





# Gourmet Stars & Vineyard Trails – Sep 6 – 13, 2025

#### DOBRODOŠLI! - Welcome to Croatia!

Imagine a place far from home, where the borders are delineated by the golden shores of the sea and home is wherever the anchors drop! Dropping anchor off an uninhabited or undeveloped isle in Croatia, as the sun sets, you pop into the Adriatic sea for a swim...as the daylight fades the only sounds of the evening are waves lapping against the hull — pure paradise! There's something magical about having a private yacht, nothing compares to the feeling of waking up to a gorgeous new view each morning, looking forward to another amazing day of sailing under bright sun and blue skies!

Imagine a sailing experience in a land whose Mediterranean diet is protected by UNESCO, and whose abundant Adriatic sea provides some of the finest seafood out there, local and fresh, which will take you back to a different era, returning you home. Enjoy these simple pleasures on the back on your boat as you explore the innumerable islands or discover some of the hidden culinary gems in tiny bays all over the Adriatic!

Are you a world traveler, gourmand, and oenophile? If your answer is yes, then this is the perfect journey for you! Food sheds light on people's way of life, their cultural values, and their perspectives on life. It has a way of bringing people together! But how it can be so powerful? If you think about it there are 5 senses used when tasting food and drink. First, you'll look at it with eyes, then you smell it, touch it and taste it...and you'll listen to it, right! Whenever we interact with food, our senses are awakened – which means that experiencing food while you're traveling will increase the intensity of the memories built! How beautiful is that!

We all travel to experience another culture and to learn something, yet we often end up spending our time in a 'touristy' area. It's important to visit main tourist attractions, but essential to interact with locals to get a true experience of one destination. It's an insight into the history, we learn traditions and societal norms. Lastly, it's a great opportunity to learn another language – different ways of sayings to open a meal and thank for it your host. Knowing local phrases will not only help you immerse in the culture and built quite a hefty vocabulary but also locals will certainly appreciate it. It's the moments when we interact with locals that we remember the most, once we get around the table with newly formed friends, open conversation, and share food & good wine! Moreover, positively interacting with locals can promote sustainable tourism by creating mutual understanding between both local residents and visitors!

We invite you to join us on this unique trip by land by sea - hosted by Lisa Albert, an American with a Croatia heart, Ines Palac and Goran Kovacevic – both born and raised Croatian. We'll take you to our favorite places! On a daily basis, you'll enjoy gourmet star restaurants, the best wineries in the country, and local taverns (off the beaten path) that you would never visit on your own. It's an unparalleled journey!

Welcome aboard!





## **HIGHLIGHTS**

### Michelin Dining and Unique Gastro Experiences

- Michelin Recommended Fine Dining in Split & Dubrovnik
- Dine in the Hidden Abandoned Village
- Michelin Green Star Recommended Dining in a Local Family Tavern
- Hidden Local Tavernas and Exclusive Restaurants

### **Unique Wine and Tasting Experiences**

- Taste Oysters & Mussels on a Private Island
- Visit Local Wineries and Meet Local Wine producers, sample Indigenous Croatian Wines (Brač, Hvar, Korčula, Pelješac Peninsula)
- Farm-to-Table Tasting Experience
- Olive Oil Museum & Old Olive Press

## **Luxury Yacht Cruise, Service & Local Experts**

- 8 Days on a Luxury Yacht with Max 32 Fellow Travelers
- Service Provided by Captain, Cruise Coordinator, and Experienced Crew Members
- Departure Point for Luxury Yacht Cruise (Split)
- Professional Local guides will provide historical information and interesting insights about the locations, legends, and local culture

## **History and Cultural Exploration**

- Professional Local Guides Providing Historical Insights (Split, Hvar, Korčula, Dubrovnik)
- Explore UNESCO Sites Roman Diocletian Palace and Dubrovnik
- 'Authentic Experiences' Island Discovery Brač, Hvar, Korčula Island & Pelješac Peninsula
- Off-the-Beaten-Path Exploration

**Luxury Mini Yacht Antaris - video** 





# **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

SEP 6 - 13, 2025 - 8 Days

(Maximum capacity of 32 travelers)

HIGHLIGHTS: SPLIT – BRAČ ISLAND – PAKLENI ISLANDS - HVAR ISLAND – KORČULA ISLAND – PELJEŠAC PENINSULA (STON & SLANO) – DUBROVNIK

Dobrodosli! – Welcome to Croatia! From UNESCO heritage sites, fascinating history and culture to beautiful beaches, secluded islands and clear seas discover the breathtaking beauty of Croatia, the jewel of the Adriatic!

