



Croatia Tour October 5-15, 2023

Cruise on a ship with only 38 passengers. This is wonderful way to see the Dalmation coast.
The meals that are included on the tour are specified as Breakfast (B), Lunch (L), and Dinner (D).

DAY 1 – Thursday, Oct. 5
Flight on your own to Dubrovnik, Croatia.

DAY 2 – Friday, Oct. 6 (B)
You are free to explore Dubrovnik on your own.

Lodging: Dubrovnik President Hotel or comparable: <https://www.valamar.com/en/hotels-dubrovnik/valamar-dubrovnik-president-hotel>

DAY 3 – Saturday, Oct. 7 (B)
You are free to explore Dubrovnik on your own. Consider taking a day trip to Bosnia and Herzegovina or Montenegro. Keep in mind that the final day of the tour will allow for more time in Dubrovnik.

Lodging: Dubrovnik President Hotel or comparable

DAY 4 – Sunday, Oct. 8 (B, L)
We depart the hotel and head to Port Gruž where we check in at 11:00 a.m. At Noon, we will enjoy champagne and canapés at a welcome reception. The ship will depart at 1:00 p.m., and we will head northwest toward Mljet. Mljet is the first larger island we will see and is Croatia's greenest island with its Mediterranean vegetation. The clear sea, wines, olives, goat cheeses make Mljet a favorite destination for tourists. You may spend your afternoon relaxing on the ship or exploring the town. You will sleep on the ship for the remainder of the tour.

DAY 5 - Monday, Oct. 9 (B, L)
Hvar town awaits us this afternoon. It is an ancient town with a rich history on the island of Hvar. Hvar is proud that it has the most hours of sunshine of all the islands in the Adriatic Sea.

DAY 6 – Tuesday, Oct. 10 (B, L, D)
We cruise to Stari Grad, a town on the northern side of the island of Hvar. One of the oldest towns in Europe, its position at the end of a long, protected bay and next to prime agricultural land has long made it attractive for human settlement. The most ancient part of Stari Grad falls within the UNESCO Protected World Heritage Site. We will enjoy a local Stari Grad village dinner in the evening.

DAY 7 – Wednesday, Oct. 11 (B, L)
We say goodbye to Hvar Island as we head to the UNESCO World Heritage city of Split. Take time to walk through Diocletian's Palace, which dates to the 4th century. Split is the second largest city in Croatia. A walking tour of Split is included.

DAY 8 – Thursday, Oct. 12 (B, L, D)

Our next stop is Markarsa, southeast of Split. Your afternoon is free to swim, walk the riviera, relax onboard, or enjoy the streets of the town. A special captain's dinner with local entertainment is included.

DAY 9 – Friday, Oct. 13 (B, L)

We depart for Korcula, rumored to be the birthplace of Maro Polo. Quiet coves and small sandy beaches are part of this sixth largest Adriatic island. The northern shore is flatter and has more pebbles. Take time to enjoy the stone walls in this fortified town.

DAY 10 – Saturday, Oct. 14 (B, L)

We come full circle as we go back to the charming city of Dubrovnik. A walking tour is included, although you will need to take a taxi or bus on your own to get to the starting point.

DAY 11 – Sunday, Oct. 15 (B)

Flight home on your own. Airport transfer is included.

While changes to the tour are not likely, weather, site renovations, and other factors could keep the tour group from any given site. Any changes will be comparable in value.

Tour costs and payments. This is for a double occupancy room, please enquire about the cost for a single room.

\$2,950 per person for an above deck cabin - more natural light; arguably a better location

\$2,710 per person for a lower deck cabin - slightly larger with a small porthole window

A \$200 deposit per person will secure your place on the tour. Your balance is due 90 days before departure.

You may purchase your tour with a check or credit/debit card. Please make your check payable to International Tour Company and put 2023 Croatia Tour in the memo line.

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You may pay with a credit/debit card. There is a 3.3% fee added to credit card payments. If you wish to pay with a card, please send that request and an invoice will be sent to you.

What is included:

- *Tour Director Aaron Garber will be with you the entire tour.
- *Croatian Tour Manager
- *Lodging every night in Croatia
- *Airport transfers
- *Meals as outlined in the itinerary

What is not included:

- *Your airfare is not included in this tour.
- *Travel insurance is highly recommended. International Tour Company is an agent for Allianz Travel Insurance and will be pleased to help you with your insurance. Purchasing your insurance within 14 days of your first tour payment/deposit gives you coverage for pre-existing medical conditions with Allianz.