

## Croatian Wilderness 2017

*Departure from Split*

*Guaranteed departures*



Cruising with motor ships along the magnificent Dalmatian coastline & islands on the route:  
SPLIT – OMIŠ/PUČIŠĆA – KORČULA – LASTOVO – Ravnik (Green cave) – KOMIŽA/VIS – Biševo (Blue cave) –  
STARI GRAD – BOL – SPLIT

If you are a true traveler, this is the perfect route for you, since it could be easily called “off the beaten track”. Relax and let the crew take care of you. During the day you can swim, snorkel, sunbathe, and explore the underworld of the Adriatic Sea. In the evenings you are free to find a good restaurant, historical sights and monuments on land...

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## ITINERARY:



### **SATURDAY SPLIT – OMIŠ/PUČIŠĆA**

Departure from Split at 13:00h followed by a lunch on board and a swim break. Continue to Omiš or Pučišća on Brač island. Omiš is a picturesque town surrounded with steep rocky mountain cliffs, where the river Cetina flows into the Adriatic sea. Here you can experience Cetina river rafting or Cetina Canyon zipline, climb to the old fortress above the town, play volleyball on the beach or simply take a walk through the old town of Omiš and discover the glorious long history through the many historical monuments. Pučišća is a typical Mediterranean place, situated on the northern side of the Brač island at the bottom of the deep bay. It is cradle of the world's famous stone of Brač. There is a possibility of visiting a stone-masonry workshop, one of the few stone masonry workshops left in Europe. Enjoy the domestic food, wine and famous olive oil of this coastal village. Overnight in the port of Pučišća or Omiš.

### **SUNDAY OMIŠ/PUČIŠĆA – KORČULA**

By the time you reach the deck in the morning, Omiš/Pučišća will already be behind us. After a morning swim in the crystal blue sea, we cruise toward Korčula; the birthplace of Marco Polo. Lunch will be served either on the tip of the Pelješac peninsula (near Lovište) or in the quiet bay of Kneža on Korčula. Afternoon arrival in Korčula for sightseeing of this exceptional town. According to legend Korčula was found by Trojan hero Anthenor in the 12th century B.C. On this island you can find more legends, tales and monuments than anywhere else. In the evening we recommend you visit one of numerous konobas or enjoy the stunning views of the mainland from the numerous cafes and bars. Overnight in Korčula.

### **MONDAY KORČULA – LASTOVO**

As a prelude to more cruising we suggest a short walk through the nearby open market in Korčula where you can buy fresh fruit to enjoy during the day. We continue our cruise towards Lastovo, the furthest, inhabited island in Dalmatia, which Romans called the Imperial island (approx. EUR 5.- to be paid on the spot to enter Nature Park Lastovo zone). Docked in Ubli port, one has the opportunity to visit the protected Nature Park or visit the biggest town on the island – Lastovo. The Island is surrounded by many smaller islands, with plenty of secluded bays suitable for snorkeling, but also known for many little churches and unusually shaped chimneys. Overnight in Lastovo

### **TUESDAY LASTOVO – RAVNIK (GREEN CAVE) – KOMIŽA/VIS**

Early morning departure towards Vis island, which was closed to tourists for many years. Vis was, because of its unique geographical position, a strategic harbour for the navy. Because of this isolation, Vis has a special charm of the 'Mediterranean as it once was' which makes it really interesting to see. Near Vis, there is the little Ravnik island, where the Green cave is situated. It was named after the unusual light that reflects in the sea from the hole on the top of the cave. After a short swim, depending on the weather conditions, we sail further to the town of Komiža or Vis for overnight. Komiža is a typical Mediterranean place on the western part of the island, where the fishery on the eastern part of the Adriatic coast began. Enjoy the walk through the narrow alleys and rich heritage, or maybe on one of the pebble beaches with fresh water springs, that stretch along the whole eastern side of the Komiža bay. The town of Vis is situated on the northern side of the island and it was developed near the remains of the ancient Issa, first urban centre in Croatia, formed by the Greeks in 4th century B.C. Visit the remains of the Roman Baths, City museum or take a walk enjoying the view on the beautiful Villae Rusticae situated along the coast.