# Day 1 – Sep 6, 2025 – Split



#### FOR GUESTS THAT ARRIVE ON THIS DAY!

#### Welcome drink onboard | Welcome Dinner

#### Welcome to Split!

The story of Split is already 17 centuries old, dating to the time the Roman Emperor Diocletian decided to build his Palace right on the peninsula near the great Roman city Salona, where he wanted to spend the last years of his life. During these 1700 years the Palace slowly turned into a city, which to this day lures with its rich tradition, glorious history and beauty of its natural and cultural heritage.

There's no doubt Diocletian's Palace is the top must-see attraction in Croatia's second biggest city –Split. This UNESCO protected World Heritage Site is actually the heart of the whole city – almost two thousand years old, the enormous palace exists today as a "living monument" – meaning it's dotted with quaint shops, galleries, cafes, restaurants and people actually live and work within its old walls. And that's what makes it really special – it's an ancient Roman palace absolutely integrated into the everyday life and doings of Split and its people.





If today is your arrival day - upon arrival at the airport, you will be greeted by our representative — private Eng.-speaking driver and they will get you settled, and you'll be on your way to Split port. Meet the rest of the group while enjoying a welcome drink! At 2 pm we'll be boarding the luxury mini cruise that will be our home for the next 8 days. After settling in, welcome meet & greet cocktail reception on board and your cruise manager will introduce you to the entire crew.

#### Meet with our private licensed local guide and enjoy the Split historical tour.

The tour includes the general history of Split and the development of the city from the 3rd century. You'll visit all the important sights that are both stunning and have a historic and cultural significance for the development of the city and the Community. The tour includes the visit to the 1700-year-old Roman Palace. It is the home of most of the city sights like the Basements, beautiful Roman squares and statues, The Bell Tower and Jupiter's temple.

Throughout the Palace there are plenty of details that could keep you occupied for hours. Within few minutes walking distance of the Palace there are a few Renaissance squares, the City Promenade and some interesting markets.

The second-largest city in Croatia, Split (Spalato in Italian) is a great place to see Dalmatian life as it's really lived.

Learn everything about major historical sites & culture and wrap up the day with a wonderful **Welcome Dinner** with your fellow travelers and hosts in one of the best restaurants in town! Always buzzing, this exuberant city has just the right balance of tradition and modernity. Step inside Diocletian's Palace and you'll see dozens of bars, restaurants & shops thriving amid the atmospheric old walls where Split life has been going on for thousands of years.

Overnight on board in Split.



#### Breakfast | Lunch on board | 'From Farm to Table' Experience (food&wine incl) | Wine Tasting

Breakfast on board! This morning we sail towards the island of Brač! On our way to Brač we'll enjoy a swim stop and lunch on board. Brač may be one of many when it comes to islands off the Croatian coast, but this Dalmatian island is unmatched when it comes to natural beauty and must-visit attractions. Beaches of fine white pebbles ribbon its coastline, and cycling paths and hiking trails crisscross the island, passing through age-old villages, lush olive groves, and neat rows of vineyards. Dotting the coast are charming fishing villages offering a taste of the local way of life that carries on once the last tourists have gone.





It is the largest island in Dalmatia famous for its beautiful beaches and limestone. The White House in Washington, D.C, the Hofburg in Vienna and the Diocletian Palace in Split are all built with this special stone! Once we reach the port of Pučišća, we'll **visit the Stonemasonry school**, followed by a short drive to the oldest village on island of Brač – Škrip. The island is also famous for its **olive oil** that you'll have a chance to taste together with some other local specialties.

We'll finish the tour in picturesque town of Bol, enjoying wine tasting in most famous winery on the island located at the seafront. Stina's wines offer a true expression of indigenous grapes and of Dalmatia as a whole. Powerful reds with the well-known characteristics of sour cherries and Mediterranean herbs, along with beautifully crisp whites, with a strong structure, extreme minerality and saline notes - a true taste of the Adriatic! Full of uniqueness and beauty, the island of Brač is above all an island of contrasts - at the same time scarce and rich, separate and connected, humble and defiant. And whoever met him at some point will always testify to the same thing: his country is stingy, but the spirit of the people is extremely rich!

Overnight in Bol - Brač Island



#### Breakfast | Lunch on board | Wine Tasting in two local wineries | Captain's Dinner

Dobro jutro! Breakfast on board before sailing towards Stari Grad, we'll enjoy a swim stop along the way. **Stari Grad** (Pharos) is the oldest town in Croatia. The same year - 384 b.c. when the Greek philosopher Aristotle was born in Trakia, the Greeks from the island of Paros in the Aegean Sea settled the town on the island of Hvar and named it Pharos.

Stari Grad (eng. "old town") is the historical heart of the island of Hvar. The town is situated in a landscape where the blue of the deep bay touches the green of the widely famous field of Pharos, with vineyards and olive groves. The fields used to provide sustenance and the bay provided protection. Today, both the fields and the bay add an attractive quality to the island, in which the modern vacation sights have become intertwined with the town's and island's antiquities.

