American Cruise Lines’ 2nd Modern Riverboat Nears Completion

Guilford, CT—June 7, 2019—American Cruise Lines announced that at 5:00 am this morning, its 2nd new modern riverboat, American Harmony, moved under its own power to the shipyard’s outfitting pier for final touches. American Harmony was successfully launched at Chesapeake Shipbuilding this past November, 2018, and is well ahead of schedule for its August 17, 2019 inaugural cruise on the Mississippi River.

American Harmony is the 2nd of 5 new ships in American’s revolutionary new modern riverboat series. The 1st ship, American Song, was the first modern riverboat in U.S. history and went into service last fall. American Harmony was launched exactly one year to the day of its sister ship American Song. Construction on the 3rd ship in the modern riverboat series, American Jazz, is also well underway and will be launched in about 3 months at Chesapeake Shipbuilding.
*American Harmony* will have the same sophisticated modern design and state-of-the-art technical features as the series flagship, *American Song*, including the same unique opening bow and retractable gangway. *American Harmony* has 10 more deluxe suites on its upper deck and features huge all outward-facing staterooms, all with private furnished balconies. Like *American Song*, *American Harmony* also has a gorgeous multi-story glass atrium in the center of the ship.

Chesapeake Shipbuilding in Salisbury, MD has a long history of designing and building innovative new ships for American Cruise Lines. Following *American Harmony*, American Cruise Lines’ 3rd modern riverboat, *American Jazz*, is coming in 2020, as well as more new ships in 2021 and 2022.
About American Cruise Lines:
In 2018, American Cruise Lines celebrated its most award-winning year ever, winning 13 travel awards, including Condé Nast’s Readers’ Choice Award, for Top Small Cruise Lines; and Cruise Critic’s Cruisers’ Choice Award for Best River Line in the U.S. & Canada. American operates the largest and newest fleet of coastal cruise ships, Victorian-style paddlewheelers, and the only modern riverboats in the U.S. All ships are between 100-200 passengers and are built, crewed and registered in the U.S.A. With over 35 itineraries to 25 states, including many theme and holiday cruises, American cruises along the rivers, as well as the coastal and inland waterways of New England, Alaska, the Pacific Northwest, the Mississippi River system, and the Southeast.

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