
2022 **Arabian Gulf** Golf Cruise

11 Nights | 5 Rounds | Dubai - Dubai | November 15 - 26

PerryGolf proudly partners with **Azamara®** for an exceptional 11-night, 5-round golf and sightseeing voyage through the **Arabian Gulf**. This cruise with less than 700 guests is onboard the outstanding *Azamara Quest*. Here you will see what uber imagination and unlimited resources can achieve. We visit **Dubai, Muscat, Doha** and **Abu Dhabi**. The golf program is equally strong; five striking layouts with impressive facilities including the **Majlis Course of Emirates** and **Saadiyat Beach**.

This region offers incredible history, culture, food, and shopping, and will deliver a truly once-in-a-lifetime experience to guests fortunate enough to participate. Our embarkation and disembarkation port of **Dubai** also offers easy air access with nonstop service from many cities of the world. Experience Dubai's over-the-top opulence at the Burj Al Arab hotel and Gold Souk. In **Muscat**, visit old town bazaars, sip tea at the elegant Al Bustan Palace Hotel, and head to the desert for off-road fun. Make your way to the Souq Waqif in **Doha**, the renovated Arabic market quarter. In **Abu Dhabi**, don't miss Sheikh Zayed Mosque, an astounding monument that rivals the Taj Mahal. You'll be impressed by three new museums which opened in 2015-2016: The Louvre, Guggenheim, and Zayed National Museum.

You will enjoy some of the finest golf facilities in the world, with excellent layouts and the highest of service levels. Our planned line-up includes **Almouj** in **Muscat**, **Doha Golf Club** and **Education City Golf Club** in **Qatar**; **Abu Dhabi's Saadiyat Beach** and the **Majlis Course of Emirates Golf Club** in **Dubai**, annual host venue to the European Tour's **Dubai Desert Classic**. Our sailing schedule also ensures you will enjoy quality sightseeing time at these destinations in addition to playing these fine golf courses.

Azamara Quest, which serves as our perfect floating boutique hotel and clubhouse, is a mid-sized luxury vessel nimble enough to access smaller ports yet large enough to provide every amenity you would expect, from a choice of fine dining and live entertainment, to a well-equipped gym and full-service spa. Forty-six suites are available with English butler style service which routinely book early. Sailing schedules often include extended stays in port plus the occasional overnight which allows for a truly immersive experience. Better still, these cruises are inclusive of a selection of beers, spirits, soft drinks, bottled water, specialty coffees plus wine with lunch and dinner along with gratuities for housekeeping, dining and bar staff. Azamara also proudly boasts two unique signature events on each cruise – an **AzAmazing EveningSM** and the **White Night** party – complimentary to all guests and consistently well received.

Every aspect of the golf program is fully managed by PerryGolf staff onboard and ashore. Your clubs will be ready and waiting at each venue. Tee times and pairings arranged and posted in advance. A convenient transportation schedule affords suitable time to warm up at the range, and to make the almost inevitable pro shop merchandise purchase. Carts are always included, subject to availability. A friendly competition is staged at a selected course, with prizes awarded at our farewell gathering. A snack lunch is included on-course plus an open bar operates in the clubhouse at the conclusion of the round. Our typical guest list which brings together like-minded individuals generally numbers between 40 and 50, with new friendships invariably formed during each cruise. Many guests are golfing couples but an equal number are golfers travelling with a non-golfing spouse. Specially arranged onboard golf group social functions, to which all accompanying non-golfing spouses are most warmly welcomed, further enhances the club-like environment. The award winning **Azamara Shore Excursions®** program,

offering a wide variety of offship excursions, also caters beautifully to our non-golfing guests during days when our golfing excursions are underway.

The “2022 Arabian Gulf Golf Cruise” is a genuinely full-featured vacation and a special opportunity to enjoy yourself in the company of like-minded new friends!

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Detailed Itinerary

NOVEMBER 15, TUESDAY: DUBAI, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES (4:30PM / SAIL 6:00PM)

Embark *Azamara Quest* from 1:00PM. All aboard by 4:30PM.

Welcome Cocktails & Briefing this evening. Meet your fellow participants and PerryGolf's staff.