Morning is for relaxing like locals, swimming, sunbathing, coffee or cocktail, port talks on cruise, while afternoon is reserved for visit to Vrbovska and Jelsa making stop at two **wine makers** - two small coastal towns which has a very proud and long wine-making tradition. You will have a chance to taste what it's like to try "2718 hours in the bottle". Young and ambitious "wine newcomers" without vineyards or with very small land plots. Their feeling belief is that basing wine production on grapes purchased from other farmers can't possibly be as good as coming from your own vineyard. Here in Croatia, Dubokovic wines

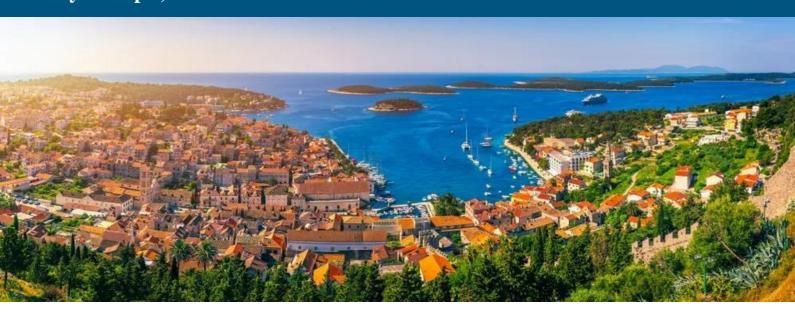




have become a "must have" in the finest restaurants, hotels and specialized wine shops. Dubokovic – Medvid wines now have the distinction of being the most expensive regular vintage wines in the country. Evening is wrapped up for **Captain's dinner** – combination of good food, interesting company, fascinating stories and good music!

Overnight Stari Grad.

## Day 4 – Sep 9, 2025 – Stari Grad – Hvar Town



#### Breakfast | Lunch on board | Traditional Dinner incl Wine

Breakfast on board while we set sail to town of Hvar on island Hvar. After lunch, disembarking and meeting with our **local guide for a private walking tour!** Hvar is one of the most sought-after destinations, attracting the rich and famous, something that's obvious when you see its harbor in the summer, filled with mega yachts. Everyone comes for its beautiful beaches as well as its world-class dining and nightlife scene, but this sunny island has, even more, to offer for travelers of all types. Hvar Town has a historic center with impressive landmarks like Španjola Fortress which offers a panoramic view over the town, harbor, the sea, and nearby islands from the top. It's also home to the oldest still active public theater in Europe, which dates back over 400 years.

After the Hvar town walking tour, we'll explore the inland of island of Hvar. We'll drive through the green and rural island of Hvar, passing through Brusje. The old road is paved with amazing views. We will stop at Napoleon Road and have the perfect views of the island's deepest bays. Then we approach the fascinating village of Velo Grablje founded in the 14th century. Stone houses and courtyards still capture your attention with their fascinating architecture, while walking within its narrow streets you will feel the breath of past times. Today the village is nearly abandoned having but a few permanent villagers, although it was a rich and prosperous place, famous for its good wine and olive oil production. Honey production was well known as well, together with lavender oil being the leading one in Europe of the time. As we had back and leaving Velo Grablje along the dry brook line, we will get to the charming, abandoned village of Malo Grablje. Our authentic Dalmatian dinner (wine incl) will be in one of the villages.

Late evening for leisure. Overnight in Hvar Island.





# Day 5 – Sep 10, 2025 – Hvar Island – Korčula Island



#### Breakfast | Lunch | Olive Oil Tasting | Local Tavern Dinner

Breakfast on board and sailing towards the island of Korčula - it is one of the greenest islands in the Adriatic Sea, with abundant vineyards and olive groves. The dense woods led the original Greek settlers to call the island Korkyra Melaina (Black Korčula). Quiet coves and small sandy beaches dot the steep southern coast while the northern shore is flatter and more pebbly.

The main city of the island Korčula has the same name. Ringed by imposing defenses, this coastal citadel is dripping in history, with marble streets rich in Renaissance and Gothic architecture. Our **private local guide** will take you on a unique tour of the old town of Korčula. You will hear many interesting stories and legends about the city and the life of Marco Polo, the most famous son of Korčula. It is still the most famous as the birthplace of Marco Polo who was probably born here in 1254, and reminders of him can be seen all around the town, including the extremely interesting Marco Polo Museum which is something you definitively don't want to miss when visiting this beautiful Dalmatian town. Today it's a town where you can vividly feel the Mediterranean spirit of people who live and work in this mixture of Gothic, Renaissance, and Baroque architecture.

