copy by listing each component — that's what the lockup is for. Select any highlights or a component that may need further clarification.

### WHY IT WORKS

Similar to the brand example on the previous page, this retail copy delivers on our Phase Three strategy by tapping into the emotional benefits of adventure. Notice that it does so with a lighter touch in order to make the transition into offer language feel natural — too emotional and it could get jarring.

# TRADE FACING COPY EXAMPLES

FOR CURRENT TRADEMARKS IN USE BY ROYAL CARIBBEAN, VISIT

WriteItRoyal.com

Travel agents, whom we should always address as travel partners, are a critical part of our business. So it's important to keep them well informed of our latest promotions and news — and to show appreciation for selling their clients on our product. Because of their expertise, you should prioritize information differently. For example, there's no point in describing Caribbean locales to someone who's been selling that product for years.

### MARKETING FOCUSED

This is not a cruise. This is the Caribbean adventure of a lifetime onboard the world's most incredible ships. It's The Perfect Storm<sup>SM</sup> waterslide trio, family fun by the gallon at Splashaway BaySM, and dining that takes your clients from Italy to Wonderland. All while exploring the Caribbean's best shores.

### APPRECIATION FOCUSED

We've got plenty to celebrate this holiday season, and there's no one we'd rather share it with than you and your clients. We couldn't have done it without your passion for crafting one-of-a-kind experiences and entrusting those experiences to Royal Caribbean. Here's to a new year filled with adventure.

### WHY IT WORKS

When marketing to travel partners, keep in mind that — though they may need a vacation of their own — this product is for their clients, not them. Again, destination is their business and they know it well, but feel free to be descriptive of ship features.

### WHY IT WORKS

Frequently we let travel partners know just how grateful we are for their business. This should convey appreciation for their loyalty to the brand, and focus on our shared success.

# THE TOPIC OF CTAs

CTAs are how we urge the reader to take the action we're trying to drive. It can be direct, or it may feature a bit of brand tone, but remember that clarity is key.

- CTA's should have a maximum of 3 parts when Royal Caribbean speaks directly to consumers.
- There is flexibility in determining which CTA style works for a particular communication — or if a CTA is necessary in a particular piece of work.
- Trade collateral typically only drives to the agency, and we provide editable fields for travel partners to insert their info.
- Avoid using <u>"ww</u>w." in URLs and be sure to initial cap your URL to help with ease of reading.
- Visit <u>www.royalcaribbean.com</u>
- Visit RoyalCaribbean.com

### CTA EXAMPLES

Standard 3-part CTA

Call us at 1-800-Royal-Caribbean
Visit RoyalCaribbean.com
Contact your travel advisor

Trade collateral CTA

Contact your travel advisor today.

Enter Agency Name Here Enter phone and/or email



# ADDRESSING TRAVEL PARTNERS

We've already mentioned the importance of travel partners to our business — for many consumers they're the first step in booking a vacation. To show our appreciation and respect for these dedicated individuals, we no longer call them agents and instead use standardized language when speaking of them or to them.

### **CONSUMER FACING**

## **Travel Advisor**

This is the title we use any time we're referring to travel agents in a communication to consumers or guests.

Consumer Facing Example

Contact your travel advisor to book your adventure today

### TRADE FACING

## **Travel Partner**

When speaking directly to travel agents, we want to use this title to acknowledge their partnership in helping us deliver great vacations to their clients.

Trade Facing Example

Royal Caribbean is celebrating 50 years of big, bold adventures — and appreciation for you, our valued travel partners.





# ONLINE DIGITAL LIBRARY

All assets featured in the campaign guidelines are available on our Digital Library at **RCCLLibrary.com**. Here you can browse, preview, download and share assets. Below are some quick tips to get you started.

### Registration

From the login page, click the *Self Registration* button and complete the form. Then scroll to read the User Agreement and check the box to confirm you agree to the terms. A temporary password will be emailed to you shortly.

### Access

Go to <u>RCCLLibrary.com</u>, click the Royal Caribbean logo and log in using your Digital Library username and password.

### **Search Options**

There are multiple ways to search for the assets you need.

### **KEYWORD SEARCH**

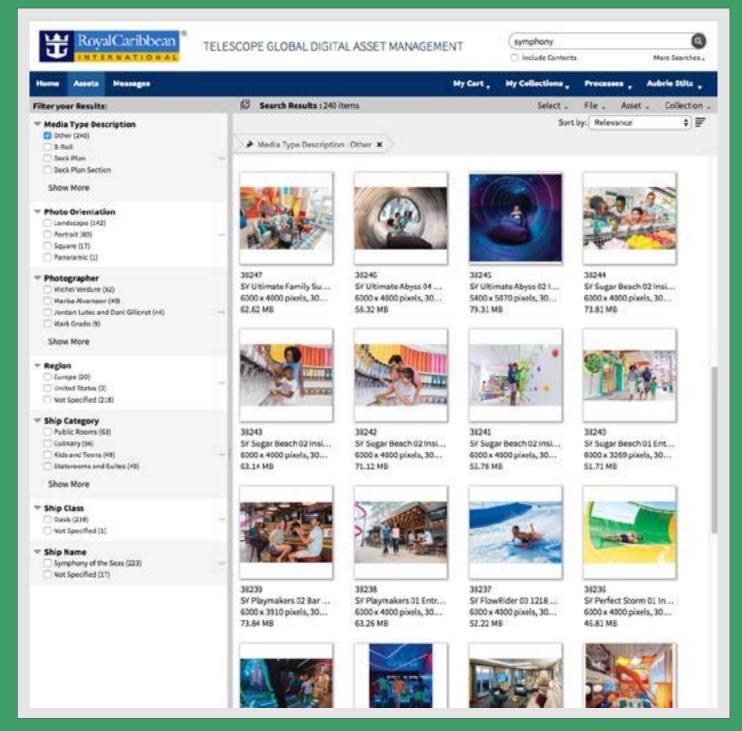
To use the *Keyword Search*, type in some descriptive words (ex. "Harmony Flowrider") in the text field in the upper right and click the magnifying glass icon.

### FILTER YOUR RESULTS

For a broader search, you can *Filter Your Results* by clicking Assets, the second tab in the top left navigation bar. Here you can curate results by media type, region, ship names and ship categories.

### **ASSET IDs**

Lastly, you can search by any *Asset ID* number, many of which are referenced in these guidelines.



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DO NOT ALTER THE INTEGRITY OF THE LOCKUP

# COME SEEK LOCKUP

The Come Seek lockup is big and bold, making it a strong visual branding element. It is often used in upper funnel touchpoints, like brand ads and out of home.

Download all logos at <a href="RCCLLibrary.com">RCCLLibrary.com</a>

### LOCKUP COLORS

### WHITE

For use over photographic or colored backgrounds, such as in 00H, posters and ads.

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### GRAY OR NAVY

For use on white backgrounds. Do not use on photographic backgrounds — rather retouch the image to address any legibility concerns.

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# 'COME SEEK' HOLDS A REGISTRATION MARK

### RECOMMENDED TREATMENT

The preferred way to represent this in marketing is by including the following trademark statement in the terms and conditions, which eliminates the need to use ® in copy or on the lockup.

Come Seek is a registered trademark of Royal Caribbear

### ALTERNATE TREATMENT

If needed, you can place the ® symbol in copy or on the lockup instead.

Come Seek® the Royal Caribbean

Horizontal Lockup with ®
Asset ID 44381

### COME豈SEEK®

the Royal caribbean

Vertical Lockup with ®

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Asset ID 27293

# HORIZONTAL LOCKUP (WITHOUT ®)

### HORIZONTAL MINIMUM SIZE

Do not reproduce the logo smaller than the following:

**Digital** 240 px x 57px | **Print** 3.3" x 0.78"

# COMEUSEEK

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Asset ID 27292

VERTICAL LOCK UP (WITHOUT ®)

### **VERTICAL MINIMUM SIZE**

Do not reproduce the logo smaller than the following:

**Digital** 120px x 251px | **Print** 1.7"x 3.5"

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DO NOT ALTER THE INTEGRITY OF THE LOCKUP

# COME SEEK LOCKUP

The Come Seek lockup should always be used with the corporate logo, but should never replace it or be placed directly beside it in layout.

Visit pages 56 & 64-68 for how to use the Come Seek lockup in layout.

Download all logos at <a href="RCCLLibrary.com">RCCLLibrary.com</a>



### LOCKUP COLOR

**NEVER** change the color of the lockup. The lockup should only be used in white, navy or gray.



### LOCKUP DESIGN

**NEVER** remove or rearrange parts of the lockup (whether in the horizontal or vertical version), or use any portion of the lockup in isolation.



### **LOCKUP PAIRING**

**NEVER** place the Come Seek lockup and corporate logo side by side in layout. But be sure to provide ample hierarchy and contrast in size within the piece. See pages 56 & 64-68 for examples.



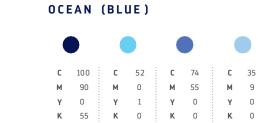
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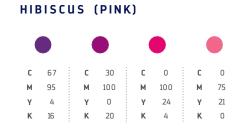
**NEVER** place the navy or gray Come Seek lockup over a photographic background. Rather, the image should be retouched to address any legibility concerns. If not possible, then an alternate image should be used.

