BARCELONA CRUISE PORT

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WHY SHOULDN'T THERE BE AN "I" IN TEAM?

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It's a phrase we have all heard before, from the time we were sat in the classroom straight up to when we are in the boardroom. It's meant to encourage us to collaborate and focus on the greater good instead of our personal achievements, but is it really the best ethos to have in a company?

During the course of October, we have had least one ship in our terminals every day and will end the month completing over 70 operations. There have been 19 days where either our World Trade Centre city terminals or our Adossado wharf have been fully occupied. In addition to this, we have also had 3 days of full terminal occupancy across both our piers.





Not only have we seen an increase in number of operations throughout the month but also have a variety of events to celebrate.

We had the privilege to participate in inaugural ceremonies for Ponant's Le Jacques Cartier & Fred Olsen's Bolette. Both Captains praised Spain's approach to the return to travel within COVID 19 protocols and looked forward to their season in the Western Mediterranean.

This month we said goodbye to Royal Caribbean's Harmony of the Seas after twelve weeks of routine operations on our Adosado wharf. Coming to straight to Barcelona from her technical dry dock in Cádiz, we were her chosen homeport to host the first turnaround operation since the COVID 19 restrictions were lifted.

Follow us for more updates Instagram - @barcelonacruiseport Facebook - Barcelona Cruise Port www.bcncruiseport.com These accomplishments alone are a great feat, especially in a post pandemic world where the cruise industry is still trying to get back on its feet. Yet these are not successes just for Barcelona Cruise Port or the sector, but it's a huge credit to our team who have completed these operations.

Throughout the month team members at have stepped up to help their colleagues with the workload and pulled together to accomplish these challenges. The concept that there is no "I" in TEAM means that individual achievements and personal efforts are brushed over as general successes, when it is specifically those individual details that make these triumphs possible.

At Barcelona Cruise Port we want to celebrate the "I" in our TEAM. It's the ambition and values our team share and demonstrate through their motivation which allows us to thrive.

"We are very proud of the team culture we have in Barcelona, not just from our Port Operations team, but from all of our office. They consistently prove how working together and collaborating within the departments means that our targets and objectives take care of themselves."