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Overnight: In Port - Dubai, UAE

NOVEMBER 16, WEDNESDAY: DUBAI, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES (IN PORT / 8:00PM)

GOLF: **Emirates Golf Club, Majlis Course*** is annual home to the European Tour's Dubai Desert Classic, and enjoys a worthy reputation worldwide as an excellent layout. The course features hundreds of indigenous species of flora and fauna, beautifully complemented by meandering fairways and seven fresh and saltwater lakes. The Majlis which was the first grass course in the Middle East takes its name from the Arabic word for 'meeting place'. One of the most prominent features on the course is the Majlis building itself positioned between the 8th and 9th holes and a Dubai landmark since 1988.

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SIGHTSEEING: **Dubai** may already be mistaken for a movie set featuring a futuristic metropolis, and even greater plans are in the works. Located in the middle of the desert where almost nothing existed 20 years ago, there are so many building projects that foreign construction crews vastly outnumber citizens. Everything is the biggest, tallest, and the first of its kind, including manmade islands shaped like palm trees and the world's first underwater hotel. It's a striking collection of styles, including modern interpretations of ancient architecture. Consider a visit to the top of Burj Khalifa or the Souk Al Bahar, an Arabesque shopping mall located in the heart of the prestigious Downtown Burj Khalifa, on the Old Town Island.

Enjoy **Dubai** on your own or via **Azamara Shore Excursions®**.

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Overnight: At Sea

NOVEMBER 17, THURSDAY: AT SEA

Today it's time to relax and reset. Make your reservations early for **The Sanctum Spa**, a world-class wellness facility offering a full range of health, beauty and restorative treatments. Complimentary fitness and nutrition classes are available along with a fully equipped gym on Deck 9 offering magnificent sea views. There's room for everyone on the Pool Deck both in and out of the sun. Service to your lounge chair is available from **The Pool Bar** where the attentive staff is always ready to offer an inclusive cocktail, beer, bottled water, soft drink or fresh towel. **The Patio** restaurant serves casual fare during the day then completely transforms itself into a sit-down al fresco dining experience at night with table linens and candles. Elegant specialty dining is available for beef at **Prime C** and Italian at **Aqualina**. **Windows Café** serves casual buffet dining with every imaginable choice indoors and out at the sensational Sunset Bar.

What a way to spend a day!

Overnight: At Sea

NOVEMBER 18, FRIDAY: MUSCAT, OMAN (7:30AM / IN PORT)

An important trading port between East and West since the first century, **Muscat's** influence once extended as far as East Africa and Zanzibar. While much of the city's construction is new, it all displays traditional Arabic stylistic elements, creating a handsome and cohesive whole that incorporates a rich history. Two seemingly invincible mountainside forts from the 1500s flank the palace of the sultan, though today they are both museums. A major highlight is the Muttrah Souq, Muscat's oldest market. Colourful and bustling, it is a fascinating place to browse as well as barter for exotic spices, traditional handicrafts, or gold and frankincense.

Enjoy **Muscat** on your own or via **Azamara Shore Excursions®**.

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Overnight: In Port - Muscat, Oman

NOVEMBER 19, SATURDAY: MUSCAT, OMAN (IN PORT / 8:00PM)

GOLF: **Almouj Golf Club** was designed by Greg Norman, who has captured the essence of the surrounding environment and enhanced it to produce a delightful links style course that runs alongside over two kilometres of beach. Norman and his design team were mindful of maintaining the panorama of the breath-taking views of the Sea of Oman ocean and the spectacular vista of the Hajar Mountains which on a clear day you almost feel as if you can touch.

Enjoy another full day in **Muscat** on your own or via **Azamara Shore Excursions®**.

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Overnight: At Sea

NOVEMBER 20, SUNDAY: AT SEA

Enjoy another relaxing day at sea onboard *Azamara Quest*.

Overnight: At Sea

NOVEMBER 21, MONDAY: DOHA, QATAR (7:30AM / IN PORT)

GOLF: Doha Golf Club is the proud home of the European Tour's annual Commercial Bank Qatar Masters. Nothing reflects the natural beauty and diverse landscape of Qatar more than Doha Golf Club. Designed by Peter Harradine and unveiled in 1997, the golf course provides a variety of challenges that appeal to both the novice golfer and the seasoned professional. Eight strategically positioned lakes, many giant cacti, numerous imposing limestone rock formations and an abundance of lush and lengthy green fairways present a startling contrast to the desert that lies beyond.