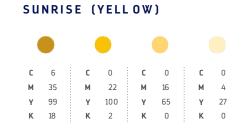
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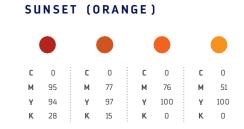
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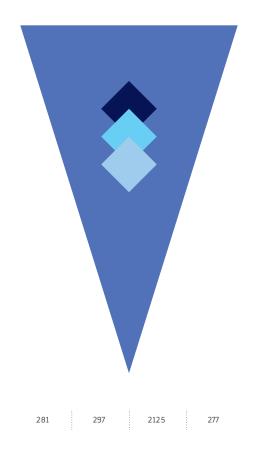


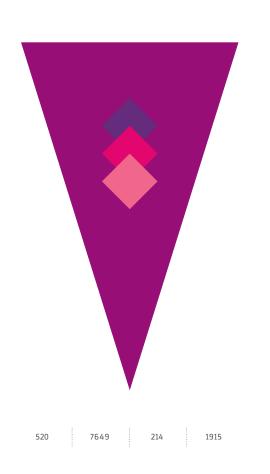










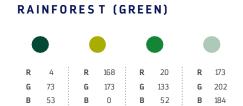


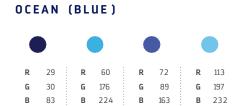


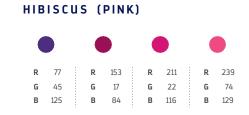


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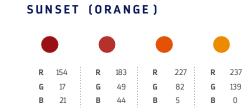
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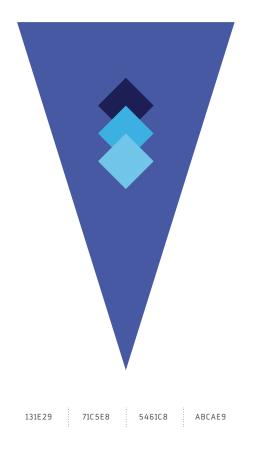


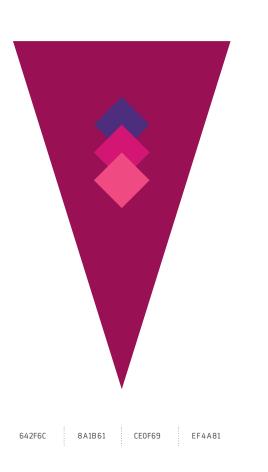
















# TYPOGRAPHY

HEADLINE FORMULA

-x ONLY WRITE HEADLINES IN WHITE, ALL CAPS & KAPRA REGULAR

TYPEFACE	601.00	POINT SIZE*	LEADING	KERNING
K A P R A R E G U L A R	WHITE	50	The leading should be equal to the x height.	200

\*Font sizes for headline are based on an 8x10 ad and the sizes should be scaled proportionally

Fonts can be purchased at the following links

D AR WIN http://www.myfonts.com/fonts/los-an

### SUBHEAD FORMULA

# SUBHEADS ARE SET IN ALL CAPS AND DARWIN BOLD.

TYPEFACE	COL OR	POINT SIZE	(+ 5)	LEADING	KERNING
DAR WIN BOLD	WHITE NAVY BLUE (on white background)	18	(+ 5)	23	150

### **BODY COPY FORMULA**

Body copy is set in Darwin Light on solid color backgrounds, and Darwin Regular on photographic backgrounds, to aid legibility. Body copy should be left aligned. In some cases, body copy that is 5 lines or less can be centered, with special attention to keep ragging even while while avoiding dashes or numbers on margins.

TYPEFACE	COLOR	POINT SIZE	(+ 5)	LEADING	KERNING
Darwin Light (on solid color backgrounds) Darwin Regular (on photographic backgrounds)	WHITE 85% BLACK (on white background)	10	(+ 5)	15	40



# TYPOGRAPHY

Fonts can be purchased at the following links

D AR WIN http://www.myfonts.com/fonts/los-andes/darwin/ GO THAM https://www.typography.com/fonts/gotham/styles/

### CALL TO ACTION FORMULA

CTA is set in Darwin Bold

Book your adventure at RoyalCaribbean.com

The space between the dots and the CTA is equal to the x height of the CTA.

	COLOR	JIKOKE	ТҮРЕ
LEADER DOTS FORMULA	WHITE	1 рт	DOTTED

Length of both leader dot lines should be equal. Adjust the length as necessary based on layout. If the CTA extends to two lines, the leader dot lines should frame the top line.

COLOR	POINT SIZE	(+ 5)	LEADING	KERNING
NAVY BLUE	12	(+ 5)	17	75

### PHOTO CAPTION FORMULA

Captions are set in Darwin Regular.

Our private destination, Labadee®

COL OR	POINT SIZE	LEADING	KERNING
WHITE Placed inside the hero.	7	N/A Captions should not exceed one line.	40

Captions should be written with initial caps and use em dashes to separate caption components such as destination from location or dish from food. (Ex. Arctic Mocha Roll — Jamie's Italian by Jamie Oliver)

### LEGAL COPY FORMULA

COLOR	POINT SIZE	LEADING	KERNING
WHITE 85% BLACK (on white background)	7	7	0

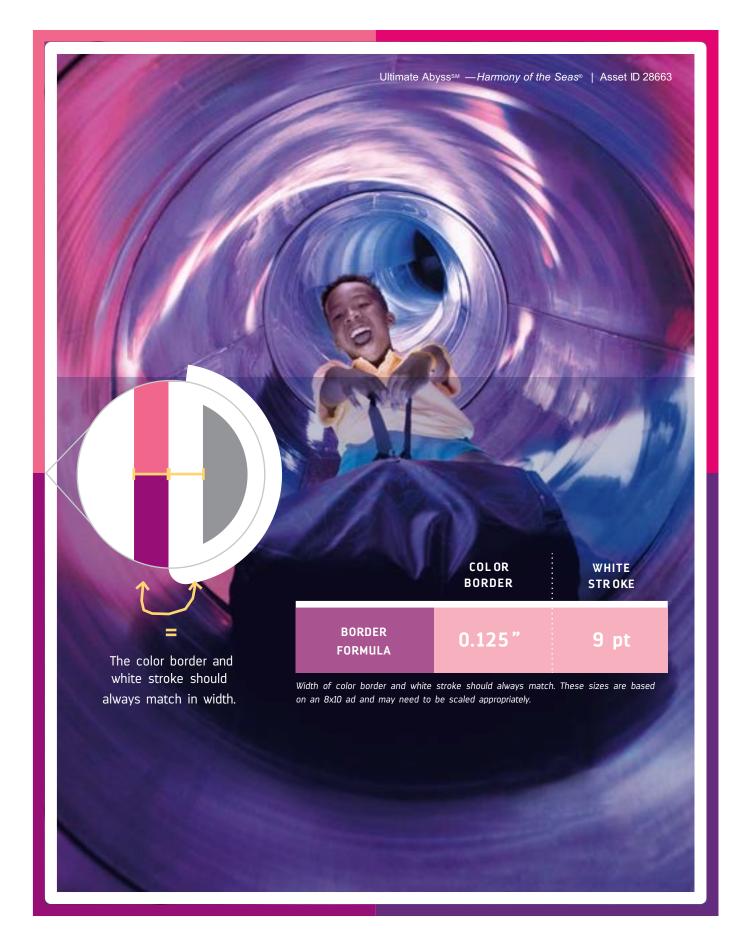


# FULL BORDER

The cool thing about this design element is it allows us to reinforce the vibrancy of the campaign while creating separation between our work and its environment.

See pages 55-56, 59-62 and 64-68 for examples of a full border in ads, flyers, posters and 00H.

# BORDER COLOR ORDER Color flows from left to right, light to dark. BORDER COLOR SELECTION The border color family should complement the photography it surrounds.



# FULL BORDER USAGE

### **COLOR FAMILIES**

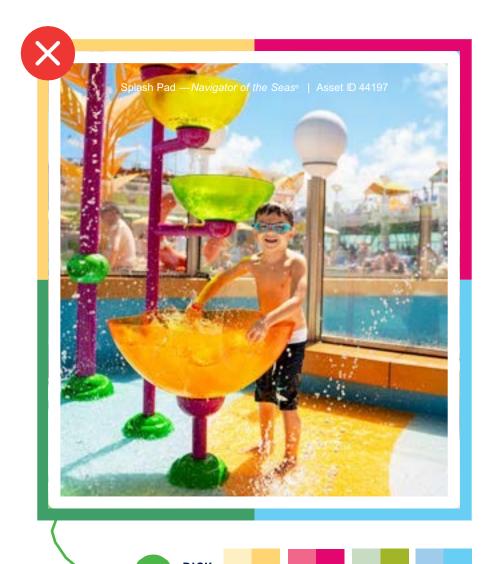
**NEVER** mix Come Seek color families. Borders should be built from one family only so they don't distract from the star of the show — our photography.

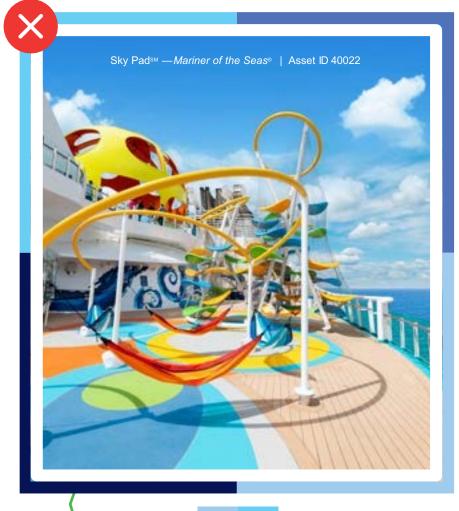
### **BORDER ORDER**

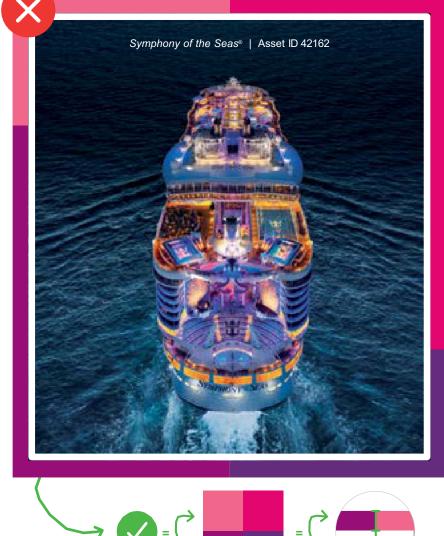
Consistency is key. **NEVER** rearrange or alter the order of the border colors. Please refer to page 27 for the correct color order.

### **BORDER DESIGN**

The color border and white border should be equal in width and height. All four color quadrants should be equal in height.



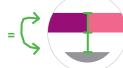












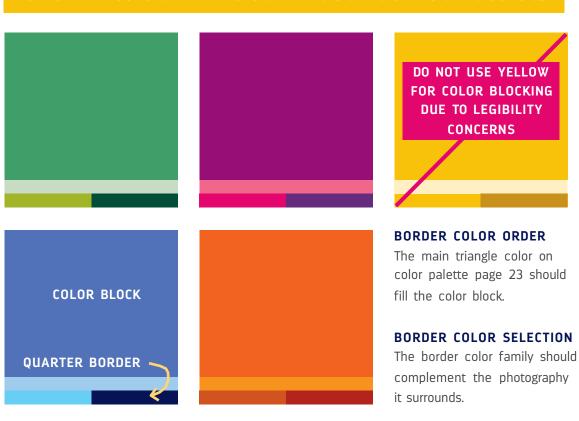


# QUARTER BORDER WITH COLOR BLOCK

We developed the quarter border so we could keep our unique branding element even in spaces where the full border doesn't work.

Go to pages 57-59 and 61 for examples of the quarter border in layout.

