

Concert Tour Dubrovnik / Croatia

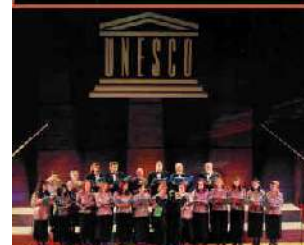
This medieval city on the Croatian side of the Adriatic coastline is a treasure - trove of cultural - historical monuments that were created throughout its thousand-year existence. In the past, it was a City-Republic, and beside Venice one of the most famous cultural-economic centres on the Mediterranean. In more recent times, it has become the centre 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.

Representative program:

- Day 1: Arrival in Dubrovnik meet and welcome by the Dubrovnik tour-guide. Transfer to the hotel and a short introduction – within 20 minutes the participants will receive very important advices and information about the stay and about typical manners for that region. Optional dinner.
- Day 2: Sightseeing tour through the city of Dubrovnik, which includes the Franciscan monastery, the Cathedral, Rector Palace (old down town) and the navigation museum. After the tour, the participants are on their own to explore more places of the city, i. e. the city walls. After the return to the hotel, a dinner can be offered on request. In the evening, there will be a friendship concert with a Croatian choir. After the concert, a short get-together is planned along with a glass of Croatian wine.
- Day 3: In the morning, the choir may accompany a mass in a catholic church. After mass, another short sightseeing tour is planned at the Ston, where we can visit the vine cellar with tasting of wine and shells. Return to Dubrovnik. In the evening will follow a farewell dinner at a traditional Dalmatian restaurant.
- Day 4: Free time until the transfer to the airport.

Standard Services:

- ♪ 3 nights in the prior chosen hotel category in rooms with facilities
- ♪ Buffet breakfast
- ♪ Farewell dinner (3-course-menu without beverages)
- ♪ Welcome drink and short information by an English speaking guide
- ♪ Room rental for a rehearsal at the hotel, 1 hour
- ♪ Organization of a friendship concert with a Croatian Choir in a Church including English speaking assistance
- ♪ Church service in a catholic church
- ♪ Guided tour in Dubrovnik (without entrance fees)
- ♪ Guided tour to the Ston
- ♪ Coach rental for transfers and the program
- ♪ English speaking tour guide
- ♪ Each 21st person free of charge in double/twin



Hotels:

3*** stars-hotels, new buildings with modern facilities, about 5 driving minutes from the city centre.

Expenses:

The expenses are very different because of the different seasonal expenses and the individual wishes of the music group. As an idea of the expenses for the mentioned standard services and a minimum of 35 travellers: € 205 p.p. in double/twin (basic 2009 without main season). Not included in these expenses are air transport, tips and beverages.

Optional:

Tour to the Konavle

Going on a road trip to Konavle is the best way to get acquainted with the tradition and culture of this unique region. Folklore events in Cilipi occur every Sunday from Easter till the end of October. At the local square in front of the St. Nicholas' Church, after the Sunday Mass which starts at 11:15h, the local folklore ensemble will introduce you with the customs and traditions of Konavle.

A visit to Cilipi is also an opportunity to see the County House which treasures valuable ethnological items, as well as to buy an original souvenir ornamented with the famed Konavle embroidery.

Our services: Coach rental, English speaking tour guides, entrance fees, lunch. Additional cost for at least 35 participants: € 45 per person.

Boat trip to Elafiti islands

A visit to the Elafiti (or Elaphiti) islands could be the highlight of your visit to Dubrovnik. The terrain is forested and hilly and the little villages retain the relaxed slowness of traditional Adriatic life. There are 13 islands in this archipelago northwest of Dubrovnik but only three Elaphiti islands are inhabited: Kolocep (pronounced Kolo-chep), Lopud and Sipan (pronounced Shee-pan).

Cruise around the isles' many coves, hidden bays, beaches and fishing villages, with ample opportunity for sunbathing and swimming/snorkelling in the crystal-clear waters.

Our English-speaking guides know the islands very well and always discuss the day's itinerary with you beforehand so that the whole trip can be adapted to your preferences.

One of the biggest decisions of the day will certainly be which of the islands' many fish restaurants to have lunch in...

Our services: Boat rental, English speaking tour guides, lunch. Additional cost for at least 35 participants: € 65 per person

Extension in Dubrovnik incl. buffet breakfast:

3-Star-hotel: € 55 per person in double € 75 in single room

Air connections:

A series of connections to Southern Croatia can be found all over Europe:

From/to: Dubrovnik	Carriers:	Infos:
Berlin, Gatwick, Genf, Liverpool, Milano, Paris	Easyjet	www.easyjet.com
Birmingham, Exeter, Southampton	Flybe	www.flybe.com
Berlin, Dresden, Dublin, Köln/Bonn, Munich, Stansted, Warsaw	Germanwings	www.germanwings.com
Belfast, Leeds	Jet2com	www.jet2.com
Budapest, Prague, Vienna	SkyEurope	www.skyeurope.com
Hannover, Munich, Stuttgart	TUIfly	www.tuifly.com
From/to: Split		

Nürnberg	AirBerlin	www.airberlin.com
Prague	Smartwings	www.smartwings.com
From/to: Zadar		
Dublin, Düsseldorf, Edinburgh, Frankfurt, Pisa, Stansted, Stockholm	Ryanair	www.ryanair.com

Please ask the group departments of these companies for air fares. A coach rental for the ground services can be arranged by music & friends.

Coach tour:

If you plan to come by coach, please make sure that the coach is available also for all transfers and tours during the stay. If you plan activities at the evening of the arrival day or at the last day, please observe the rest period of the driver. Offers for a coach rental by music & friends on request.

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