### **WEDNESDAY KOMIŽA/VIS – BIŠEVO (BLUE CAVE) – STARI GRAD**

Early in the morning we cruise towards the little Biševo island to visit the Blue cave, a magnificent natural phenomenon. As sometimes weather conditions can be very unpredictable, the possibility of our visit will depend on those conditions, however you will be notified of this by the crew. Entrance to Blue Cave is to be paid on the spot (approx. EUR 9.- per person). We continue towards Stari Grad on the Hvar island, the sunniest Adriatic island. Free afternoon to explore this unique town. The famous Stari Grad Field is the oldest in Croatia and the best preserved example of ancient Greek system of agriculture. Together with the old town it is a part of world heritage protected by UNESCO.

### **THURSDAY STARI GRAD – BOL**

After breakfast we cruise towards the beautiful Brač island and the famous town of Bol. Swimming is planned at the most famous beach in Dalmatia – Zlatni Rat (the Golden Horn - its gravel promontory shifts from side to side as the wind and waves constantly change in shape). Bol is a typical fishermen's town converted to a popular tourist destination. Here we spend the night and have the opportunity to enjoy excellent fresh fish, local wines and other delicacies of this unique island, enjoy a lovely walk or cycle along the promenade. Hike or rent a

scooter up to Vidova Gora for a spectacular view of Bol and surroundings.

**FRIDAY**                      **BOL – SPLIT**

The last day is spend mostly relaxing and swimming in different quiet bays of Brač island. Late afternoon arrival to Split, the second largest Croatian town and the capital of the region of Dalmatia. Split is a city under UNESCO protection, and its historical and cultural monuments belong not only to its inhabitants, but also to anyone who wants to capture a piece of the thousand year old beauty. Possibility of joining our sightseeing tour of the old town (Diocletian's palace).

**SATURDAY**                      **SPLIT**

Early breakfast and time to say goodbye to the crew and all your new friends.

# DATES & PRICES 2017:

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Departures Saturdays from Split harbour: at 13:00 h/ check in from 11.00 h till 12:00h PRICE PER PERSON in DBL/TWN CABINS IN EUR 7 nights/ 8 days with half board (breakfast & 3 course lunch) + 1L of water daily		D Jun 17;	E Aug 19;	F Aug 05;
KL3	A+ CATEGORY UPPER/MAIN DECK	-	-	1130
	A+ CATEGORY LOWER DECK	-	-	1048
	A CATEGORY UPPER/MAIN DECK	789	848	883
	A CATEGORY LOWER DECK	724	789	824

## OBLIGATORY SUPPLEMENT

**VISITOR'S TAX & PORT FEES** NOT INCLUDED IN THE PRICE - To be paid on the spot: **EUR 25.** - per person per week

## SHIP CABIN TYPE DESCRIPTIONS

**UPPER/MAIN DECK CABINS ARE ALLOCATED ACCORDING TO AVAILABILITY! Lower deck cabins are in the hull of the ship below the main deck.**

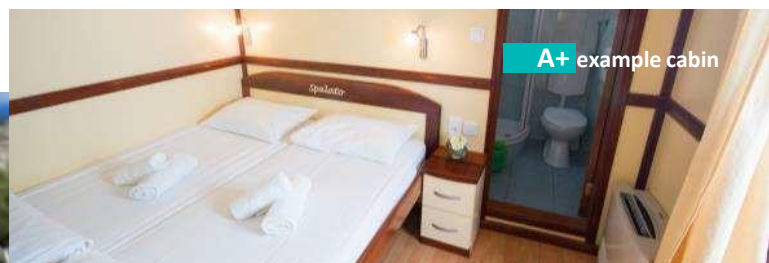
A+ CATEGORY	One week cruise based on half board and desired route. Price also includes Captain's dinner and sightseeing of Split, daily cabin service, mid-week fresh set of towels and bed linen. Newly built steel hull ships with air-conditioned, spacious en-suite cabins (with double or twin beds, hair dryer, safety deposit box).
A CATEGORY	Traditional wooden ships, cabins with private shower/toilet (3rd bed possible on request), mostly bunk beds, air-conditioned salon.

