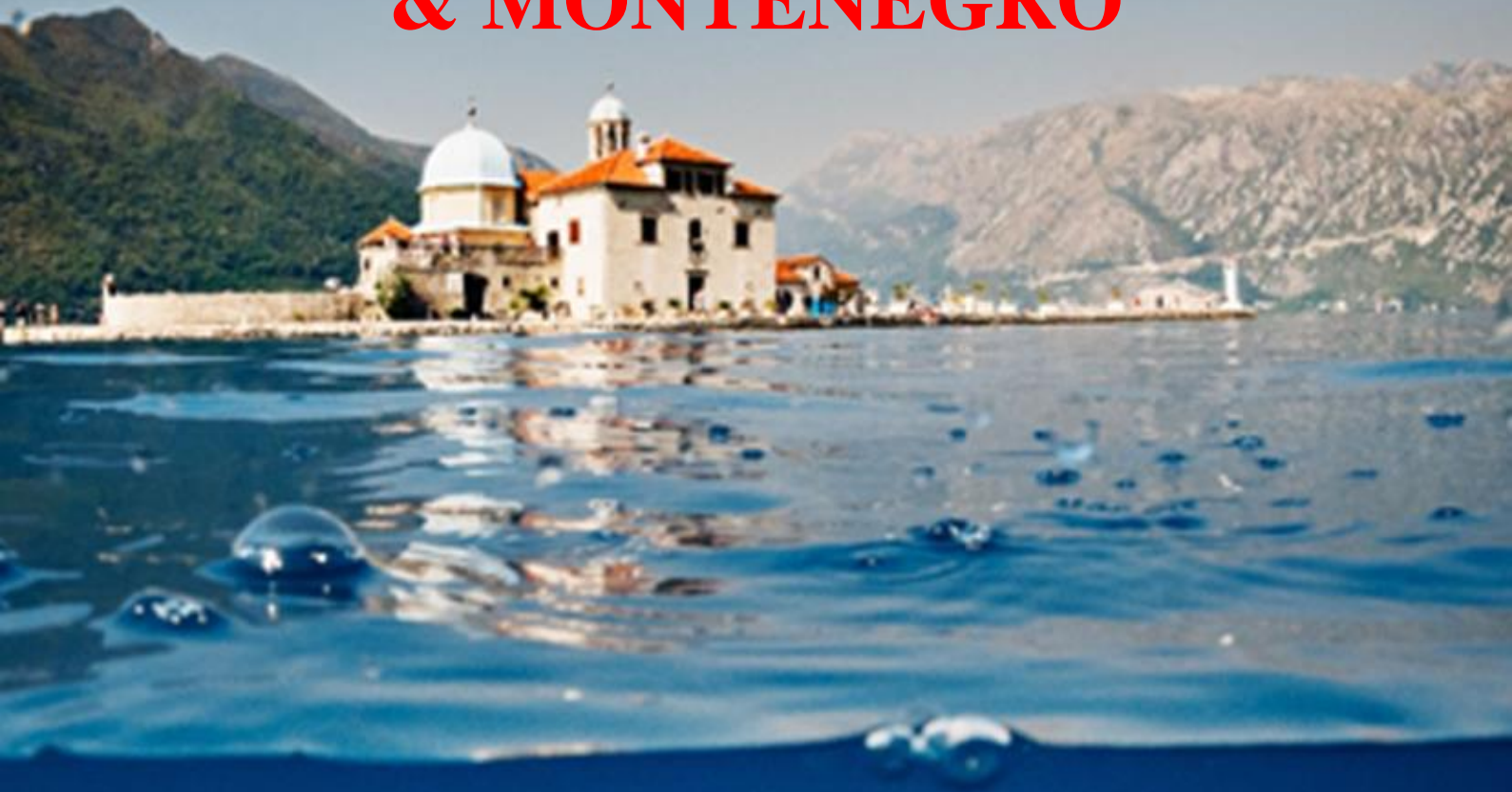


SAILING ADVENTURES PRESENTS

THE DALMATIAN COAST, THE ISLANDS of CROATIA & MONTENEGRO



JUNE 2024







Sailing between Split and Dubrovnik along the Adriatic coast taking in Montenegro as well as many of the islands along some of the most spectacular coastline in Europe.

Let your hosts and support crew look after your needs while you relax and discover exotic beaches in the bays of tiny islands and explore secluded coves hidden in the sparkling blue of the Adriatic.





| Another Day...Another Bay

Sunbathing, swimming, snorkeling and exploring the stunning marine life in the crystal-clear waters of the Adriatic.



■ Then there's the beautiful scenery and natural wonders on dry land

with treks and excursions for you to embark on, from national parks with picturesque lakes and pinewoods to the beautifully cultivated meadows of Mediterranean vegetation and olive treed hillsides and... great wines.



Classic Art and culture lovers will fall in love with the many historical monuments, original architecture, monasteries, museums and art galleries.

