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1 Indulge on the **Las Vegas Strip** with an



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**all-inclusive package** at Luxor, with **more than \$350 in savings**. The deal at the casino-resort starts at \$210 a night double and includes dining for two at the all-you-can-eat buffet, More (\$15-\$20 normally per person); two tickets to Criss Angel's show, "Believe," (from \$59 each) and to the Titanic artifacts exhibition (\$32); a pair of passes at Nurture Spa and Salon (\$15); and VIP admission for two at CatHouse club (\$20 for women, \$40 for men). Add 12 percent taxes and a resort fee of about \$17 per night. Valid through July 21. Info: 877-386-4658, [www.luxor.com](http://www.luxor.com).

Save on **off-peak stays** at the four-star Inn on Biltmore Estate, the **former Vanderbilt spread** in Asheville, N.C. With the deal, rooms in February **start at \$139** midweek and \$179 weekend; in March, from \$159 midweek and \$199 weekend. For example, a midweek stay in a deluxe double this month costs \$154, with taxes. Normally, rates run from \$189 to \$379, plus taxes. Blackout dates are Feb. 10-11 and 17-18 and March 27 and 29-31. In addition, suites are 50 percent off through March 31. Info: 866-336-1245, [www.biltmore.com/stay/rates](http://www.biltmore.com/stay/rates).

**Sea**

American Cruise Lines is offering **free shore excursions** on its 2012 **Alaska Inside Passage** cruises. Deal applies to all cruises departing June through September; most itineraries are seven nights and travel round trip from Juneau. Shore excursions at Alaskan ports, valued at \$510 per passenger,

include a Stikine River jet boat tour in Petersburg, a Mendenhall Glacier and city tour in Juneau, and a tribal dance and cultural legends excursion in Hoonah. The seven-night cruises aboard the 100-passenger American Spirit start at \$5,320 per person double, plus \$250 port charges. Info: 800-460-4518, [www.americancruiselines.com](http://www.americancruiselines.com).

Princess Cruises is offering a **summer sale** on its cruises in **Europe and Alaska**, with up to \$1,400 in savings per couple. The deal is valid on cruises in Scandinavia, the Greek Islands, the Mediterranean, Russia, the British Isles and more. For example, pay \$699 per person double for an interior cabin on the 11-day Passage to Europe from New York to Southampton, England. The Caribbean Princess departs May 3 and stops in Halifax, Nova Scotia; Dublin; and Glasgow. Regular fare is \$1,190. Add \$143 in taxes and fees. Book by Feb. 28 for all cruises. Info: 800-774-6237, [www.princess.com](http://www.princess.com).

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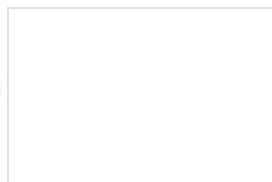
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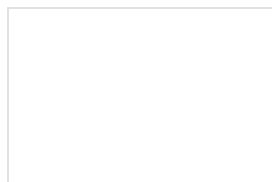
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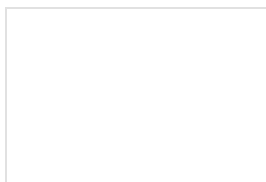
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