### DO NOT MIX COLOR FAMILIES OR ALTER ORDER OF BORDER COLORS





# QUARTER BORDER AND COLOR BLOCK USAGE

### COLOR BLOCK COPY LEGIBILITY

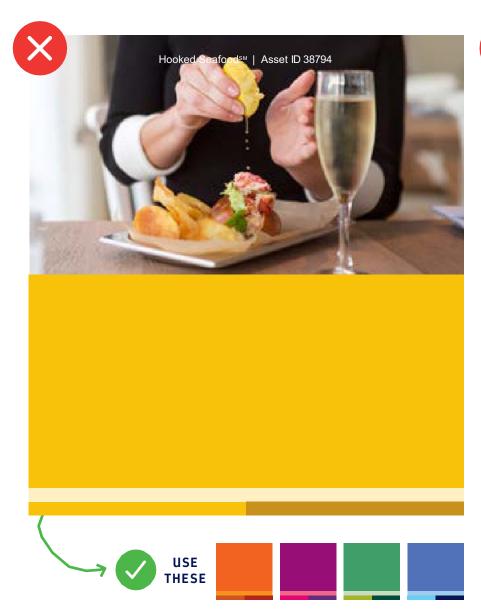
**NEVER** use the yellow color family to build a color block — it makes it really hard to read the copy.

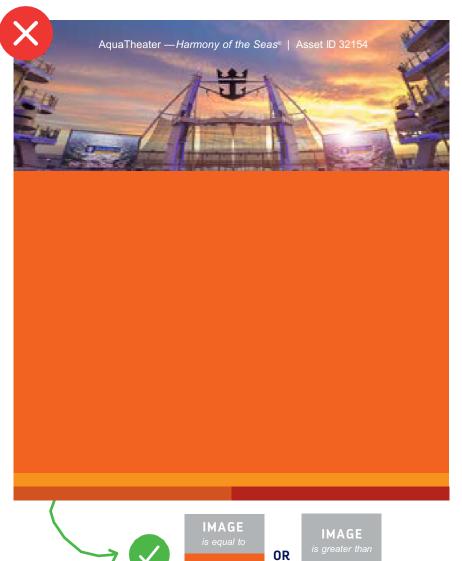
### **COLOR BLOCK PROPORTIONS**

Our photography is the hero of our story. Make sure the image is always greater than (or at least equal to) the color block.

### **COLOR BLOCK PLACEMENT**

The color block should always go below (for vertical designs) or to the right (for horizontal layouts). We are telling a story and want to lead with our imagery.





COLOR BLOCK



Vertical Layout

Horizontal Layout





# PHOTOGRAPHY

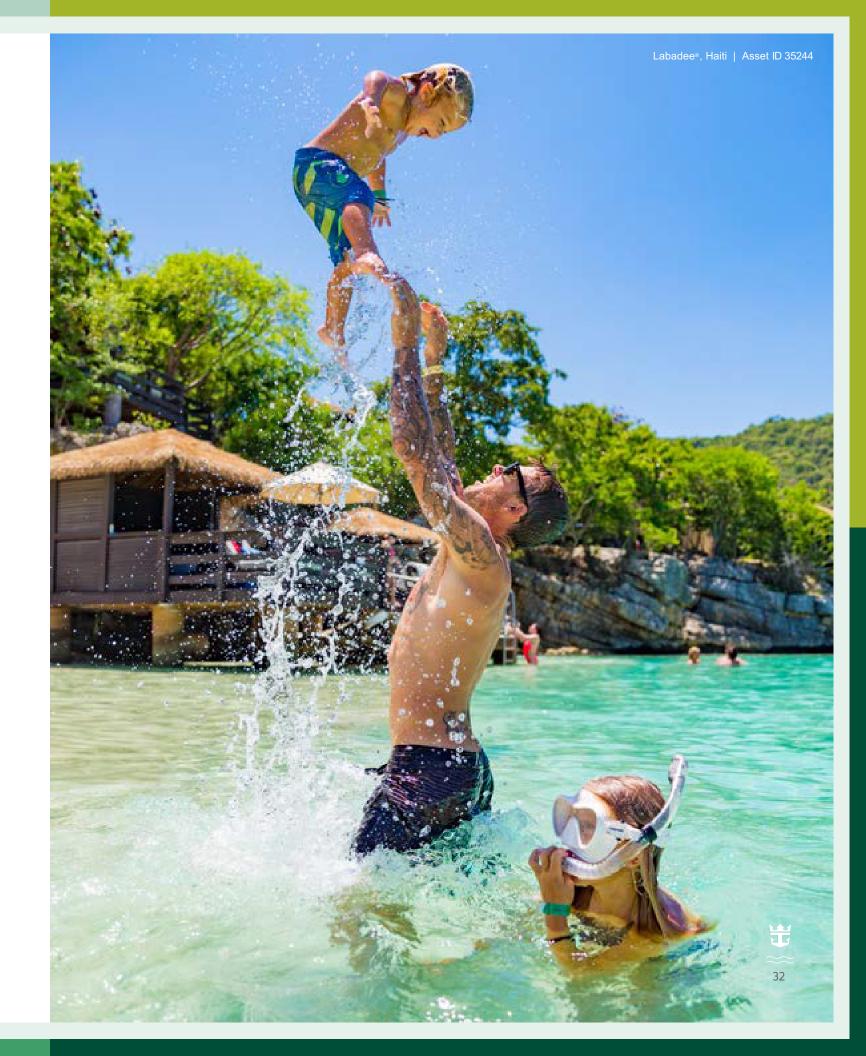
We can't tell our brand story without incredible imagery. It is the most defining element of any strong Come Seek advertisement. Photography relies on a modern aesthetic, including GoPro-style imagery, unique angles, and distinctive cropping to create visual interest.

### Download brand photography at <a href="RCCLLibrary.com">RCCLLibrary.com</a>

### **Captions**

Captions allow us to make settings immediately recognizable, and also add to the authenticity of our destination photography. We should caption imagery in all the following instances:

- Distinctive location shot that makes the reader ask "Wow, where is that?"
- Only on Royal features; shipboard experiences and venues
- Pictures of our ships themselves
- Food images (name of dish and restaurant)
- Imagery captured by influencers, crew or guests, where attribution would show authenticity







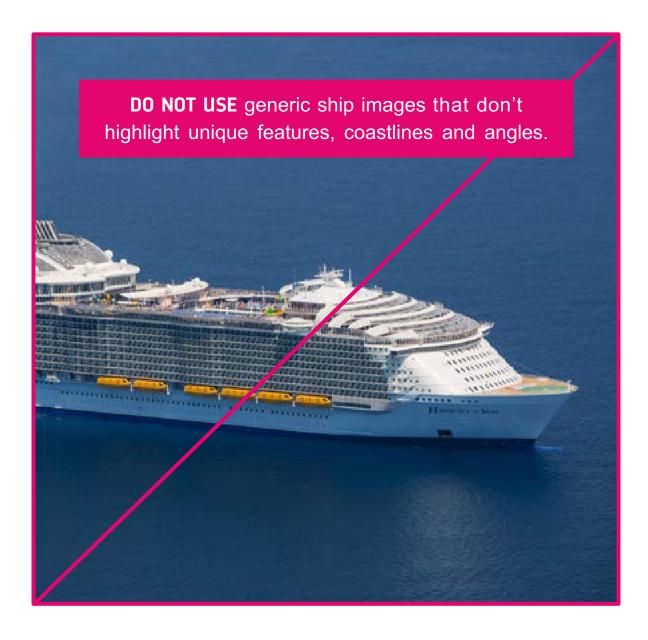


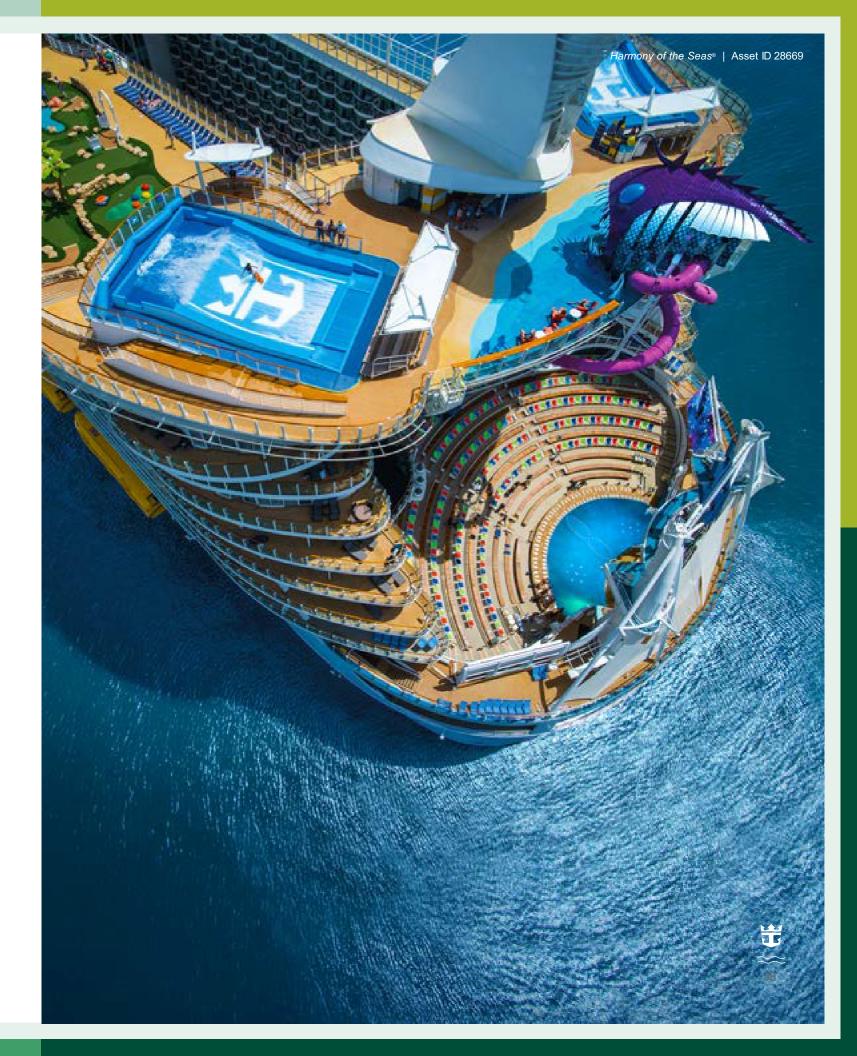




#### SHIP IMAGERY

If we want to break out of that big white ship cliché, one good place to start is ditching the traditional shots of a big white ship at sea. To stand out from our competitors, choose ship imagery that highlights unique architecture and "only on Royal" features.