## REDUCTIONS & SUPPLEMENTS

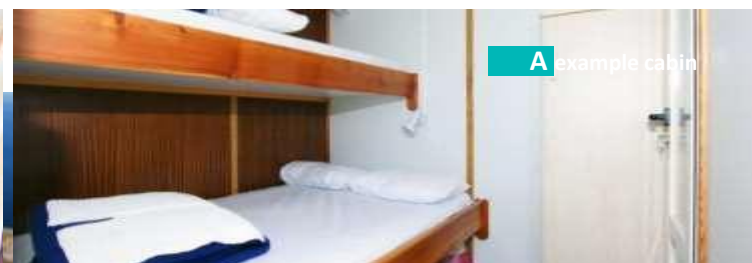
Triple Share Cabin	Adults on 3rd bed in a triple cabin – 30%
Child Discount	Children under 10 years – 50%
Single Use Cabin	50% surcharge on twin share price. Avoid single supplement by sharing cabin. <b>(limited number of single cabins without supplement available)</b>

## OPTIONAL SUPPLEMENTS (nett)

Entrance to Biševo Cave	Approx. <b>EUR 9.</b> - per person (to be paid on the spot)
Entrance to Nature Park zone Lastovo	Approx. <b>EUR 5.-</b> per person (to be paid on the spot)
Full Board supplement	<b>EUR 136.-</b> per person/week , min. 10 pax required.
Drink supplement	<b>EUR 30.-</b> per week – incl. choice of 1 drink - glass of wine, 1 beer or 1 soft drink with lunch
English breakfast supplement (on A category)	<b>EUR 48.-</b> per week - incl. 2 eggs, bacon, tomato and mushrooms, or fruit & yoghurt, or similar (regular continental breakfast included in price of the cruise includes: coffee, tea, milk, glass of juice, cereal, bread, a variety of spreads - butter, honey, jam, soft cheese; daily additions such as ham and cheese or boiled eggs, frankfurters, salami etc.) - hot & cold breakfast included on A+ ships
Captain's dinner	<b>EUR 30.-</b> - choice of fish or meat menu - ship's speciality served (included in price on A+ vessels)
Extra towels	On A and A+ category ships the guests will be provided with two towels for personal use per week. Extra towels can be rented for <b>EUR 3.-</b> & beach towels <b>EUR 5.-</b> per week/towel. Beach towel can be purchased on arrival for <b>EUR 10.-</b>
Baby chair or baby cot rental	<b>EUR 50.-</b> per week (to be paid on the spot)
Daily cabin cleaning	<b>EUR 20.-</b> per person per week - included in the price for A+ vessels - daily cabin servicing, fresh bed linen and towels midweek; Not provided on A category ships but can be ordered in advance;
Parking	Possible from <b>EUR 12.-</b> daily
Airport transfers	<b>EUR 59.-</b> from Split airport to Split port. Other transfers available on request.
Wedding renewal or other occasional / special day celebration package	<b>EUR 118.-</b> per couple – includes renewal ceremony performed by the captain, certificate, champagne, gift
Pre/post cruise accommodation	Available on request - villas, hotels, private accommodation, hostels...
Ferry Tickets	Cabins, seats or deck, available for coastal & international ferry connections



A+ example cabin



A example cabin

## LAND & CRUISE PACKAGE supplement

Add 3 nights land program to your cruise for a 10 night program; possible for all departures

Price per person: EUR 618.-; Single supplement: EUR 159.-; Reduction on third bed: 10%