We continue to **explore inland of Korčula island** - If you love olive oil, then there is no better place to be than the island of Korčula. Oil mill Zlokić was founded in 1995 in Velika Luka. The Zlokić family, in particular, is known for being one of the leading olive oil producers on the island. The family's collection boasts many old-fashioned tools for olive oil making, including a 15th-century wooden olive press and an 18th-century hydraulic compression system. The family's oil mill is 700 square meters and is located in Vela Luka. Just before the lunch we'll do a 5 S's (SEE, SWIRL, SNIFF, SIP, SAVOR) at **local winery in Smokvica**. You'll get a chance to taste famous POŠIP – a grape variety unique to Korčula.

We'll have lunch in amazing **Local Taverna** where authentic cuisine full of flavor has been served to guests for over two decades. Homemade food, including bread, the highly recommended pasta served with various sauces, goats' cheese, olive oil, home-grown vegetables, and the traditional and more personalized desserts. Just recently they have received a green Michelin star that serves as a recognition of the inspiring commitment in favor of sustainability and more responsible gastronomy.

Free evening in Korčula town. If you are looking for a great & unique shopping store – Korčula is the right places, plenty of small boutique local shops and jewelry stores. Overnight in Korčula





# Day 6 – Sep 11, 2025 – Korčula Island – Pelješac peninsula (Ston – Slano)



Breakfast | Light lunch Oyster&mussels & Wine Tasting | Dinner on board

Early in the morning, while breakfast is served, we set sail for Pelješac peninsula Trstenik. **Pelješac** is a peninsula in southern Croatia, in the Dubrovnik-Neretva County. It is around 70 km long and is connected with Croatian Mainland at Ston. The Pelješac Channel divides the peninsula from the island of Korčula. Scattered like breadcrumbs across the foothills of the dolomites, the hamlets, and villages of southern Pelješac evoke an ancient past. The rocks, the vegetation, the groves of pine and cypress - everywhere a sense of timelessness prevails. On the hills above the sea, abandoned villas and gardens, stone walls and columns lie crumbling in the sun. Lemon, fig and almond trees, herbs and wildflowers surround the villages gardens and fields. On our way we will stop for a swim in one of the many picturesque bays dotting the coast. Upon arrival in Trstenik, we will embark on **our gastronomic adventure**!

Our first stop is one of the most famous wineries - **Grgich Winery** - Famed for his Grgich Hills in Napa, he resorted back to his Pelješac roots in the late 1990's, opening his Croatian cellar. Here, taste the wines created by the man who sensed a familial relationship between Plavac Mali and Zinfandel, which led to discovery of their common origin from Crljenak Kaštelanski grapes! After a few glasses of wine and head to meet oysterman, taking a short **boat ride to the oyster farm** in the middle of the bay enjoying a **traditional lunch with a glass of wine in hand** - we'll be tasting this natural aphrodisiac straight from the sea. Talk about a gourmet's dream!

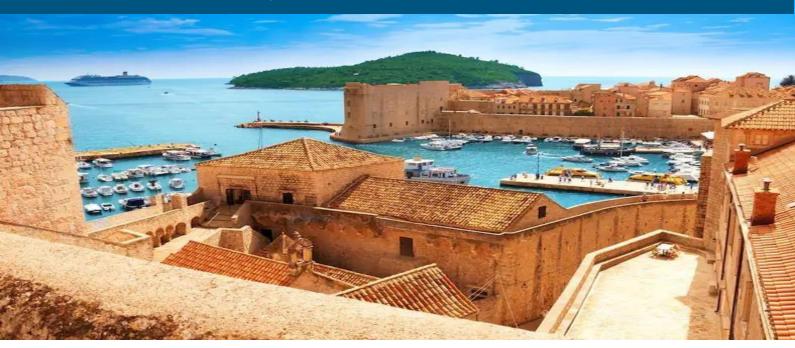
Before we head back to our boat, we'll visit Ston city - the town with the longest stone wall in Europe (5, 5 km) and the other in the world after the Chinese Wall! The walls were reinforced with 40 towers and 5 fortresses. Originally, they were 7 km long but were partially destroyed in the 1667 earthquake. After the Dubrovnik Republic acquired the Pelješac peninsula in 1334, it required the protection of the town of Ston and started building the defense walls. This large complex was built in Dubrovnik from 1334 to 1506. At that time, it was the largest fortification-urbanist project in Europe. We return to our ship in the late afternoon and spend the night in Slano, **dinner on board**.

Overnight in Slano.