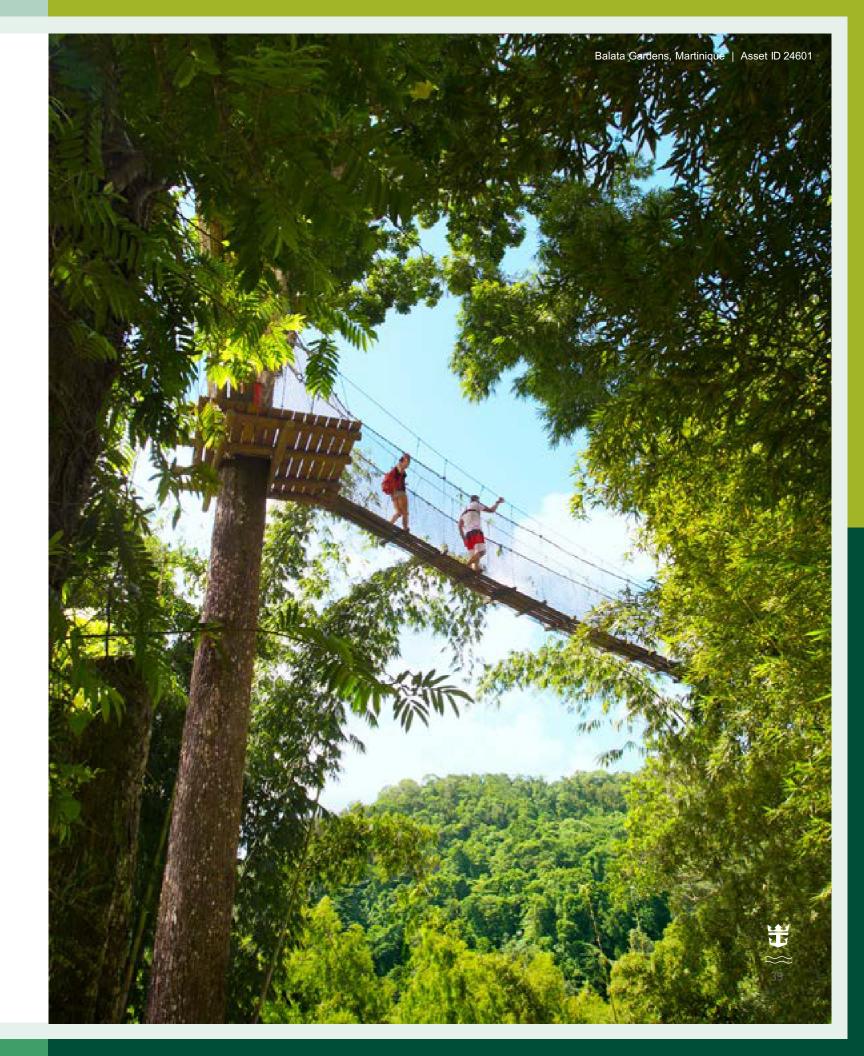




#### **DESTINATION IMAGERY**

Generic: bad. Distinctive: good. Focus on unique, authentic experiences and places rather than locations with no distinguishing features.

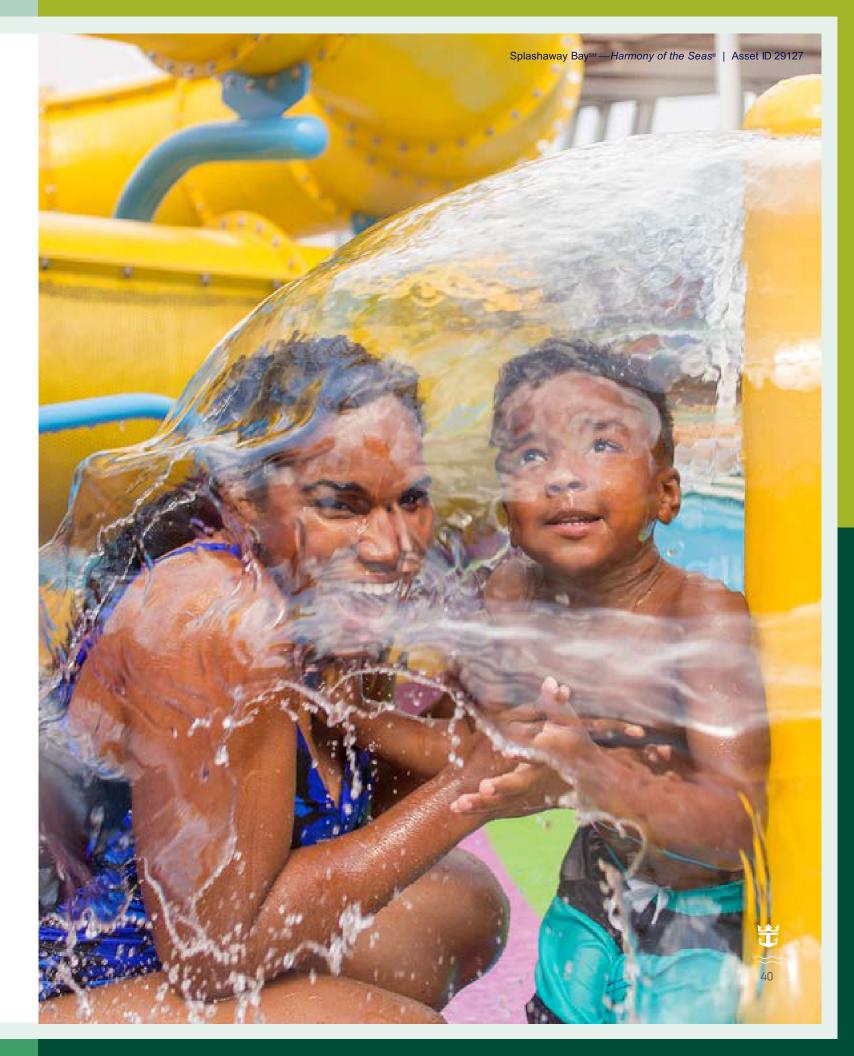




#### **FAMILY IMAGERY**

To maximize impact, skip the posed subjects and instead focus on families that feel like real families sharing realistic moments.





#### **WILDLIFE IMAGERY**

Choose imagery that shows people encountering wildlife in their natural habitat, in an unobtrusive way. Never show them disturbing the animals.

