



## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **Great idea for a May Bank Holiday Break!**

With Spring just around the corner now is the perfect time to start planning the first Bank Holiday Break. Anyone who loves the water should head to the largest of the fascinating Channel Islands.

Jersey is holding its second annual Boat Show from Saturday 2 May to Monday 4 May. The Show is held in and around Jersey's St Helier marina, at the heart of the bustling Port and close to the famed shopping capital of the Island.

The Show offers all that's good about maritime Jersey, including the latest boats and products, a visit from the Royal Navy, Tall Ships, world beating yachts, live entertainment and plenty of excellent food and drink!

Organisers of the Show, Jersey Harbours are encouraging visitors not only to experience the unique maritime atmosphere of the Boat Show but also to enjoy all that the Island of Jersey has to offer. Attractive Boat Show weekend packages, featuring great hotels and enticing discounts, are already on offer visit <http://www.jerseytravel.com/boat-show.html> for more information.

With its unspoiled landscape and unique blend of British and French influences, Jersey really is a place where visitors can get away from it all. Amongst its many attractions are magnificent castles, fascinating wildlife and adventure parks, and hands-on museums that really bring history to life.

Jersey's good living and fine food enjoys a glowing reputation the world over. The Island boasts a huge range of places to eat, from Michelin-star restaurants serving gourmet dishes, to country pubs dishing up hearty, honest fare, to beachside bistros offering simple but excellent staples.

Jersey Harbours' Chief Executive comments "Whether you are a seasoned boater, a new enthusiast or just a lover of the water Jersey has something for everyone. Our Boat Show is a great reason to come to the Island. We look forward to welcoming visitors by sea or air".

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