

Welcome aboard!

With Yachts and Friends you are a captain of your own sailing journey! You have all freedom of the world to plan your own journey! We help you create your itinerary with various interesting stops and activities based on inputs that you give us, but in the end, you make your own choices! We will let you know what route would be of most interest to you, where to stop and eat, which museum is a must see, where the best beach cocktails can be found, and the finest clubs to enjoy the nightlife in each destination; It all depends on how far your imagination will take you! Each suggestion is tailor made toward your specific needs and wants.

Croatia Route

Day 1: Check into base marina (Kastela and Seget)

Check in upon arrival will either be in Marina Kastela or Marina Seget Donji (Trogir). Both of these marinas are within a 20-30 minute taxi journey from the center of Split or 10 minutes taxi from Split airport. The yacht should be ready to set sail around 5:00PM so it's best to arrive a few hours before to complete all the necessary paperwork and prepare the boat for the week ahead. It's just a short sail on the first day, so depending on which marina the boat departs will depend on the first destination. If you're leaving from Marina Kastela it's just a couple of hours sail up to Trogir. Trogir is a beautiful UNESCO protected baroque city with great bays, restaurants and nightlife to enjoy.

Day 2: Slatine bay, Island of Hvar and city of Hvar

Have breakfast along Trogir's waterfront before heading to Slatine Bay where you will have the opportunity to take a refreshing swim in the crystal clear waters. From Slatine Bay you will sail out toward the Island of Hvar and city of Hvar while enjoying lunch on your yacht, total sailing time is approximately two hours. When you arrive at the city of Hvar you will immediately fall in love with the ambient atmosphere, pristine landscape, and the many fine restaurants and bars. such as Hula Hula Beach Club, Luculus, Gariful, and Carpe Diem.

What to do

- *Spanjola Fortress*
Overlooking the city of Hvar is the 16th-century Fortress of Spanjola; the Fortress offers extraordinary views of Hvar and is an ideal place to watch the sunset over the Adriatic Sea.
- *Franciscan Monastery*
A short walk from the center of Hvar you will find Franciscan Monastery, offering peaceful and beautiful grounds the monastery is a great place to relax and take in the surreal beauty of Hvar's natural landscape.

Where to Eat

- *Restaurant Gariful*
Located in the inner marina of Hvar, restaurant Gariful offers a variety of delicious seafood options paired with excellent Service.
- *Restaurant Dalmatino*
Providing an ambient atmosphere in the heart of Hvar Marina, restaurant Dalmatino remains one of the most versatile restaurants in Hvar by consistently impressing people with its outstanding food and impeccable service.

Nightlife

- *Hula Hula Beach Bar*

Hula Hula Beach Bar has been ranked as one of the top bars in the world, situated steps from the crystal clear waters of the Adriatic. Hula Hula is an amazing place to hangout for the day and watch the sun set behind the Croatian Archipelago. Along with outstanding cocktails, Hula Hula also offers some of the best cuisine offered on the island of Hvar.

- *Carpe Diem*

Known as the party island in Hvar, Carpe Diem is a 5-minute water taxi out of the inner marina of Hvar town. The club takes up the entire island and offers guests with an incredible night full of dancing, laughter, and amazing people!

Day 3: Island of Hvar and a day of pure relaxation

The island of Hvar is known to be the summertime playground for the wealthy that enjoys showing off their mega yachts while partying into the early hours of the morning. Spend the day sailing around the island of Hvar and swimming in the countless bays that surround this superlative island. Dock in one of the small fishing villages and explore the traditions and spark a conversation with the locals and you will be overwhelmed by the generosity and kindness they offer.

Day 4: Fire islands, Saint Jerolim, Palmizana, and Stipanska

Set sail for the Fire Islands (archipelago of seven islands called Pakleni otoci) to Saint Jerolim for breakfast and a quick swim before heading to Palmizana for lunch. Palmizana is a beautiful haven painted with an abundance of flora including rosemary and lavender, which fill the air with the fresh fragrance. The beaches are immaculate and the water is crystal clear making it an ideal location for swimming and relaxation. After lunch you will head to Stipanska for a beach party and relaxation.

Day 5: Green Cave, Fort George, and city of Vis

Set sail for the Island of Vis; visit Green Cave where you will have the chance to partake in world class snorkeling. The reflection of the sun creates a spectacular array of blues and greens that line the interior of the cave, it is an amazing sight not to be missed. From the Green caves you will sail towards Fort George; a magnificent Fortress that looks over the Adriatic named after King George III built in 1813. You will enjoy a fine Croatian cuisine and local wines from the island of Vis. When you have served your appetite you will then head to the city of Vis where you will have a true authentic Croatian experience.

Day 6: Island of Brac and city of Milna

Casually roll out of bed in the morning and enjoy a pleasant breakfast aboard your yacht before making the journey to the island of Brac. Setting sail early in the morning will allow you to reach the island of Brac by lunch where you will enjoy a delicious meal created by the local artisan chefs. The Island of Brac is the largest island in central Dalmatia and its landscape is made up of peaks and valleys, trenches, limestone, and gorgeous beaches. We recommend immersing yourself in the rich cultural heritage and enjoying the famous spit that has become a famous Croatian beach destination. If you have some extra time, head towards the pristine bays and exciting nightlife of Baska Voda.

Day 7: Tito's Bay, Deoclecians Palace, and Split

Take a Swim at Tito's bay before visiting Deoclecian's palace in Split. The palace is an extraordinary Roman ruin that is unlike any other. The palace is in the heart of Split surrounded by fancy restaurants, hustling bars, and shops that will keep you busy from dusk

to dawn. You can even visit old Roman ruins in Salona, which is a short taxi ride away from the heart of Split. There is a great marina in Podstrana within Le Meridian Lav Bay, even though Podstrana has sandy beaches, the bay in Lav is quiet and has all facilities required to have a fantastic day.

Day 8: Check out

Check out is at 9:00am