

## DALMATIAN ISLANDS

15 DAYS

PRICE: 1.417 €

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### 1<sup>st</sup> day :: Arrival at the port Split ::

If You are coming by airplane we will organize the transfer from the airport Split for You. If You are arriving on Your own we will meet in front of a ferry for the island of Vis. After arriving in Vis Town we will inform You about a programme and make arrangements for the next day. We will be staying on Vis for 5 days.

### 2<sup>nd</sup> day :: Biševo ::

A small tourist boat will take us to the small island of Biševo, where we will visit a Mediterranean monk seals' habitat - the famous Modra špilja (Blue Cave) by entering it in a little fishing boat. After Cave viewing we will hike over the island to the small Porat bay, in which our boat will be – swim will also be possible. We will return to Vis Town by boat – to the Barjaška bay and further through wild rosemary macchia up to the famous fishing village of Komiža. Pleasant rosemary scent will be surrounding us for several following days.

Transfer by minibus will take us 10 + 10 min and boat ride 30 min+ 30 min

Climb: 150 m

Coming down: 150 m

Hiking: 4 h - easy

### 3<sup>rd</sup> day :: Hum ::

Transfer to the highest island's peak Hum (564 m), which offers unforgettable view of the village of Komiža, island of Biševo and islet of Sv. Andrija... We will go on foot to Titova Špilja (Tito's Cave) and further through the village of Žena Glava, spacious vineyards to the village of Plisko polje. Lunch will be in a local winery. After lunch we will come down on foot to Vis Town over glades covered by rosemary scent.

Transfer by minibus 15 + 10 min.

Climb: 130 m

Coming down: 560 m

Hiking: 4.30 h –medium difficult

#### **4<sup>th</sup> day :: Vineyards of Vis ::**

On this day we will visit southern side of Vis Island with its stunning bays and small islands, pigeons' nesting places. Firstly we will go over sweetly smelling slopes, above Vis Town to the village of Podselje, then through plantations of well-known white wine from Vis - Vugava to the village of Rukavac and further on to Srebrena bay. We can also take a swim on the most beautiful beach on the whole island. We will have lunch in a village yard. Return to Vis Town will be in the afternoon hours over peak Zečja glava.

Climb: 230 m

Coming down: 230 m

Hiking: 4.30 h - easy - medium difficult

#### **5<sup>th</sup> day :: Northern slopes of the island ::**

The tour on this day will take us directly from Komiža, over pass Zagrebenje to the northern side of the island with very steep and rocky coastline. We will walk on pleasant paths and pass through the picturesque village of Oključina, small olive-groves and vineyards to a large Karst polje Donja poljica, and following the ancient path of island's field labourer come down directly to Vis Town. Lunch will be a picnic under olive-trees.

Climb: 345 m,

Coming down: 345 m,

Hiking: 4.30 h - easy - medium difficult

#### **6<sup>th</sup> day :: Transfer to Hvar ::**

After an early breakfast we will go by ferry to Split. A local guide will take us on a tour in the old inner part of the city, the Cellars of the Diocletian's Palace and the Diocletian's Palace... After lunch in a local restaurant we will take a ferry again and travel to the island of Hvar to enjoy our three-day stay there.

#### **7<sup>th</sup> day :: Lavender island ::**

On this day we will be enjoying in a fragrant lavender realm. We will walk along boundless terraces on the sunniest Adriatic island and along hidden paths of field labourers to the village of Milna protected in a gentle bay. The end of this day's tour will be in Hvar Town after lunch in a local restaurant...

Climb: 25 m

Coming down: 320 m

Hiking: 3 h - easy

#### **8<sup>th</sup> day :: Island of Brač ::**

On this day we will visit the highest island peak in the Adriatic - Vidova Gora (778 m). A boat will take us over to the island of Brač, and the minibus will take us to the village of Gažul. We will stroll through a hundred-year-old wood, along numerous flocks of sheep to the peak itself, best close to the well-equipped but unspoilt resort of Bol known for its magnificent beach, Zlatni Rat (Golden Cape), surrounding islands and their steep coves as well as of coastal mountains Biokovo, Mosor, Kozjak... Lunch will be in a climber's lodging.