# Day 7 – Sep 12, 2025 – Pelješac peninsula – Dubrovnik



#### Breakfast | Lunch | Farewell Dinner

Breakfast on board and sailing towards Dubrovnik. We'll enjoy our last swim stop if possible, at the **island of Koločep** – called by locals 'Kalamota' belongs to Elafiti Archipelago, the group of Dubrovnik's islands. The nearest to Dubrovnik, the island is located just 5 km away from Gruz, the Dubrovnik's main ferry port. This is also the smallest of the three inhabited islands in the archipelago with an area of just 2.6 sq km (1.1 sq miles) and just under 160 permanent inhabitants. Two small villages, Gornje Čelo on the southeast side and Donje Čelo on the north side of the island are the only settlements. The Elaphiti Islands or the Elaphites is a small archipelago consisting of several islands stretching northwest of Dubrovnik, in the Adriatic Sea. The Elaphites have a total land area of around 30 square kilometers and a population of 850 inhabitants.

Lunch served on board. **The last stop on our trip is Dubrovnik**, a city that will welcome you with open arms, as it does for visitors from all parts of the world. Surrounded by its fabled medieval walls, Dubrovnik is widely known as the "Pearl of the Adriatic". It is a medieval city on the Croatian side of the Adriatic coastline and treasure trove of cultural, historical monuments that were created throughout its thousand-year existence. In the past, it was a City-Republic, and alongside Venice one of the most famous cultural-economic centers on the Mediterranean. In more recent times, it has become the center of modern cultural and tourist events: a city of summer festivals — an international parade of top musical and theatrical achievements, a city of museums and galleries. These values have turned Dubrovnik into a place that offers a rich selection of various experiences and excitement, but also a complete holiday in a quiet and calming, mild Mediterranean ambience and wonderful seaside landscapes.

Upon arrival we will go on a **private sightseeing tour of the UNESCO-protected Old town**, acquainting you with its most important monuments and hidden spots. After the walking tour you'll get to enjoy time at leisure to explore this beautiful city further on your own. We'll wrap up the journey with **Farewell Dinner** in one of the best restaurants in Dubrovnik.

Overnight in Dubrovnik.





# Day 8 – Sep 13, 2025 – Dubrovnik



#### Breakfast | Hugs & Goodbye

After breakfast, sadly it's time to say goodbye - it will be time to check out enjoy your complimentary transfer to the airport/hotel. We hope to see you soon again!

You must vacate your cabin by 9 a.m. but note that if your departure transfer is later than you can 'store' your luggage onboard until it's time for your transfer.

SRETAN PUT I HVALA! (Bon Voyage and Thank you!)





## **YACHT DESCRIPTION**

#### The Majestic MS Antaris: A Deluxe Maritime Experience

Embark on an unforgettable journey aboard the MS Antaris, a deluxe vessel that first set sail in May 2019. This exquisite yacht, stretching an impressive 54 meters in length, redefines luxury with its modern design and state-of-the-art facilities, tailored for the discerning traveler.

#### **Intimate and Exclusive Atmosphere**

With a maximum capacity of just 38 passengers in 19 elegantly appointed cabins, the Antaris ensures an intimate and exclusive experience. Choose from 11 splendid upper deck cabins, each boasting its own private balcony, perfect for basking in breathtaking coastal vistas, enjoying serene afternoons, or indulging in romantic evenings under the stars. The additional 8 lower deck cabins feature portholes, infusing each room with the charm of the sea.

#### **Cabins: A Blend of Comfort and Elegance**

Each cabin, whether on the upper or lower deck, is a sanctuary of comfort and style. Our 'flex-bed' feature offers the versatility of twin or double bed configurations. Enjoy the luxury of individually controlled air-conditioning, in-room entertainment with LCD TVs, safety deposit boxes, and en-suite bathrooms replete with toiletries. Thoughtful design, including soundproofing and the latest safety systems, ensures your peace and privacy onboard.

#### **Sophisticated Public Spaces**

The heart of the Antaris is its Main Deck, housing an air-conditioned restaurant and bar framed by panoramic windows. Here, culinary delights await, with views as tantalizing as the menu. Step outside to the covered lounge area, an ideal spot for sipping cocktails and socializing with fellow travelers.

#### Sun Deck: Leisure and Luxury Combined

Ascend to the Sun Deck, a haven for relaxation and recreation. Lounge under the sun, unwind in the Jacuzzi, or take a refreshing dip in the small salt-water pool located at the rear of the Main Deck. The swimming platform offers easy access to the sea, inviting you to immerse yourself in the Adriatic's crystal-clear waters.

#### **Exclusivity and Accessibility**

The MS Antaris, designed specifically for navigating the Croatian coastline, allows access to some of the Adriatic's most coveted destinations. Its smaller size and limited passenger numbers ensure a cozy and personalized cruising experience, far from the crowds of larger ships.

#### **Your Luxurious Escape Awaits**

Prepare to indulge in a unique nautical adventure, where luxury meets the allure of the sea. Onboard the MS Antaris, every moment is an opportunity to create unforgettable memories in the splendid backdrop of the Adriatic Coast.