SIGHTSEEING: Doha is the capital of Qatar, a bustling and cosmopolitan city which has undergone rapid economic expansion, as evident by stunning new buildings, resorts, and sporting venues, not to mention fantastic shopping malls and revitalized souqs. One of Doha's premier highlights is the waterfront promenade Al-Corniche, showcasing Doha Bay, city skyscrapers, and Palm Tree Island. In its efforts to become a regional hub of culture, Doha has also built a number of museums such as the Museum of Islamic Art. In addition to featuring Islamic art from three continents spanning 1,400 years and being designed by renowned architect I.M. Pei, it's also home to the restaurant IDAM by legendary chef Alain Ducasse.

Enjoy **Doha** on your own or via **Azamara Shore Excursions®**.

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Overnight: In Port - Doha, Qatar

NOVEMBER 22, TUESDAY: DOHA, QATAR (IN PORT / IN PORT)

GOLF: Education City Golf Club is a landmark project for Qatar and a 2020 European Tour venue. It comprises 33 holes – an 18-hole championship layout along with a 9-hole and a 6-hole layout all designed by Jose Maria Olazábal with the goal of growing the game. The course was designed and constructed in line with full USGA standards. Olazábal led the first few holes to an ancient wadi (riverbed) wall, allowing its charm and beauty to set the tone for your whole round as it continues its route through the desert. He says, "Along several holes on both the front and back nine, we continue the reoccurring riverbed feature which, on occasion, comes strategically into play.

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Overnight: In Port - Doha, Qatar

NOVEMBER 23, WEDNESDAY: DOHA, QATAR (IN PORT / 6:00PM)

Enjoy a third and final day in **Doha** on your own or via **Azamara Shore Excursions®**.

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Overnight: At Sea

NOVEMBER 24, THURSDAY: ABU DHABI, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES (8:00AM / IN PORT)

GOLF: **Saadiyat Beach Golf Club** boasts the first oceanfront course of the Arabian Peninsula. Designed by Gary Player it is located on Saadiyat Island and set along an azure coastline. The imaginative golf course routing provides a spectacular variety of golf experiences with every hole having its own unique character. From the creation of an aquatic habitat, to the introduction of salt-water lagoons, restoration of the beach and sand dunes, the course has been designed with strict environmentally friendly guidelines and a true sensitivity to the surrounding natural environment.

SIGHTSEEING: **Abu Dhabi** is the capital of the United Arab Emirates and is the largest emirate by area. It is home to the seat of government, the Al Nahyan royal family, and a population of approximately 20% Emirati citizens and 80% expats. Its commitment to local culture and heritage, combined with international influences, is what makes Abu Dhabi an intriguing, exciting, and hospitable mix of new and old. Be sure to visit **Sheikh Zayed Grand Mosque** with 82 domes, 24-carat gold-gilded chandeliers, and the world's largest hand-knotted carpet, it's a stunning place of worship. Go for a stroll along the waterfront of Corniche Road—which features separate pedestrian and bike paths, restaurants and cafés, and Corniche Beach—enjoy a desert Jeep safari, or shop to your hearts' content at the many upscale malls and local souks throughout the city.

Enjoy **Abu Dhabi** on your own or via **Azamara Shore Excursions®**.

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Overnight: In Port - Abu Dhabi, UAE

NOVEMBER 25, FRIDAY: ABU DHABI, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES (IN PORT / 6:00PM)

Spend another full day in **Abu Dhabi**.

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Overnight: At Sea

NOVEMBER 26, SATURDAY: DUBAI, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES (6:00AM / IN PORT)

Disembark *Azamara Quest* at 9:00AM.

Golf Schedule

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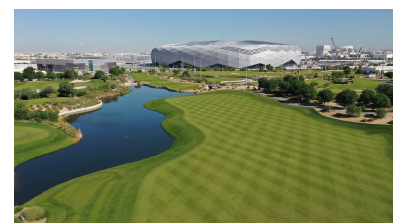
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