Climb: 178 m

Coming down: 777 m

Hiking: 4 h -medium difficult

**9<sup>th</sup> day :: Hvar Town ::**

We will come down on foot from the island plateau and the village of Brusje to Hvar Town built around a picturesque harbour, where a local guide will be waiting for us to take us on stroll which will reveal all town's secrets to us. We will enjoy in visiting old Venetian fortress - Citadel presiding over hilltop above the town due to its magnificent views over the terracotta roofs... After lunch in a local restaurant You will have some free time before leaving of the boat to Korčula, on which we stay for 6 days.

Climb: 000

Coming down: 290 m

Hiking: 2 h - easy

**10<sup>th</sup> day :: Korčula – town of Marko Polo ::**

During afternoon we will be taken on a sightseeing tour around Korčula Town by tour guide and we will visit its reach treasures... After lunch on a nearby island we will visit Korčula Archipelago by boat, set ashore of the islets Vrnik, Badija, Stupe "intruding" upon their solitude a little...

Climb: 000

Coming down: 000

Hiking: 2 h - easy

**11<sup>th</sup> day :: Dubrovnik –Town of Monuments::**

Firstly by ferry and then by minibus we will reach Dubrovnik. Led by a local guide we look around this jewel of Croatia, best known for its well-preserved historic centre, its terracotta rooftops, and a stunning location overlooking the Adriatic. We will have lunch in a local restaurant and afterwards continue with sightseeing tour enjoying in Town's delightful beauties walking on its 13th-century city walls...

**12<sup>th</sup> day :: Mljet National Park ::**

This day is scheduled for visit to the green and the unspoilt Mljet National Park on the island of the same name. The boat will take us to Pomena bay, from which we will continue on foot to the two interconnected saltwater lakes - Veliko Jezero and Malo Jezero and belvedere Montokuc, enjoy a spectacular tidal shift under Mali most which connects the lakes, travel by boat to the center of the larger lake to the exquisite St Mary's Island crowned by a Benedictine Monastery... Lunch – a picnic near the lakes.

Climb: 220 m

Coming down: 220 m

Hiking: 3 - 4 h - easy to medium difficult

**13<sup>th</sup> day :: "Defora" tour ::**

On this day we will visit three picturesque bays, Bratinja Luka, Pavja Luka and Orlanduša – commonly called Defora. The allure of swimming into deeply cut bays with beautiful beaches and crystal-clear sea is simply irresistible. We will have lunch on a homestead.

Climb: 320 m

Coming down: 320 m

Hiking: 5 h - medium difficult

#### 14<sup>th</sup> day :: Pelješac Peninsula ::

The boat will carry us over the Pelješac Channel to the village of Kućište on the Pelješac Peninsula. The path will lead us over the southern hillsides through abandoned vineyards to the monastery of Holy Virgin Mary's Assumption, in which the Maritime Museum is located, and which offers a spectacular view over the whole Pelješac and the Korčula Riviera. After lunch we will continue through villages to Orebić.

Climb: 195 m

Coming down: 195 m

Hiking: 3.30 h

#### 15<sup>th</sup> day :: Transfer by boat to Split ::

Return home. If You came by an airplane we will organize the transfer to the airport.

Price: **€1,417.00**

Single room surcharge: **€ 223.00**

Surcharge for transfer from and to the airport: **€ 45.00**

Minimum 6 persons

Maximum 15 persons

Islands: Vis, Biševo, Brač, Hvar, Korčula, Mljet

Towns: Split, Korčula, Hvar, Dubrovnik

Accommodation:

- Vis – hotel ★ ★
- Hvar – private boarding house ★ ★ ★
- Korčula – private boarding house ★ ★ ★

Price includes:

Local transfers in Croatia (minibus, boat, ferry, small boats); accommodation in chosen objects of half board type; lunches in local restaurants, homesteads or picnics; tickets for the Mljet National Park and all visited sightseeing places; a town guide for Split, Hvar, Korčula and Dubrovnik; 15 days with a local guide.