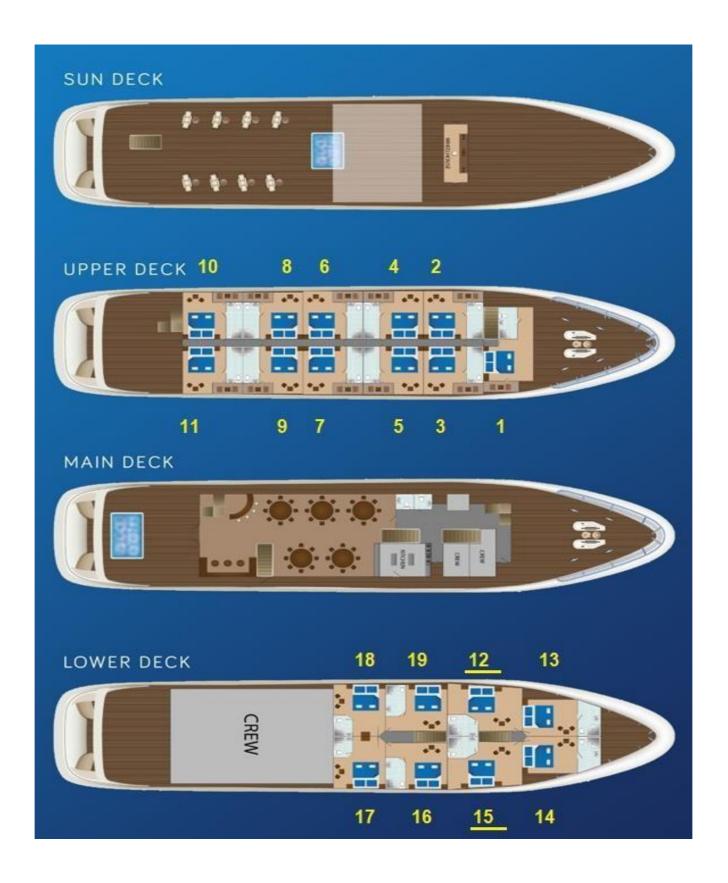












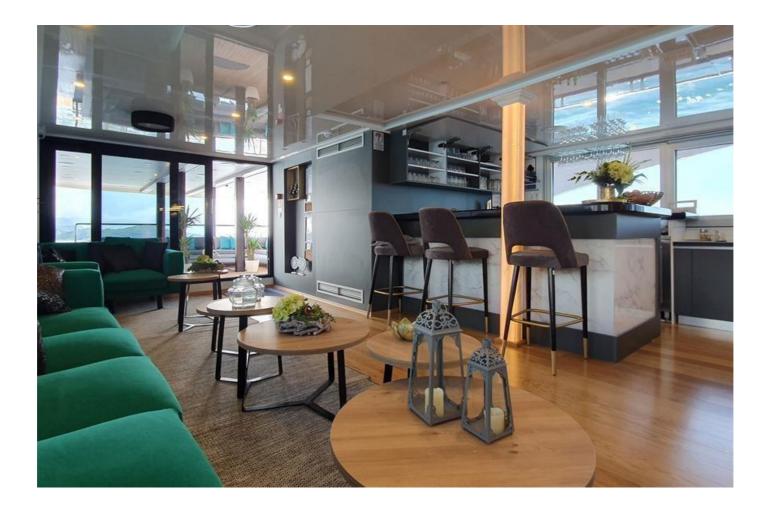




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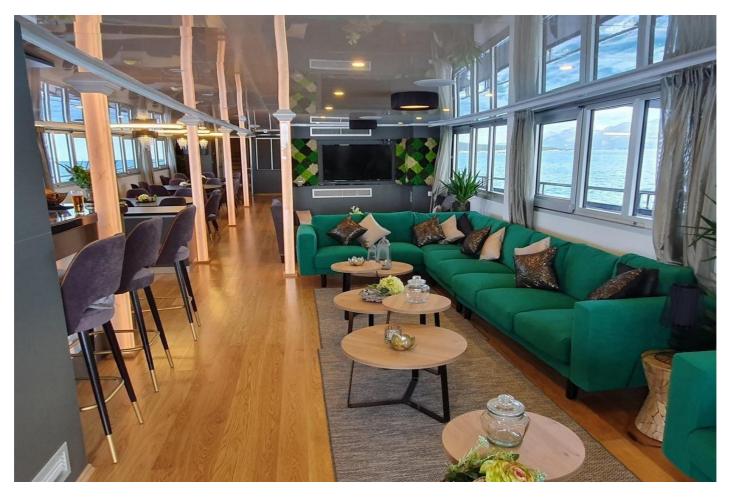


























# **INCLUSION LIST**

# Gourmet Stars & Vineyard Trails – The Epitome of Croatia Luxury Yacht Cruise | September 6 - 13, 2025 8 Days Split to Dubrovnik