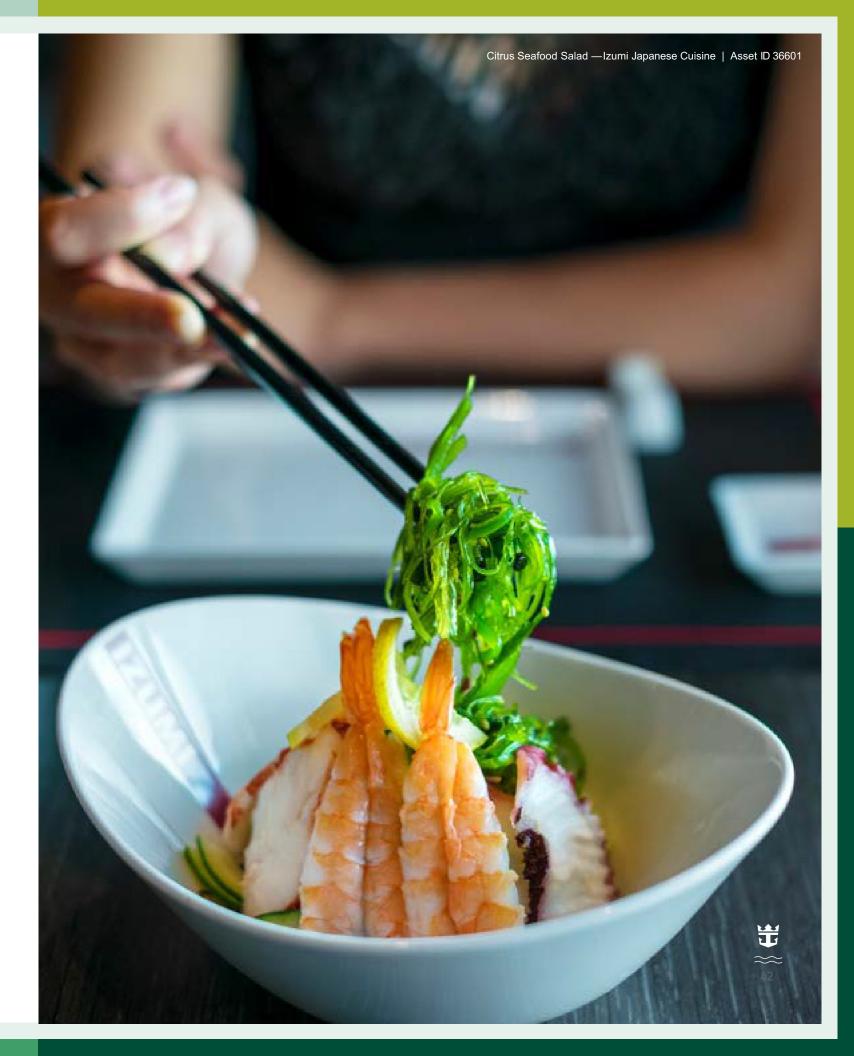


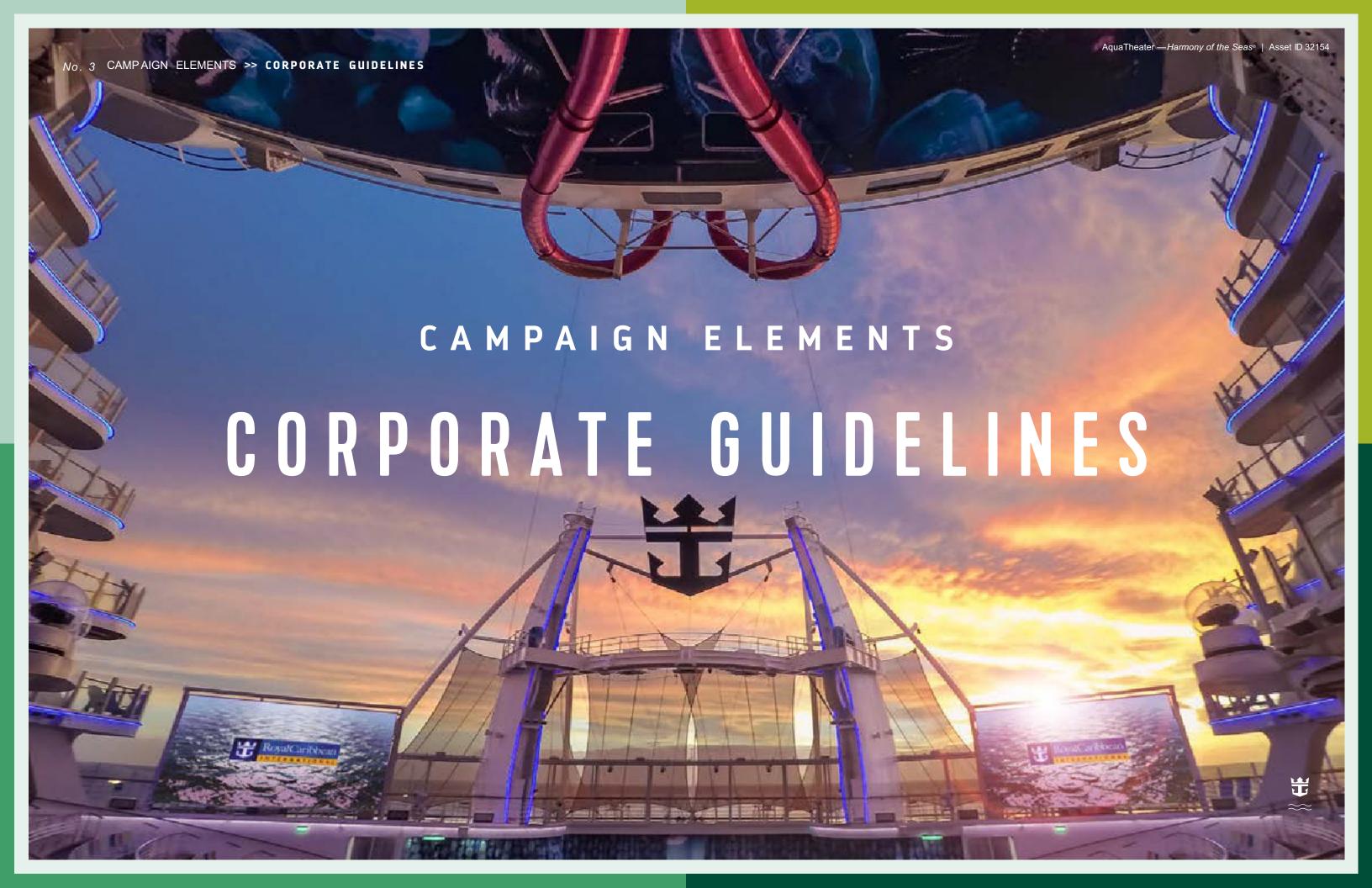


#### **FOOD IMAGERY**

The approach to food photography should be editorial in style. While a human element is fine, focus on the food, not the diners.







## OUR BRAND NAME

#### Name Usage

- Never abbreviate or use initials. It's not Royal, RC or RCI it's Royal Caribbean®. Always use the proper name.
- Use initial caps.
- Never use the brand name in a possessive form.
- Include registration mark at either first mention, or most prominent.
- Both words should always appear on the same line, with no hyphens.
- Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd. is the name of our corporation. It should never be abbreviated, and does not use a trademark symbol.



Royal Caribbean International is our company name, as you can see in our logo mark.

But in marketing and advertising, we use the brand name the average consumer knows —

Royal Caribbean®



## HOW TO APPLY TRADEMARKS

#### Headlines/Display Copy

Do not add trademarks to headlines or display copy (you can include it in terms & conditions instead).

#### **Body Copy**

Names should always appear with the mark the first time you mention it in body copy on every page of a communication.

#### **Onboard Materials/Merchandise**

There is no need for Royal Caribbean trademarks of any kind when creating onboard materials or merchandise.

#### Legibility

When creating large-scale pieces, print pieces with several registered or service marked properties, digital pieces or other work where legibility is a concern, you also have the option of running the mention in the terms & conditions.



Royal Caribbean holds trademarks for all sorts of logos, taglines and amenity names — too many to list here, in fact.

FOR CURRENT TRADEMARKS IN USE BY ROYAL CARIBBEAN, VISIT

<u> WriteltRoyal.com</u>



## CORPORATE LOGO

#### Download all logos at <a href="RCCLLibrary.com">RCCLLibrary.com</a>

- The logo must appear on the *first* and *most prominent* occurrence of all communications, as well as back covers of printed materials.
- Our logo should appear at the bottom right of a piece whenever possible — think of it as our sign-off.
- When sharing the space with other logos, ours should always be equal in size



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C 91 M 51 Y 0 K 0	R 0 G 115 B 187	
PMS 2727 HTML 0073BB		

ROYAL	GOLD
C 0 M 28 Y 100 K 0	R 254 G 189 B 17
PMS 1235 HTML FEBD11	

#### LOGO COLORS

ALWAYS use the three color logo, unless you only have one-color or grayscale printing available

#### **BACKGROUND USE**

DO NOT use the three brand colors or similar colors for background.

When placed on a photograph, make sure there is sufficient contrast.

## ALWAYS USE THE LOGO AS PROVIDED. DO NOT ALTER, DISTORT OR ANGLE THE LOGO IN ANY WAY.

#### LOGO SIZES

Please treat our logo with respect. Don't crowd it with other elements. And don't make it so small that it requires a magnifying glass to read it. Our logo should have presence within the piece.



#### MINIMUM CLEARANCE

Keep the "x" space around the logo free of visual distraction.

x = height of the yellow bar

#### MINIMUM SIZE



Do not reproduce the logo smaller than the following size in order to maintain legibility.

= 3/8" (27px)

#### LOGO VERSIONING

The versions below should really be your last resort. If you can't print using multiple colors, only then should you default to one of the following options.



Asset ID 24308



Asset ID 24307

#### LINE ART LOGO

**ONLY** use when production is limited to one color.

GRAYSCALE LOGO

**ONLY** available for use in grayscale or black and white printing.



## ALWAYS USE THE LOGO AS PROVIDED. DO NOT ALTER, DISTORT OR ANGLE THE LOGO IN ANY WAY.

## CORPORATE LOGO

It's time to have a heart to heart. We've seen some pretty weird things happening to our corporate logo, and we need to set the record straight.

Changing our logo in any way implies we don't take our brand seriously and makes it difficult to build recognition. As champions of our brand, we look to you to protect our corporate logo.



#### LOGO OUTLINE

**NEVER** add a stroke or outline to the logo.



#### LOGO BACKGROUND

**NEVER** use one of the three brand colors or similar color values as a logo background. Make sure there is sufficient contrast so the logo stands out.



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#### LOGO ROTATION

**NEVER** rotate or angle the logo. The bottom of the logo should always run straight along the x-axis.



#### LOGO COLORS

**NEVER** change the colors of the logo.



#### **LOGO DESIGN**

**NEVER** remove or rearrange parts of the logo.





#### **LOGO VISIBILITY**

**NEVER** obscure, cover or hide any part of the logo.





#### LOGO RESPECT

**NEVER** use the logo in a location where it might be walked on, driven on or worn with time.

## CROWN AND ANCHOR LOGO

#### Download all logos at <a href="RCCLLibrary.com">RCCLLibrary.com</a>

- The Crown and Anchor must always be used alongside the corporate logo, except in very specific circumstances
- One exception is on merchandise, where the symbol can be allowed to stand alone however, the Compass is the preferred option when being used in isolation.
- Another is when creating onboard materials you also have the option to use the Crown and Anchor in place of the corporate logo
- Never stack the Crown and Anchor with the corporate logo, or allow the symbol to overshadow the corporate logo

#### LOGO VERSIONING



Asset ID 24314

#### INSIDE THE BOX

The Crown and Anchor inside the navy square is typically used for onboard collateral.



Asset ID 42859

#### WITHOUT THE BOX

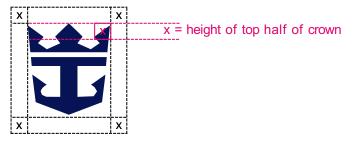
The Crown and Anchor can be used outside of the box. Typically this version is reserved for apparel and merchandise.

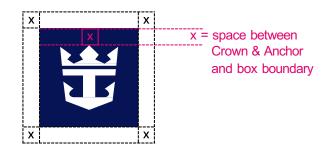
## ALWAYS USE THE LOGO AS PROVIDED. DO NOT ALTER, DISTORT OR ANGLE THE LOGO IN ANY WAY.

#### **LOGO SIZES**

#### MINIMUM CLEARANCE

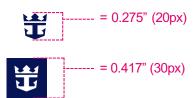
Keep the "x" space around the Crown and Anchor free of visual distraction.





#### MINIMUM SIZE

Do not reproduce the logo smaller than the following size in order to maintain recognizability of the mark.

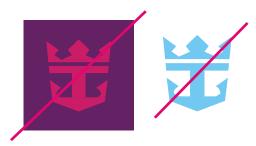




## CROWN AND ANCHOR LOGO

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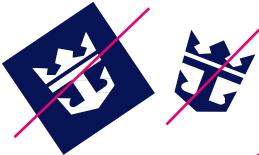
The Crown and Anchor logo is the most iconic singular representation of our company and brand. With nearly 50 years equity behind it, the Crown and Anchor should be treated with due respect and left to stand on its own without alteration. Basically, don't mess with it. Ever.



#### LOGO COLOR

The Crown and Anchor should only appear in white, navy blue or black (in one color printing).

**NEVER** change the logo color. In select applications, such as on premium items, it may appear in gold or silver foil.



#### **LOGO ROTATION**

**NEVER** rotate or angle the logo.



#### LOGO OUTLINE

**NEVER** add a stroke or outline to the logo.

## ALWAYS USE THE LOGO AS PROVIDED. DO NOT ALTER, DISTORT OR ANGLE THE LOGO IN ANY WAY.



#### LOGO DESIGN

**NEVER** remove or rearrange parts of the logo. **NEVER** skew, crop or otherwise compromise the integrity of the mark.



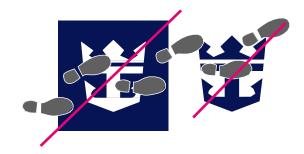
#### **LOGO ADDITIONS**

**NEVER** add elements to the Crown and Anchor, like seasonal items or other embellishments, however cute your hat might look.



#### **BORROWING THE LOGO**

**NEVER** create logos or lockups that feature or use parts of the Crown and Anchor.



#### LOGO RESPECT

**NEVER** use the logo in a location where it might be walked on, driven on or worn with time.

#### APPAREL AND MERCHANDISE

While there is some flexibility in how the Crown and Anchor can be used on apparel and merchandise, any specific altered uses that contradict the provided guidelines must be reviewed by the brand team.

Contact Ana Rebbapragada (ARebbapragada@rccl.com) for approval.



## THE COMPASS LOGO

#### Download all logos at <a href="RCCLLibrary.com">RCCLLibrary.com</a>

The Compass logo offers us another great branding element. It embraces the spirit of our Come Seek campaign, combining our iconic Crown & Anchor with a symbolic representation of our identity as a travel company, the compass outline.

- The Compass should never replace our corporate logo or be used without it, except on merchandise and apparel
- Don't place the Compass and corporate logo side by side in layout

Check out pages 57 and 59-62 for how to use the compass in layout.