If cultural heritage is your passion, then you will bear witness to the place where the ancient world meets the modern as we sail into the

historical core of Croatia & Montenegro, visiting cities and towns that were once the centre of life in ancient times; now more than 2500 years old.



What captivating holiday would be complete without the culinary cuisine to match.

The creators of this journey share the same passion for food as they do for sailing so rest assured, you're in safe hands as you enjoy the

culinary delights of local produce, great food and hospitality both aboard and ashore.



While docked at one of the many village or promenades take the chance

to meander through the old cobbled streets of the seaside villages and stop in at a cosy café to soak up a coffee whilst watching the locals go about their day.

Allow yourself to be lured by one of the many ice cream parlours that promise to serve the yummiest “Sladoled” you’ve ever tasted.



We will visit the wonderland that is Montenegro.

Imagine a place with rugged peaks as dramatic as Switzerland's, canyons nearly as deep as Colorado's, palazzi as elegant as Venice's and towns as old as Greece's.

Then wrap it up in a Mediterranean climate and squash it into an area two-thirds the size of Wales and you start to get a picture of Montenegro.



Our aim is to ensure that you experience and enjoy one of the most interesting, relaxing and eventful holidays; all at the same time.

With iconic architectural structures, 1900-year-old cultural traditions, lots of sunshine, gastronomic delights, coastlines that will amaze you and an array of recreational activities;

Croatia & Montenegro are the hidden gems of holiday destinations that have left visitors spellbound for centuries. Come and experience the magic that is Croatia & Montenegro.



Sailing Adventures: Croatia & Montenegro 2024

Arrive DUBROVNIK or TIVAT
AIRPORT & transfer to KOTOR

SATURDAY 8th JUNE

Depart SPLIT

SUNDAY 22nd JUNE

\$ 11,950 Per Person (Twin Share)

\$ 3,950 Single Supplement

\$ 4,950 pp - Deposit on Booking

Balance of payment 12 weeks prior to departure

INCLUDED:

Luxury Sailing Catamarans,
Host/Hostess, Qualified Skipper, All Meals (as indicated,
aboard & ashore), Restaurants, local house wines, beers &
soft drinks whilst aboard as well as at dinners ashore,
Mooring Fees, Fuel, Local Taxes & Tourist Taxes.

NOT INCLUDED:

Air fares, Personal Travel Insurance, Pre & Post Cruise
Accommodation, Transfers.

Itinerary **

Sailing Adventures

Croatia & Montenegro

Croatia has become a hotspot for tourism as it offers a diversity of destinations, set against spectacular natural landscapes. The Croatian Adriatic includes 1,185 islands, islets and reefs and the coastline stretches 1,778kms. The mainland and the islands are dotted with fishing villages, apparently unchanged in many years and the otherwise uninhabited islands which come alive in the summer as the restaurants, cafes and bars open for the passing summer trade. We will visit the heartland of Croatia and Montenegro – the Dalmatian Coast of the Mid & Southern Adriatic Sea. This area of the coast allows you to take in the history and architecture of Croatia and Montenegro; lose yourself in smaller towns such as Komiza, Hvar Town, Vis or nearby Vrbosca on Hvar not to mention the beauty and wonders of Montenegro.

** Please Note: Destinations are indicative of where we plan to be for each day. This itinerary may vary depending on a change of circumstances, weather conditions or operator's choice. **

B = BREAKFAST
L = LUNCH
D = DINNER

The Southern Adriatic

MONTENEGRO & DUBROVNIK

SATURDAY - DAY 1

D.

KOTOR

Arrive at Dubrovnik airport and transfer to the Old City of Kotor, Montenegro. Alternatively, fly into Tivat airport, Montenegro. There you will be met by your hosts and settled onto our luxury catamaran.

The rest of the day spent exploring the old city and surrounds. That night we will host a welcome dinner in the old city at one of the great restaurants of the area.

SUNDAY - DAY 2

B.L.D.

LUSTICA

The morning in Kotor exploring the ancient city or climbing to the Old Fort for the most spectacular view imaginable or a visit to Our Lady of The Rocks will leave you spellbound in this tiny country. Dinner that night in an amazing setting.

MONDAY - DAY 3

B.L.D.

RISAN

Imagine a place with sapphire beaches as spectacular as Croatia's, rugged peaks as dramatic as Switzerland's, canyons nearly as deep as Colorado's, palazzi as elegant as Venice's and towns as old as Greece's. Then wrap it up in a Mediterranean climate and squash it into an area two-thirds the size of Wales, and you start to get a picture of Montenegro.

We will spend lots of time in this magnificent area. Dining in spectacular settings and taking in the wonders of the region.

TUESDAY - DAY 4

B.L.D.

BOKA BAY

Montenegro, known as the pearl of the Mediterranean, unique in many ways, situated in the south of the Adriatic. Nowhere else can you find, so much natural wealth, beauty, mild beaches, clear lakes, fast rivers, and gorgeous mountains in such a compact area as in Montenegro. This place cannot leave you indifferent.

WEDNESDAY - DAY 5

B.L.D.