- ✓ TAXES and PORT CHARGES INCLUDED
- ✓ PORT AND TOURIST TAX INCLUDED
- ✓ Concierge Service 24/7 while in the country
- ✓ Audio guide equipment for private walking tours throughout
- ✓ Private transfer from Split Airport /hotel to hotel in Split Sep 21<sup>st</sup> (Mercedes vehicle or similar)
- ✓ Private transfer from Dubrovnik port to Dubrovnik airport or hotel Sep 28th (Mercedes vehicle or similar)
- √ Adriatic Allure representative on board
- ✓ Professional Cruise Manager English speaking on board
- √ Sep 21 28, 2023 8 Days/7 nights on a Luxury Deluxe Yacht MV Ban Private Charter
- ✓ Accommodation in double/twin cabin with ensuite bathroom
- ✓ Welcome drink Sep 21<sup>th</sup>
- ✓ Welcome dinner on Sep 21<sup>st</sup> including Wine
- ✓ Half-board daily (breakfast every morning and lunch or dinner 3 course according to the itinerary)
- ✓ Unlimited water (from watercooler)
- ✓ Fresh fruit available daily
- ✓ Daily cabin servicing, fresh bed linen midweek, change of bathroom towels twice per week (or as per additional request)
- ✓ Use of jacuzzi, lounging sundeck with sunbeds for all passengers
- ✓ Captain's Dinner on board
- ✓ Use of A/C in cabins, safe deposit box and hairdryer in each cabin
- ✓ Swim stops Captain will make sure to find secluded bays, coves, and areas of interest along the way
- ✓ Licensed Private English-speaking guide for a walking tour of Split town up to 2 hrs
- ✓ Brač island Stonemasonry School visit including demonstration and professional guide
- ✓ Brač island tasting of Olive oil, visit museum
- ✓ Private transfer with a modern bus on island of Brač for a full day activity
- ✓ Brač island wine tasting
- ✓ Stari Grad private transfer to Jelsa
- ✓ Wine tasting on Hvar Island visiting two local wineries (tasting & snack)
- ✓ Licensed Private English-speaking guide for a walking tour of Hvar town up to 2 hrs
- ✓ Adriatic Allure Gems of Hvar Dinner in abandoned village (include: transportation, professional guide, traditional dinner in abandoned village incl wine)
- ✓ Licensed Private English-speaking guide for a walking tour of Korčula city up to 2 hrs
- ✓ Korčula Island Olive Oil tasting
- ✓ Private transfer with a modern bus on island of Korčula for a full day activity
- ✓ Ethno Collection House Barilo
- ✓ Korčula Island Wine tasting at Black Island winery
- ✓ Korčula island elate lunch in Local tavern with wine
- ✓ Private transfer with a bus for an excursion on Pelješac peninsula
- ✓ Wine tasting at Grgich Winery
- ✓ Traditional local light lunch & Experience of Oyster Harvesting (wine & rakija incl)





- ✓ Licensed Private English-speaking guide for a walking tour of Dubrovnik city up to 2 hrs
- ✓ Farewell Dinner in Dubrovnik
- ✓ Luggage handling
- ✓ Free Wi-Fi onboard

### **Not Included**

- ✓ Meals and drinks not mentioned in the itinerary
- ✓ Airfare, Travel Insurance please do let your expert know if you'd need assistance
- ✓ Additional sightseeing, activities, and experiences outside of your itinerary
- ✓ Personal expenses (laundry, phone calls, mini bar etc.)
- ✓ Gratuity for services and experiences
- ✓ Drinks from the onboard bar





# TERMS AND CONDITIONS

#### **General Terms and Conditions**

Your deposit is due immediately upon booking (50% of program price). The balance is due 120 days prior to original departure date.

Cancellations of confirmed bookings 120 days or more prior to departure will receive full refund minus 30% of the program price and any non-refundable paid fees (e.g., non-refundable airfare, cruise or hotel deposits). 120 up to 100 days will be subject to loss of 50% of program price. 99 days or less will be subject to loss of 100% of program price.

Tour quotes do not include airfare to/from the trip start point unless noted on the itinerary.

Cost increases in currency exchange, government fees, taxes, surcharges, or hotel/lodge tariff increases between quote date and start date are payable by the client.

Availability cannot be guaranteed until booked. Any holds we have placed on your behalf are temporary, hotels and services listed are not guaranteed, prices subject to change. We recommend booking early and quickly.

We accept payment via credit card or wire transfer. Program package quotes do not include airfare to/from the trip start point unless specifically noted on the itinerary.

