

Former House Speaker Newt Gingrich Joins Freedom Cruise

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Freedom Alliance is pleased to announce that former House Speaker Newt Gingrich will join the 2006 Freedom Cruise which sets sail from Rome, Italy August 19-29. The ten day trip includes policy seminars on board Holland America's newest ship, the ms Noordam, and includes stops in the Greek Isles, Croatia, Turkey, Malta and Sicily.

"We are thrilled to have the Speaker with us on the Freedom Cruise," said Freedom Alliance President Tom Kilgannon. "Newt is one of the most dynamic public speakers in America today and his inside perspective on the challenges facing our country will be well received."

Gingrich is well-known as the architect of the "Contract with America" that led the Republican Party to victory in 1994 by capturing the majority in the U.S. House for the first time in forty years. After he was elected Speaker, he disrupted the status quo by moving power out of Washington and back to the American people. Under his leadership, Congress passed welfare reform, passed the first balanced budget in a generation, and passed the first tax cut in sixteen years. In addition, the Congress restored funding to strengthen our defense and intelligence capabilities, an action later lauded by the bipartisan 9/11 Commission.

Newt Gingrich has published nine books. His most recent is *Winning the Future: A 21st Century Contract with America*.

The Freedom Cruise features in-depth discussions and informative seminars on the most important issues of the day, including the war in Iraq, the Iranian nuclear situation, and issues affecting our national security and sovereignty.

Other speakers include Freedom Alliance Founder and Honorary Chairman Oliver North, NRA Executive Vice President Wayne LaPierre, former U.S. Attorney General Ed Meese, FOX News Analyst Retired Major General Paul Vallely, ACU Chairman David Keene, and former Congressman Bob Barr.

"The Freedom Cruise is unique," Kilgannon explained, "because in addition to the educational seminars, our cruisers appreciate the personal interaction and time they can spend with our guest speakers throughout the cruise."

To make your reservations, please fill out the enclosed registration form and mail it to the Cruise Authority, visit the Freedom Cruise web site at www.freedomcruise.com or call the Cruise Authority at (800) 707-1634.