#### LOGO VERSIONING



#### WHITE VERSION

The white version of the Compass is our primary logo version. It can be used over color and photographic backgrounds.





Asset ID 45046

Asset ID 450

#### ALTERNATE VERSIONS

On white backgrounds, a gray or navy blue compass can be used. Foil finishes may also be used. The compass should **NEVER** be used in black.

## ALWAYS USE THE LOGO AS PROVIDED. DO NOT ALTER, DISTORT OR ANGLE THE LOGO IN ANY WAY.

#### LOGO SIZES

We get it. Things are cuter smaller. We're good with cute and small, but not miniscule. So make sure you adhere to the size requirements below.

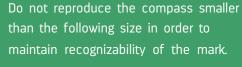
#### MINIMUM CLEARANCE



Keep the "x" space around the Crown and Anchor free of visual distraction.

x = height of crown

#### MINIMUM SIZE





-- = 0.55" (XXpx)

#### LOGO USAGE

The Compass is a branding tool that can help create hierarchy in content heavy mid to lower funnel work or serve as a strong branding element in upper funnel creative and merchandise and apparel.



#### AS A CONTENT DIVIDER

The Compass can be used as a content divider to create hierarchy when framed with

#### two horizontal 1 pt dotted lines

<u>Please note</u>: The dotted lines should always match the color of the compass.

#### **MERCHANDISE AND APPAREL**

When using the Compass, merchandise and apparel is the <u>only</u> instance where the corporate logo is not required to be present. There is also more flexibility in printing and application techniques, whether it be stitched or adorned using other finishes.



## THE COMPASS LOGO

#### Download all logos at RCCLLibrary.com

We know the Compass looks cool — we're fans too. But it's important to follow a few guidelines for consistent use so we don't dilute its impact as a branding element.



#### LOGO COLOR

The Compass should always be <u>one color</u>. Primary usage is white, but for legibility purposes, it may be used as gray or navy. **NEVER** change the logo color beyond these variations or use the compass in black.

In select applications, such as on premium items, it may appear in gold or silver foil.



#### LOGO ROTATION

**NEVER** rotate or angle the logo.



#### LOGO OUTLINE

**NEVER** add a stroke or outline to the logo.



#### LOGO DESIGN

**NEVER** remove or rearrange parts of the logo. **NEVER** skew, crop or otherwise compromise the integrity of the mark.



#### LOGO RESPECT

**NEVER** use the Compass in a location where it might be walked on, driven on or worn with time.



#### LOGO PAIRING

**NEVER** place the Compass and corporate logo side by side in layout.

#### **APPAREL AND MERCHANDISE**

While there is some flexibility in how the Compass can be used on apparel and merchandise, any specific altered uses that contradict the provided guidelines must be reviewed by the brand team.

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## ACCOLADES

#### Download all accolades at RCCLLibrary.com

Royal Caribbean is an innovator and an industry leader — and we have the awards to prove it. Accolades allow us to set ourselves apart from the competition by graphically showcasing the recognition we've earned.

Take a look at pages 55-65 for examples of how to use accolades in layout.

**OVERALL** 

Asset ID 42453





**CARIBBEAN** 

Asset ID 42448





**OVERALL + CARIBBEAN** 

Asset ID 42446







## SECTION No. 4

## CAMPAIGN DESIGN





## FULL PAGE ADS

Whenever possible, full page ads should feature a full image. Just be sure cropping accounts for copy placement, headlines and logos.

#### **Captions**

On a full frame image, the caption should be centered at the top of the page.

#### Headlines

When placing headlines, overlapping people is okay, but don't cover their eyes.

#### **Body Copy**

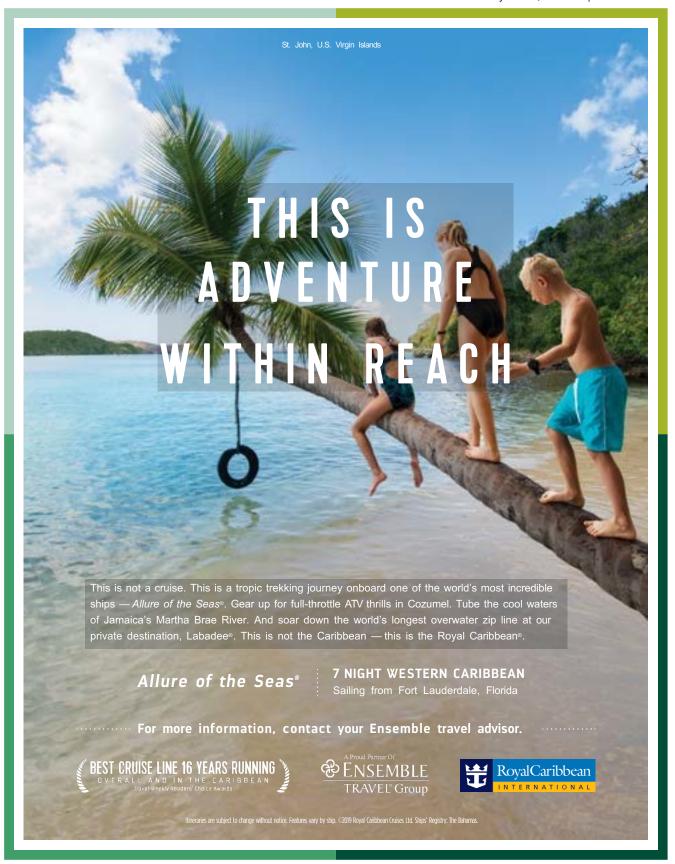
If body copy is not legible over an image make every effort to retouch the image. Otherwise, refer to Colorblock ad layouts on pages 57-58.

#### Accolades & Logos

Accolades should be applicable to the publication and audience. Try to keep our corporate logo in the bottom right corner, like a sign-off.

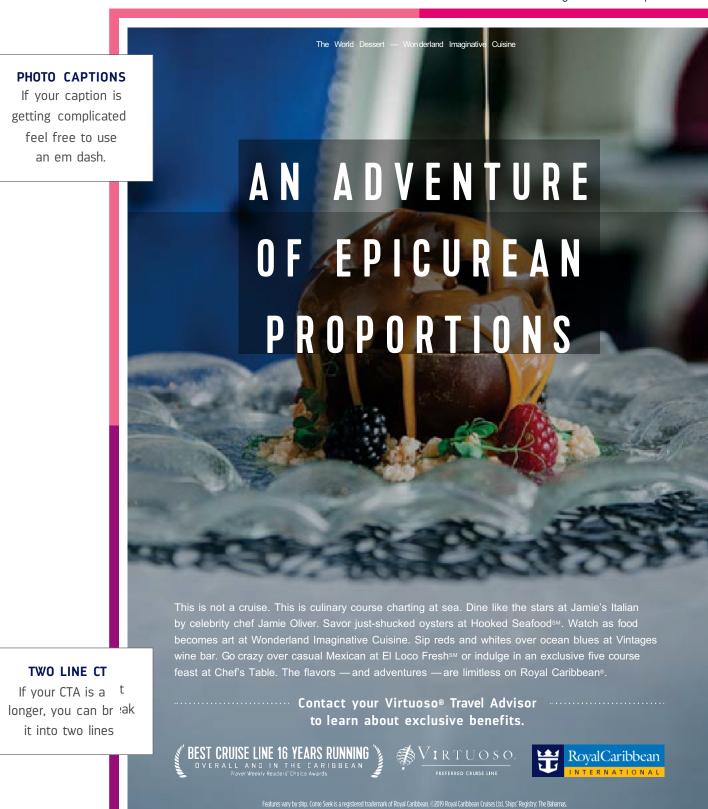
#### **Product Callout**

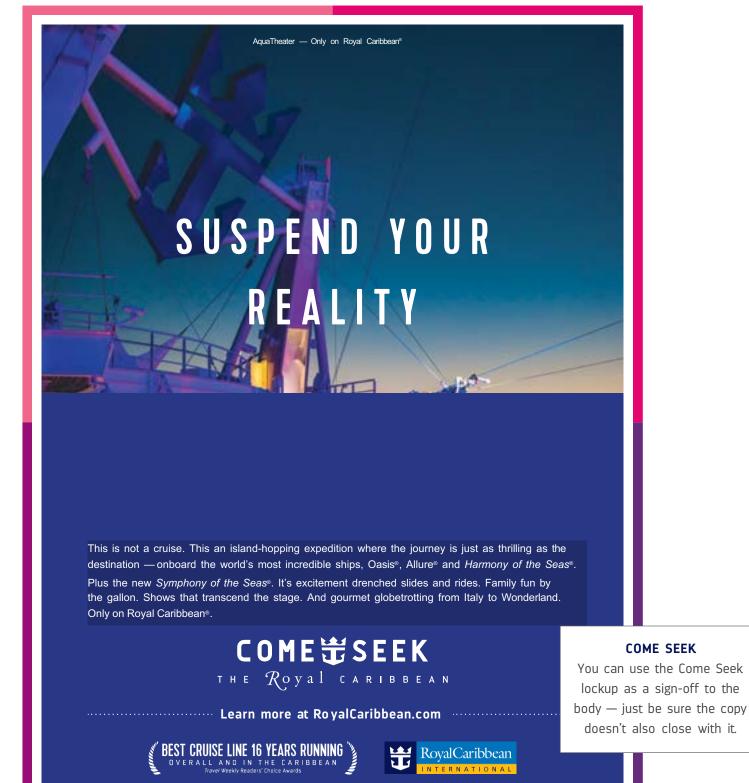
Here's the proper order: ship name in the lead, followed by itinerary and departure port. Ports of call and pricing can also be added following that, as needed.



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**Trim Size:** 8" x 10.75"





Features vary by ship. Come Seek is a registered trademark of Royal Caribbean. ©2019 Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd. Ships' Registry: The Bahamas.

**Trim Size:** 8" x 10.75"

## COLORBLOCK ADS

Colorblock ads offer a clean solution for various challenges, including limited ad size, unusual dimensions, or photography that can't accommodate a full image layout or retouching is not an option to make copy legible.

#### Colorblock Placement

On **vertical ads**, the colorblock is always below the hero. On **horizontal ads**, it goes to the right of the hero.

#### **Photo Captions**

On colorblock ads, the caption should be placed in the lower left corner of the image.



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Cozumel, Mexico | Asset ID 38288

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Don't send your clients on a vacation.

Send them on a savings scoring, undersea exploring expedition the whole family can dive into. Only on Royal Caribbean®.

