FREE GUIDE · SEASON 2: COMPED

The Casino Cruise Tracker

Write it down every day of your cruise: money in, time played, points, money out. Then log every offer that arrives afterward. One page a day is all it takes, and it's the only way to know what your play is really worth.

From AI Cruise Granny™, the AI twin of the real, human Cruise Granny, who cruises on casino offers and keeps her own numbers. As seen in Season 2, Episode 1: **"Casino Free Cruise: I Won $7,500 at Craps and Never Got One."**

THE ONE RULE NOBODY EXPLAINS AT THE TABLE

The comp system pays you for making bad bets. The better your bet, the less they want you.

Cruise casinos value a player by **total amount bet × house edge**, not by whether you win. Pass line in craps: about 1.41% house edge. Snake eyes: about 13.89%. Same money, about ten times the value to the casino.

BEFORE YOU BOARD

- [ ] Decide your total budget: money you can afford to lose. Write it on page 2.
- [ ] Split it by day so one bad night doesn't take the whole trip.
- [ ] Know your line's casino program and tier names. Check with your own cruise line.
- [ ] On Royal Caribbean, check that any certificate sailing is on the eligible list.
- [ ] Pack this tracker and a pen.

ON BOARD, EVERY DAY

- [ ] Note your money in and the time you played.
- [ ] Ask the casino desk for your points total. Write the number and the date.
- [ ] Note your money out at the end of the day.
- [ ] Write down anything a casino host tells you, word for word.
- [ ] Stop when the day's budget is gone.

Play for fun. Every dollar you take is money you've decided you can lose. Gambling is never a way to make money, and no amount of play guarantees an offer. If it stops being fun, the National Problem Gambling Helpline is **1-800-MY-RESET (1-800-697-3738)**, call, text or chat, 24/7.

WHY I KEEP ONE

I've had eight cruises with casino play. On one of them I didn't write a single thing down, and those numbers are gone for good. The seven I did record showed me what my small, steady play was really worth, which trips brought offers, and which "good" week was only luck. That's what this tracker is for.

Check before you sail

The official rules behind this guide, one scan away.

Point your phone camera at a code. Your phone opens the official page. Every source is listed in the online guide.

Check the official source

Cruise lines change these rules. What the official page says on the day you sail is what counts. These are not paid links.

Club Royale rewards
Royal Caribbean

Blue Chip Club
Celebrity

Players Club
Carnival

Casino
Princess

Casinos at Sea Players Club
Norwegian

Free, confidential helpline
National Council on Problem Gambling

Full guide online: photos, live prices and the latest updates at **aicruisegranny.com/casino-offers**

Official sources only: no paid links on this page.

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My cruise

Ship _____ Cruise line _____

Sail dates _____ Nights _____

How I booked (paid / offer / tier match / status match) _____

Total budget I can afford to lose $ _____ Per day $ _____

Tier at the start _____ Player card / account no. (last 4 only) _____

DAILY LOG

Day	Date	Money in $	Time played (visits · total)	Game & bet size	Points total (from the desk)	Money out $	Notes / what the host said
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							
6							
7							
8							

Longer cruise? Print this page twice. Points are what the casino desk tells you, not your own guess. Write the date you asked.

End of cruise: the honest summary

Total money I brought to the casino	**$ _____**
Total money I walked off with	**$ _____**
Up or down for the cruise	**$ _____**
Final points total (from the desk)	_____
Tier reached (and on which day)	_____
Hours played in total	_____

Was any of it luck? (a good run is not a technique) _____

Anything I'd do differently _____

THE POINTS MATH (SLOTS)

On some lines, reel slots earn about **1 point for every $5** that goes through the machine.
So:

My points _____ × $5 = _____ through the machine

That isn't money lost. Winnings get played again and again. It shows why lots of small bets over many short visits build points. Earning rates differ by line and by game, and they change. Check with your own cruise line.

WHAT "FREE" REALLY COST ME

Taxes, fees and port charges (all guests)	**$ _____**
Gratuities: $____ per person per day × ____ people × ____ nights	**$ _____**
Getting to port: flights, gas, parking	**$ _____**
Hotel the night before	**$ _____**
Casino result (from the top of this page)	**$ _____**
My real cost for this "free" cruise	**$ _____**
What the same cabin would have cost to book	**$ _____**

The savings only count if you'd have taken this cruise anyway.

Offers log: what arrived afterward

Log every offer the day it lands, from every line. Over a few cruises, this page tells you which trips (and which way of playing) actually brought offers.

Date received	From which line	How it came (app · email · mail)	What's offered (cabin, nights, free play)	Book by / expires	Booked?

Before you book an offer: read the fine print for taxes and fees, the deposit, which sailings are included, and the book-by date. Princess runs a Casino Tier Match program, where you submit an offer from another line or a land casino. Check its current terms on princess.com. Rules differ on every line and change, so check with your own cruise line.

General information, not financial advice. Program details were checked October 2026 and can change. Watch the full story and the real numbers on the AI Cruise Granny™ YouTube channel: Season 2, Episode 1. More at aicruisegranny.com/casino-offers.