

CROATIA PROGRAM

Dubrovnik – Split – Zadar



PROGRAM:

Arrive in Dubrovnik:

Welcome to Dubrovnik. Upon arrival at the airport, you will be greeted by your tour guide and will get settled to your transfer on your way to your hotel in Dubrovnik. Check-in to our centrally located 4* hotel followed by welcome dinner at the hotel restaurant. Overnight in Dubrovnik. (D)

Split & Trogir:

Breakfast at hotel and check out. After breakfast we ride to Split. Free time for lunch in the heart of Split.

Together with a local guide, we walk along the cobbled streets of the Old Town of Split featuring the historic inner city with its dominating Roman influence, built around the astonishing 4th century Palace of Diocletian. This spectacular palace is the largest and best preserved Roman palace in the world, built for the Emperor Diocletian, representing a precious example of Roman architecture. See the remains of the Roman Peristyle, the unusual Cathedral of St. Domnius built in the Middle Ages, and the Temple of Jupiter, with its headless black sphinx guarding the entrance.

Next, we arrive in the UNESCO listed city of Trogir. The town, has a fascinating 2300 years of continuous urban tradition.

Its rich culture was created under the influence of old Greeks, Romans, and Venetians.

Trogir has a high concentration of palaces, churches, and towers, as well as fortresses on a small island.

Sometimes referred to as the floating museum town. Dinner at hotel restaurant. Overnight in Split. (B, D)

Krka National park & Šibenik:

Breakfast at the hotel and next up is a visit to Krka Waterfalls National Park, where you'll visit Skradinski Buk, a spectacular vantage point from which to view 17 separate falls cascading 150 feet (45 m) to the pools below.

Lunch included at a local tavern in the area of NP Krka. You'll have the afternoon to explore the cultural monuments and waterfront attractions of Šibenik together with a local guide, a historic city along the Dalmatian coast and the oldest native Croatian town on the shores of the Adriatic. Dinner at hotel in Split. Overnight. (B, L, D)

Zadar

After breakfast, check out from the hotel and ride to Zadar, Croatia's oldest university town. From the 1st-century Roman forum to the 9th-century St. Donat Church, there's history around every turn. After exploring the wealth of museums, churches and palaces, you'll make your way to Zadar's Riva to see (and hear) the mesmerising Sea Organ, comprising several stairs that descend into the sea. Check in at hotel in Zadar, followed by dinner and overnight. (B, D)

Makarska back to Dubrovnik:

Breakfast at hotel and check-out. On the way to Dubrovnik we stop in Makarska for a lunch break and some free time. The city spreads out on white pebbles, overlooking crystal clear blue Adriatic waters. And as you walk around its towns, the scent of the pine forest will follow you. The entire Makarska promenade provides panoramic views of the crystal teal water and the nearby islands. Once arrived in Dubrovnik, we check in to our hotel and enjoy free time. Dinner and overnight at hotel in Dubrovnik. (B, L, D)

Dubrovnik:

Breakfast at hotel. Next, we tread in the footsteps of Lord Byron and George Bernard Shaw, who were intoxicated by the allure of Dubrovnik. With your local guide, you'll embark on a sightseeing tour past the Rector's Palace, Onofrio's Fountain and the and Dominican monasteries, before spending time on your own. The rest of the day is at leisure for exploring and shopping and you can visit in the Old City. Dubrovnik is highly-connected to the wildly popular television show "Game of Thrones" and fans of the show among us won't want to miss see in some of the locations from the show as well as the official store (where, if you buy something, you can have your picture taken on a replica Iron Throne from the show) and the cleverly-named "Game of Cones" ice cream parlor. Spend time strolling along the impressive ramparts overlooking the shimmering Adriatic Sea. We celebrate our farewell dinner together at our hotel. Overnight in Dubrovnik. (B, D)

Dubrovnik – Departure day:

After breakfast, it will be time to check out and enjoy your transfer to Dubrovnik airport. (B)

INCLUDED SERVICES:

- Deluxe motor-coach throughout as per itinerary including all necessary fees for parking, road tolls etc.
- Service of a professional tour escort (English-speaking) for all tours as mentioned in program above
- All necessary costs for tour escort and bus driver
- A total of 3x nights' accommodation at a Hotel in Dubrovnik 4*
- 2x nights' accommodation at a Hotel in Split 4*
- 1x night accommodation at a Hotel in Zadar 4*
- Daily European breakfast buffet at hotels
- A total of 6x dinners (Buffet dinner or 3-course dinners) at hotel restaurants (3x Dubrovnik, 3x Split and 1x Zadar)
- 2-course lunch in National park Krka
- 2-course lunch in local tavern in Makaraska
- Guided city tours with English-speaking local guides in Split, Trogir, Sibenik, Zadar and Dubrovnik
- Entrance fees and guided tours at: Krka National park, Rectors palace and dom. monastery in Dubrovnik
- Whisper phones for all City tours if required (depending on the group size)
- Porterage of luggage at both hotels in/out
- All other tours and visits according to the program above
- All Taxes and charges for ground services (VAT, local taxes etc.)