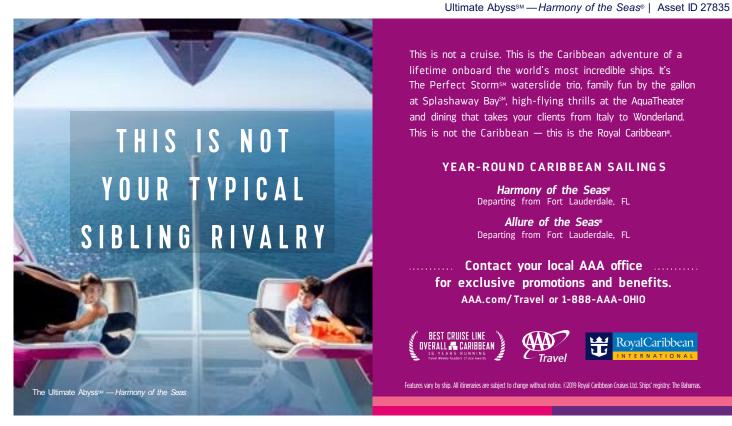
LoyalToYouAlways.com



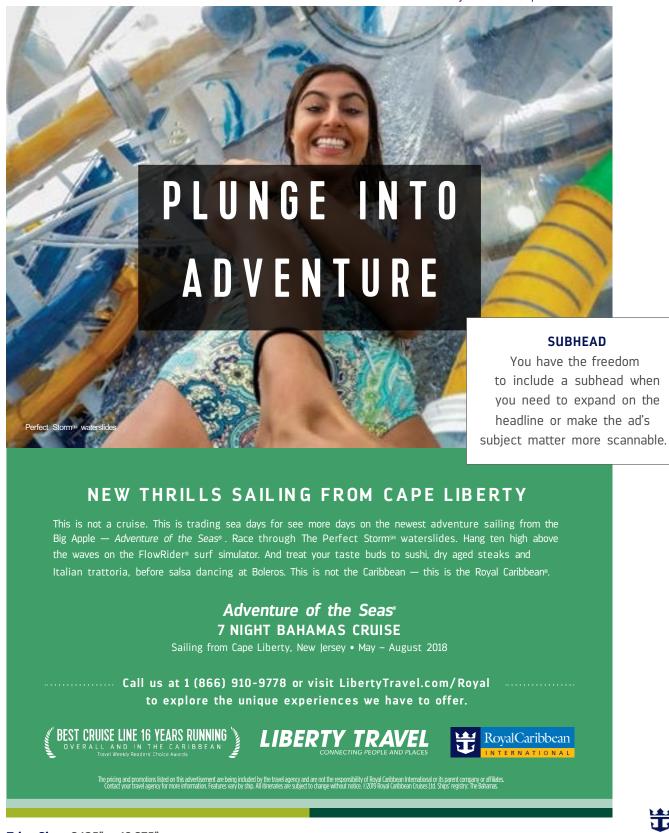


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**Trim Size:** 7.625" x 4.875"



**Trim Size:** 9" x 5.25"



**Trim Size:** 8.125" x 10.875"

### SPREAD ADS

Spread ads offer greater visual impact through two consecutive pages of real estate within a publication, as well as space to tell a bigger story through more copy, or inset images, where appropriate.

#### Layout

When designing a spread ad, you can use either a full frame image across both pages, or a colorblock on the right third of the layout. In either case, body copy and additional copy elements, such as CTA, sailing info, etc. go on the right.

#### Headline

Headline placement depends on the layout. On the colorblock layout, it should always be placed on the left page. On full bleed layouts it can be arranged on either the left side, or right side above body copy — go with what works better for the image.

#### **Borders**

If using a full frame image, a full border runs along the full perimeter of the ad. For the colorblock layout, use the quarter border under the colorblock only.

#### **Inset Images**

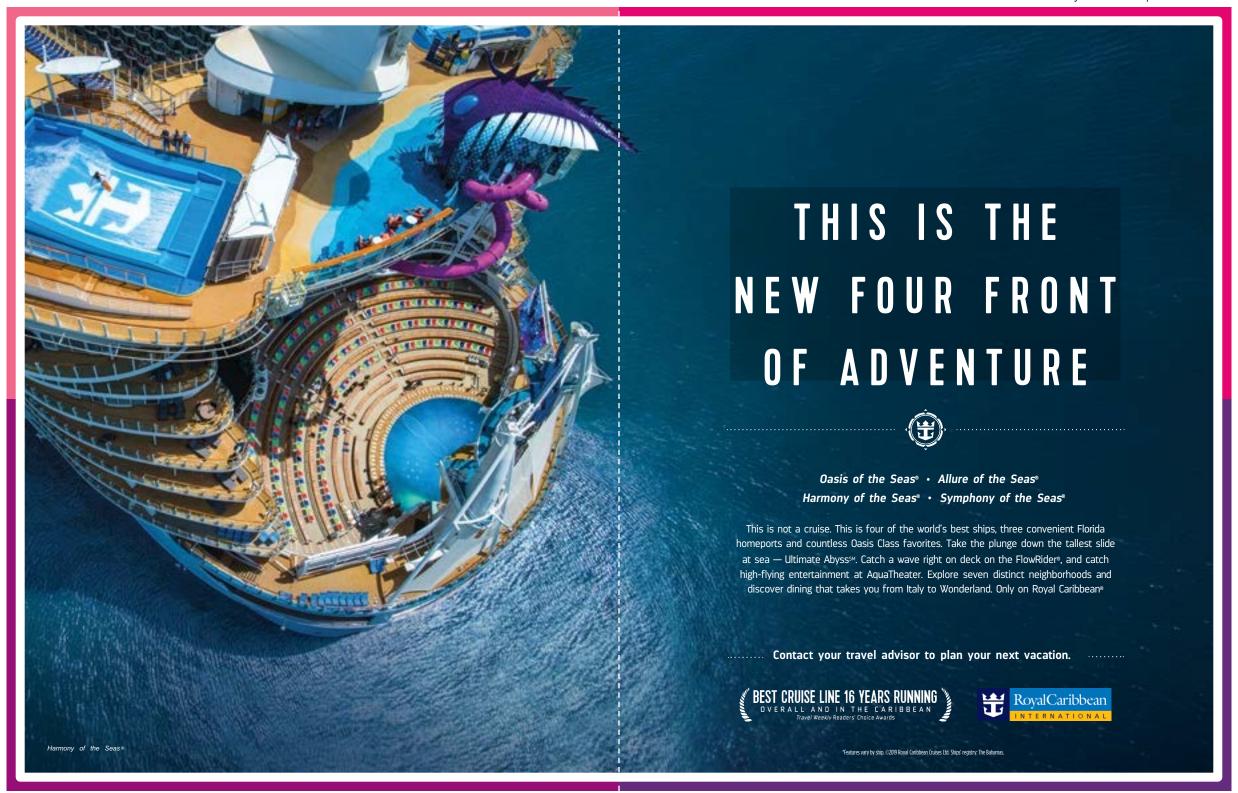
If you apply inset images, use the colorblock layout and arrange the images over the block to avoid cluttering the hero.





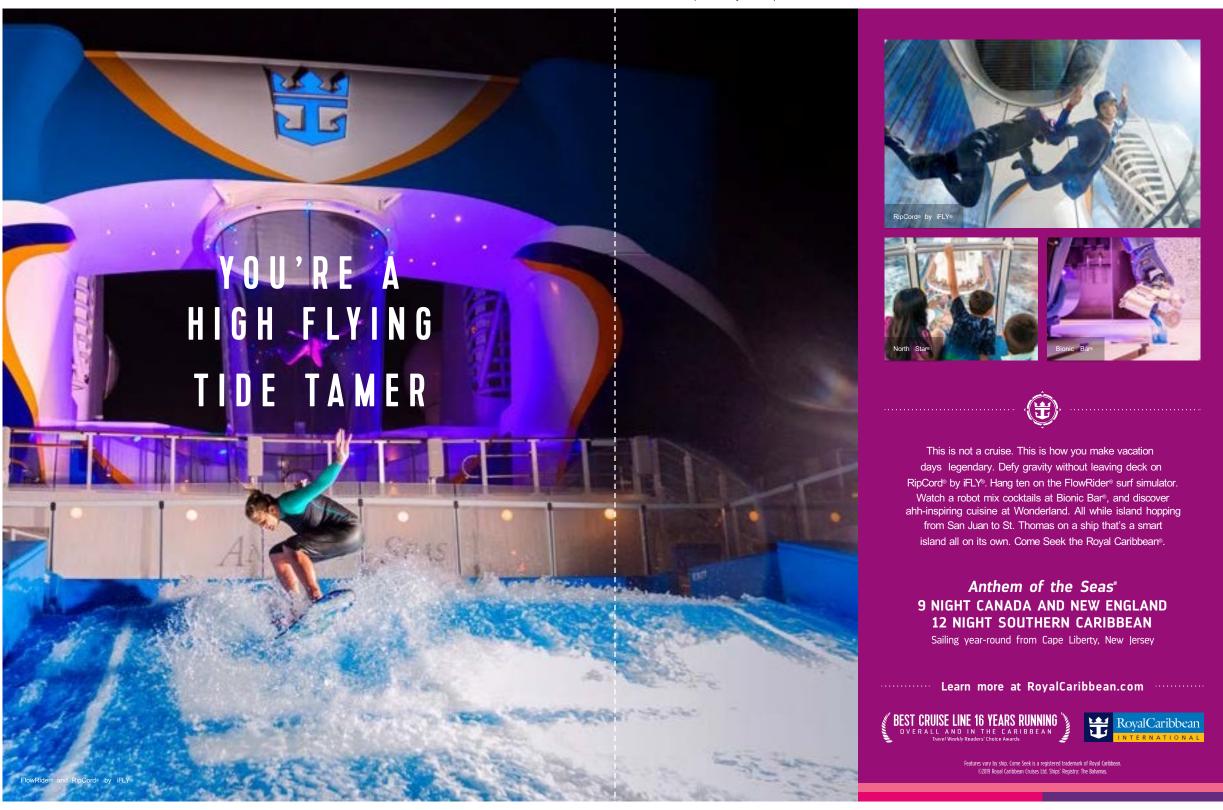


FlowRider® Surf Simulator and RipCord® by iFLY® | Asset ID 38889



**Trim Size:** 17" x 10.875"

FlowRider® Surf Simulator and RipCord® by iFLY® | Asset ID 38889



**Trim Size:** 8.375" x 10.75"

RipCord® by iFLY® Asset ID 31640

North Star®
Asset ID 31642

RIGHT: Bionic Bar® Asset ID 10982



## PARTNER CTAs

Frequently, we'll advertise with a Co-Op partner. This is how you execute a partner CTA using our brand's preferred method.