**Includes:** Combined with KL3 includes 3 nights prior to cruise (2 overnights Zagreb, 1 overnight Split), 1 half board and 2 bed and breakfast services; accommodation in 4\* Hotel in Zagreb & Split, Visitor's taxes during land part, airport transfers (from airport Zagreb and to airport Split), all transfers as per itinerary, guided sightseeing of Zagreb, Plitvice, Split, and on the cruise of Korčula)

## OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS

### **MOSTAR FROM SPLIT EUR 80.-**

Experience Bosnia and Herzegovina's most beautiful city, view the iconic 'Stari Most'/Old Bridge, discover Ottoman and Turkish history – full day coach excursion with a tour leader and local guide. Passport required. (min. 10 persons)

### **ZIPLINE excursion on Cetina River Canyon FROM SPLIT EUR 69.-**

Feel the adrenalin rush in the Cetina river canyon! 8 steel lines will make you scream while sliding 150m above the ground in the magnificent canyon. Duration is approximately 4 hours together with bus transfer.

### **RIVER RAFTING excursion on Cetina River FROM SPLIT EUR 40.-**

3 hrs of rafting taking in rapids, waterfalls, canyons, hidden caves, green woods, experience the refreshing clear water, heart pumping rapids combined with gentle streams. Collected by mini-van and transported deep into the mountains where you can enjoy amazing views of this naturally green canyon. On completion transfer back to the ship later in the evening.

### **WINE TASTING IN BOL EUR 18.-**

Get your taste buds working and try Dalmatian wine sorts growing on Brač island in the oldest wine association in Dalmatia dating from 1903.

### **WINE TASTING IN KORČULA EUR 18.-**

Join our optional wine tasting in Korčula to try some of the famous Dalmatian and Croatian wines. Listen to the story behind their flawless taste while enjoying a light snack.

### **WINE TASTING IN VIS EUR 12.-**

Try quality Dalmatian wines to experience Vis with all senses.

### **UNDERGROUND TUNNELS TOUR ON VIS EUR 53.-**

Vis island was closed and isolated to the public after World War II as it was a strategic naval Yugoslav base. Once the army moved from the island in 1992 all that was left were empty army bases and installations with underground tunnel labyrinth of 70 km in length. Visit former army as well as a submarine tunnel used as a shelter for naval boats and submarines in the 70's and 80's. Duration approx. 1:30h. Minimum 6 pax.

### **VILLAGE DINNER EXPERIENCE FROM KORČULA EUR 36.-**

Try typical Dalmatian dinner in small village near Korčula and find out more about the history and traditional way of living.

### **Optional sightseeing in following towns (min 10 pax required):**

Split, Korčula, -EUR 12,- per person per tour; A+ ships have Split tour included in the price.

**Payment:**

- \* Reservation fee of EUR 200 per person
- \* Remainder latest 45 days prior to arrival

**Conditions & Cancellation policy:**

- \* The Captain reserves the right in changing the route in case of bad weather conditions
- \* All cruises departures are guaranteed, however if less than 10 participants are booked, we reserve the right in cancelling the departure and changing the ship name if the need arises.
- \* Guests are obliged to follow the ship rules and regulations found in written form onboard especially in regards to bringing drinks on board.
- \* In case of inappropriate behavior captain reserves the right in asking clients to disembark

**Cancellation conditions:**

- \* From the day of confirmation up till 45 days prior to arrival – advance payment (EUR 200 per person) - **non-refundable**
- \* 44-40 days – 25% of the remaining balance
- \* 39-32 days – 50% of the remaining balance
- \* 31-0 days – 100% fee
- \* Name change / date change fee – EUR 25 per person (valid only if the change is done up till 30 days prior booked departure, otherwise regular cancellation clause will be applied)

We highly recommend clients to take insurance against cancellation of reserved services!

Due specific mooring conditions and requirements in some Croatian ports, ships are moored side by side, making it necessary for the clients to cross from one ship to another with gaps in between ships in order to get to the shore. In such cases clients need to take special care when crossing and do this at their own risk. Crew assistance will be given to those needing and requesting it. **Cruise not recommended for clients in wheelchairs or with limited mobility.**