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### **Unforeseen Circumstances**

Although Adriatic Allure will make every effort to adhere to the itinerary, on rare occasions it may be necessary to make an adjustment to these arrangements. Should such adjustment be necessary, a substitute will be offered when and where possible. If any unusual, unforeseeable or extraordinary circumstances beyond our control, including (but not limited to) war, riots, terrorism, fire, natural disaster, explosion, strikes, lockouts, slowdowns, prolonged shortage of energy supplies, plagues, epidemics and acts of state or governmental action prohibiting or impeding any party from performing its respective obligations under the contract (travel restrictions, quarantines, trade embargoes, closure of airports or seaports and borders) or any other event outside the control of Adriatic Allure which affects the journey arrangements, Adriatic Allure cannot accept liability for any resulting loss, damage or expense and any refund will be subject to deduction of applicable expenses. In case of force majeure and we need to cancel any travel arrangements, Adriatic Allure has the right to retain funds paid, to delay the delivery of the services or end the legal contract without legal intervention by informing of this in writing. Clients are not entitled to any damages unless this would be unacceptable according to measures of reason and fairness given the circumstances. Adriatic Allure is not responsible for any loss, accident, injury, delay, defect, omission, or irregularity which may occur, such as changes, additional expenses, and cancellations due to weather conditions, ferryboat, or other transportation schedule changes and other any changes beyond our control.

Adriatic Allure must be advised during the booking process should there be any person in a traveling party who cannot travel independently or who needs any form of assistance or has any medical condition which could affect their travel, as such person must be accompanied by a companion capable of assisting this person. Areas visited will often not offer access and pathways comparable to those accommodating the disabled in your country.

# **Change Request Deadline**

We understand that there may be a need to change a component or item of your final booking program and we will try our best





to accommodate such requests (but cannot guarantee that such request can be accommodated and if accommodated that such will not increase the cost of your booking package). We request that you give us as much advance notice as possible of any additional requests or nuances or changes to your program. Prices are based on current rates of exchange, tariffs, and taxes. Adriatic Allure retains the right to increase tour prices to cover increased costs, tariffs, and taxes, and to reflect fluctuations in foreign exchange markets. Adriatic Allure retains the right to cancel or vary any itinerary and substitute components of the itineraries and arranged sightseeing due to unforeseen circumstances or circumstances beyond Adriatic Allure control. Every effort will be made to operate tours as planned, but alterations may occur after the final itinerary has been issued.

### **COVID-19 Acknowledgment**

Travelers must provide required health documentation for travel and agree to comply with all health protocols as directed by Adriatic Allure staff during their journey. Noncompliance with these measures will result in not being able to travel or continue on the journey. Guest voluntarily assumes all risks and related expenses in the event that they or any member of their traveling party require testing or quarantine, become infected with COVID-19 or experience travel interruptions or delays.

## **Insurance / Cancellation Insurance**

Adriatic Allure strongly recommends you buy trip cancellation/interruption insurance to protect yourself from unexpected circumstances that may cause you to cancel your trip.

Before traveling on a trip, we strongly recommend you review your personal insurance and health insurance to ensure you have coverage appropriate to meet your needs, and the needs of your family and dependants, in case of any loss of property or illness, injury or death.

### **Passports and Visas**

For most destinations, valid passport is required. Contact the relevant consulate or embassy for the most up-to-date visa requirements. Prior to confirming your vacations plans, check your passport to ensure that it is valid for the duration of your trip. Certain countries require that your passport remains valid for at least six months beyond the date you plan to leave. You may be denied entry to a certain country if passport expires fewer than six months after the day you are scheduled to leave. Please have your passport with you on excursions crossing into surrounding countries/border crossings.

## **Photography During Travel**

Adriatic Allure reserves the right to take photographs and video of guests during the operation of any program or part thereof and to use, re-use, publish, and republish their image, identity likeness, voice, interview, statements, video clips and sound recordings, and/or photographic portraits or pictures in which guest(s) may be included (an "Image"), for promotional purposes during the program and thereafter. By booking a program with Adriatic Allure, guests acknowledge that Adriatic Allure is the owner of the photographs and video and agree to allow their Image to be used in such photographs and videos, which may thereafter, be used by Adriatic Allure. Guests who prefer that their images not be used must (1) identify themselves to their Tour Guide at the beginning of their journey; and (2) notify their Travel Consultant by email, not later than thirty (30) days following the end of the guest's journey. In the event the guest fails to comply with both obligations, the guest shall not be exempt from this section. If such written notice is not timely provided, the guests, individually and on behalf of any minor child travelling with them, have granted unrestricted rights and permission for Adriatic Allure to use the Images.

## **Privacy Policy**

The Privacy Policy explains how we protect and respect the data we collect from you. See details on our Privacy policy on our website.

## **Governing Law**

These terms of use shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of Croatia. Any dispute arising under these terms of use shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the courts of Croatia.