#### CTA

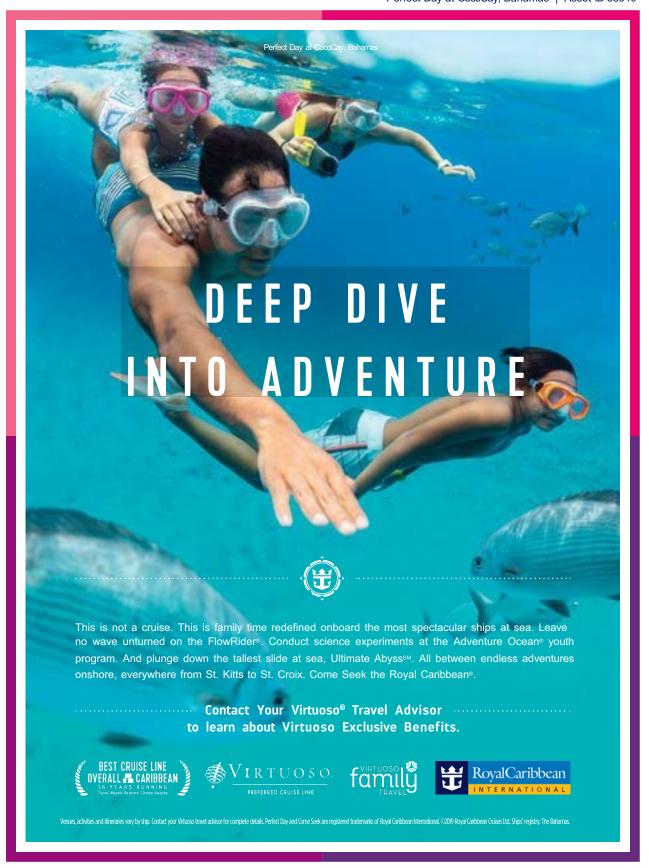
CTA should drive to the travel partner as indicated by the requestor

#### Royal Caribbean Logo

The Royal Caribbean logo should be at the bottom right whenever possible

#### **Partner Logos**

Any partner logos or accolades should appear next to the Royal Caribbean logo, scaled to an equal size

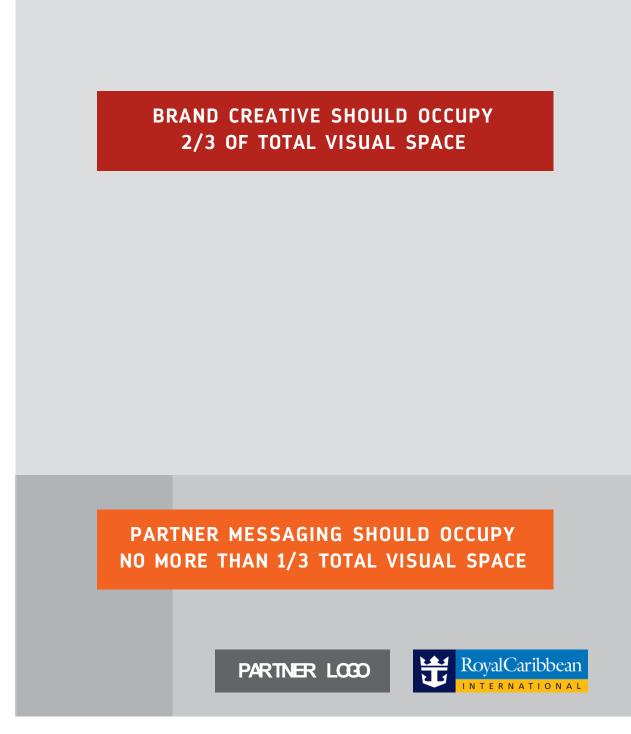


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## PARTNER VISUALS

In select instances, a Co-Op partner might want an expanded CTA to include visuals. Though it's not common practice, this is how we would do that while still maintaining the brand's look and feel.

- Brand creative should always take up at least two thirds of the overall visual space
- Partner messaging including visuals, CTA and contact information — can occupy up to one third of the real estate
- Partner visuals, such as headshots, should take up no more than one quarter of the allocated partner space





Logos should be equal size. The Royal Caribbean logo should not exceed 1/3 the width of the creative.

## FLYERS

Consumer-facing flyers offer travel partners a tool that's easy for them to customize and print.

#### Heroes

There's a .25" white border around the hero area to allow travel partners to print on a standard  $8.5 \times 11$ " sheet.

#### **Editable Fields**

Editable fields allow travel partners to customize the flyer with their agency contact info, and should be placed to the lower left beneath the CTA.

#### Come Seek

This example shows how we use the grayscale version of the Come Seek lockup to avoid competing with the offer lockup above. You could also use the navy option.



50% OFF SECOND + KIPS



This is not a cruise. This is an adventure amping journey far beyond the borders of ordinary. Go course charting through Cozumel's cenotes. Or make friends with flamingos in Bonaire. Team up for non-stop thrills on every incredible island with Royal Caribbean®. Ask your travel advisor for all the ways to save big on your next shore exploring expedition.

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the Royal caribbean

Book your next adventure today. Hurry, offer ends October 31, 2019

ENTER AGENCY NAME HERE
Enter phone number and/or email

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16 YEARS RUNNING

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## POSTERS

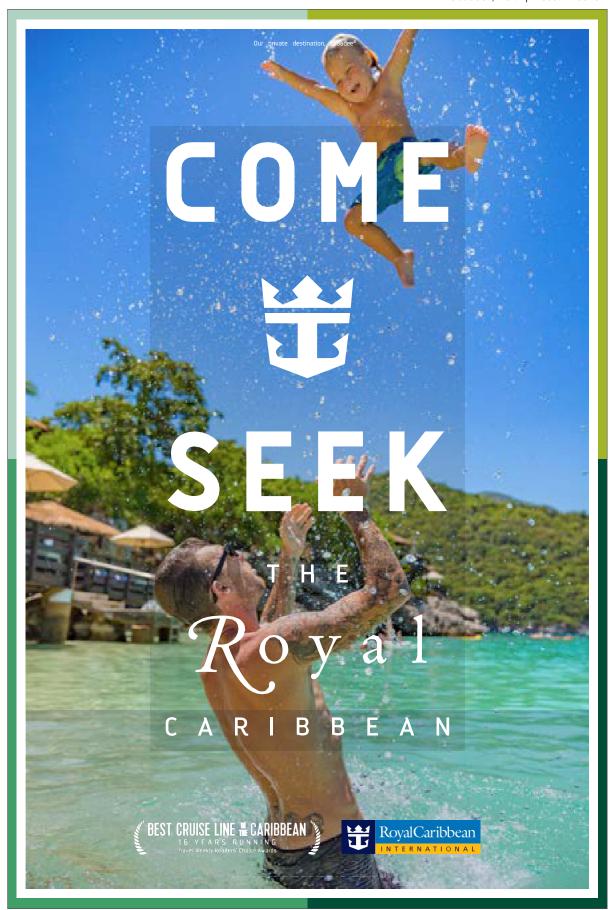
Posters and panel designs offer an opportunity to create visually impactful pieces that showcase strong imagery.

#### Hero

High level brand posters may feature the Come Seek lockup or a campaign headline centered over the hero image.

#### **Additional Elements**

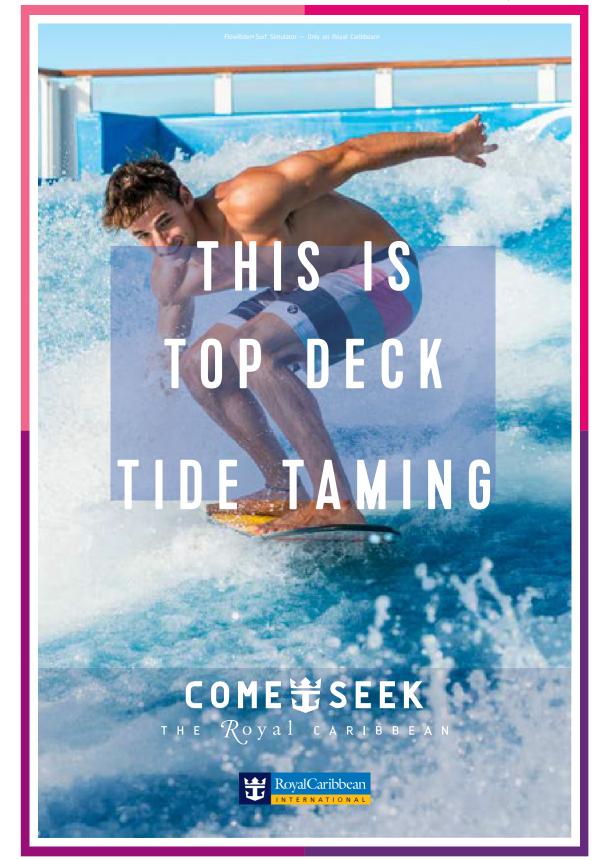
Keep the look clean. Accompanying copy elements or logos — aside from our corporate logo and a possible partner logo — are a no-go.





**Trim Size:** 24" x 36"

**Trim Size:** 24" x 36"







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Out of home advertising is our ultimate upper-funnel opportunity. So make sure to focus on high level branding and feature vibrant, impactful imagery.

#### Lockup

Frequently, we'll use the Come Seek lockup in place of a headline.

#### RCI Logo

The corporate logo should measure no less than one third the scale of the Come Seek lockup in horizontal layouts and one half the scale of the lockup in vertical layouts. Crane's Beach, Barbados | Asset ID 24595



North Star® | Asset ID 11047





### TRADE PARTNER VERSION UPDATE LOG

#### v1.2 — Updated September 2019

Page 10: Updated Tone Guidance

Page 12: Revised Headlines Guidance

Pages 13–15: New Body Copy examples

**NEW Page 18:** Guidance for Addressing Travel Partners

Page 20: Updated Image Library Details

Page 21: Updated Come Seek Service Mark Guidelines

NEW Pages 21–22: Expanded Come Seek Lockup Guidelines

**NEW Page 28:** Expanded Full Border Guidance

**NEW Page 30:** Expanded Quarter Border Guidance

**NEW Pages 46–47:** Expanded Corporate Logo Guidelines

**NEW Pages 48-49:** Expanded Crown & Anchor Logo Guidelines

**NEW Pages 50-51:** Expanded Compass Logo Guidelines

Page 52: Updated Accolades

#### v1.1 — Updated October 2018

Page 21: Updated Come Seek Service Mark Guidelines

NEW Pages 38-42: Additional Photography Guidelines

Page 45: Tagline guidance on WriteltRoyal.com

Page 55: Accolades and Logos callout

**NEW Pages 62–63:** Guidelines for Partner CTAs and Visuals

Various: Missing Asset IDs added

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