

# Wave

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The News Letter from Indulgence Charters

## Valentines Day

For others like myself February 14<sup>th</sup> can be a stressful time, especially if you forget about it!

This year why not surprise your other half with a romantic cruise on the Thames.

Indulgence may be a bit big for 2 people so why not share the experience with friends. For those who have been labeled unromantic this is one treat that will provide at least 4 rounds worth of brownie points!

Fully inclusive of all food and beverages based on 8 guests.

**£2,750<sub>ex VAT</sub>**

## The London Eye Package

Exclusive to the BA London Eye this package includes flight on the eye with VIP fast track service, champagne during flight and souvenir guide.

For further information and bookings please call the London Eye sales Team on 0870 2202223

## Happy New Year!

We would like to take this opportunity to wish all of our clients, friends and supporters a very happy New Year. We hope that 2003 has started well for you all and we look forward to welcoming you aboard one of our vessels in the near future.



## Up and running

Despite nature's attempts to thwart us, as you can see from the above image Indulgence is now operational on the Thames! It has been a period of hard work for everybody involved but on the 5<sup>th</sup> of December we got back to doing what we do best - showing people a great time!

As you can tell from the photo it was a fairly grey day which disappointed us more than our guests as 24 hours earlier we had glorious sunshine but the central heating kept everybody warm and the hard top kept the drizzle off our heads.

Just prior to this snap our guests had taken a flight on the London Eye and had joined us at the Millennium pier, it was then a leisurely cruise up river where lunch was waiting for them at Conrans in Chelsea Harbour.

It was possibly fate that on our first outing we should bump into somebody rich and famous and Australian pop singer Holly Valance duely obliged. After signing some autographs for our guests in Chelsea she was then horrified to see them board Indulgence and depart whilst she climbed into the back of a Vectra! It just goes to show that not even a superstar can rival the luxury transport an experience aboard Indulgence provides!

## Turning heads as expected

In the backs of our minds we always knew that Indulgence was going to be unique on the Thames and that there may be some who would try to sneak a glimpse of us as soon as they could.

However the speed of our first interception even shocked us, Indulgence had been tied up alongside our first port of call for less than 90 seconds before a Police boat was alongside asking questions and requesting a show round!

Forty five minutes later it was the harbour master and the following day the same police boat with a different crew. All were grateful for the beverages that were offered to them and for a brief 5 minutes their positions provided them an opportunity to have a luxury coffee break!

Everybody was duly impressed and bearing in mind we have already had over half a dozen charters on the river they could be seeing a lot more of us when the weather starts to improve