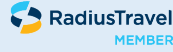


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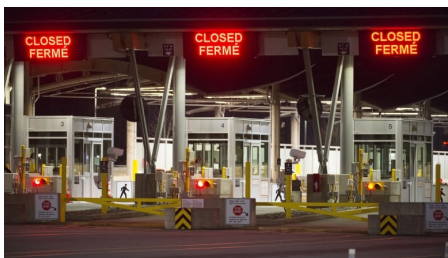
WestJet Increases Flights For August Amid Coronavirus Pandemic:

WestJet plans to restart non-stop flights from Calgary to London and Paris next month as it slowly increases the number of flights it offers this summer. The airline says it will resume the flights to London and Paris starting Aug. 20.



Canada Adds Health Officials At U.S. Border Crossings To Screen For COVID-19:

As the volume of travellers entering Canada through the U.S. has increased in recent weeks, public health officials are being placed at land borders to bolster screening for COVID-19. The Public Health Agency of Canada is adding on-site employees at 36 points of entry, including New Brunswick crossings in St. Stephen, Woodstock and Edmundston.



Canada-U.S. Border Closure To Be Extended For Another 30 Days, Say Officials:

The agreement to restrict travel across the Canada-U.S. border will be extended into August. Senior

government officials confirm the arrangement limiting border access to essential travel only will be rolled over for another 30 days. The agreement, which has to be reviewed each month, was set to expire on July 21.



Hilton Launches New Meetings Cleanliness Program, Broadens Express Agreements:

Following other major hotel companies, Hilton Worldwide today unveiled a global cleanliness and customer service program for its meetings and events.



Global Air Capacity Crosses 50M Seat Threshold This Week:

Global airline capacity this week rose to 53.8 million seats, with growth in all 10 regional markets except the Southwest Pacific, according to OAG analysis. Overall, capacity stands at about 45 percent of where it was this time last year, but capacity has grown by 34 percent since the middle of June.



Maritime Travel – Return to Travel Roadmap:

Maritime Travel has compiled a one-stop resource for travel managers and travellers, offering accurate and up-to-date information on policies pertaining to all forms of travel. This online portal will consist of categories such as:

- [General Information \(COVID-19\)](#)
- [Government Regulations](#)
- [Air Travel Regulations](#)
- [Hotel Updates](#)
- [Car & Ground Transportation](#)

Resource Tip:

Maritime Travel – Apollo Client Statement:

With travel resuming for businesses across the country, Maritime Travel has taken key initiatives to update and inform those on-the-road with information pertaining to COVID-19. Our personalized itinerary, the Apollo Client Statements, will now contain a link to the resources for all forms of travel. Please contact your dedicated travel team for more information.

Your Itinerary:

[Return to Travel Roadmap](#)

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