MARINA DUBROVNIK

After breakfast, we will head back through customs into Croatia to the old city of Dubrovnik. This beautiful city was the setting for many of the famous scenes from The Game of Thrones, especially the spectacular gardens of King's Landing.

THURSDAY - DAY 6

B.D.

DUBROVNIK

Another day in this historic and iconic city. A chance to go to the museums, the war memorial, the beaches or walk the wall. This night's accommodation will be "on the boat" so that we can depart early in the morning for our next adventure.

The Middle Adriatic

LOCRUN, THE STON CHANNEL, MJET, KORCULA TOWN & LASTOVO.

FRIDAY - DAY 7

B.L.D.

KOBAS BAY

Today it's off to Kobas Bay along the Ston Channel.

This peaceful Bay is dotted with restaurants and villas. A visit to nearby Ston and Maliston (Little Ston) is a must to see the largest oyster and mussel growing areas of Croatia. Those who wish, should walk the "wall" from Ston to Mali Ston with views and history galore. Dinner will be at the world famous "Gastro Mare" restaurant on the waterfront in Kobas Bay, hosted by world renowned chef, Toni Bjelancic...this place is a gourmet's delight.

SATURDAY - DAY 8

B.L.D.

POLACE

In the morning we will sail to the secluded town of Polace on the Island of Mljet. From Polace we will explore the Lakes, Malo & Veliko Jezero as well as the ancient Benedictine Monastery on the islet of Sv. Marija. Moored 3 metres from our restaurant, we will enjoy the best of open grilled seafood fresh from the local fishermen along with local wines. Along the way we will visit the world famous "Grgic" vineyard. Michael Grgic was the wine maker about whom the film "Bottle Shock" was based. (Well worth watching before you leave).

SUNDAY - DAY 9

B.D.

KORCULA

A short sail up to the island of Korcula sees us arriving in Korcula Town....

The city with the same name as the Island is said to be the best preserved-medieval settlement in the Mediterranean. Korcula had a strategic position in the Adriatic over the centuries, where its tall towers could monitor the passing galleys and sailing ships. It is also the birthplace of Marco Polo. Marco Polo's house is a must visit here.

MONDAY - DAY 10

B.L.D.

ZAKLOPATICA

From Korcula Town we are off on a short leg, our destination, the Island of Lastovo and the village of Zaklopatica. Famous for its amazing array of bespoke chimneys and dinner at the famous "Konoba Triton".

TUESDAY - DAY 11

B.L.D.

PALMIZANA BAY

From Lastovo we are off to the Pakleni Group of Islands. This set of islands and bays are a must see in the area ... Especially Palmizana Bay which is a spectacular bay on the southern side of Klement Island.

The Middle Adriatic

PALMIZANA, HVAR TOWN, KOMIZA, SOLTA & SPLIT.

WEDNESDAY - DAY 12

B.D.

HVAR TOWN

Early morning, we are off to Hvar Town on the Island of Hvar. Hvar is an undisputed sailing magnet, beautiful, historical and a place in which you will dine in style. Sailing into Hvar is a visual spectacle. The cliffs are farmed with sage, rosemary, olives and grapes and look remarkably manicured. Hvar has a fabulous promenade on the waterfront with palm trees and the Venetian settlement. The old walled fortress is definitely worth visiting. Hvar offers culture, art and buildings, but is most famous for its restaurants, bars and night life.

THURSDAY - DAY 13

B.L.D.

KOMIZA

From Hvar we have a short sail to Komiza on the island of Vis. This island is far from the mainland and has always been a significant haven for mariners in the central Adriatic. Vis is an island of vineyards and vintners who have responded in style by opening wine-cellars and shops. In summer there are cultural events associated with the Vis Summer Festival and alongside more hedonistic pursuits, you can also visit the local museum which will give you an idea of the significance of the historical surroundings into which you have sailed. We will moor in the town of Komiza.

FRIDAY - DAY 14

B.L.D.

TROGIR

This morning we will head to the island of Solta for lunch and the village of Maslinica. Maslinica is a settlement on Solta, situated in a bay on the western part of the island. Maslinica is distinguished by a natural landscape, with the picturesque bay and a pine wood on the south side in the vicinity of the deep, well-protected Šešula bay. Friday evening, we will arrive in Trogir for our final night aboard.

SATURDAY - DAY 15

B.D.

SPLIT

Transfer to your accommodation in the old town in Split. Explore Split at leisure. That night your "Sailing Adventures" team will host our group at a farewell dinner in the ancient Diocletian Palace or the Old City itself...

Split is the largest city on the eastern Adriatic coast and has a history dating back 1,700 years to the time when the Emperor Diocletian had a residence built here, the remains of which are still the most important feature of the old part of the city and waterfront. Life in Split is lived outdoors with fascinating architecture, museums, markets, restaurants and street entertainment.

SUNDAY - DAY 16

Today we bid everyone farewell and it's off to the airport or the next stage of your journey with fond farewells, a few tears and a vow to return to this gem of the Mediterranean.





