Southern Pearls
Croatia land & KL7 cruise 2018
10 night/11 day program

Route:

Guaranteed departures:
May 02, 16, 30; Jun 20; Jul 04, 18; Aug 01, 15, 29; Sep 12, 26
ITINERARY:

**WEDNESDAY**   **ARRIVAL ZAGREB (D)**
Arrival in Zagreb, the capital of Croatia - transfer to hotel. Day at leisure. Overnight.

**THURSDAY**   **ZAGREB WALKING TOUR (B)**
Morning city tour of Zagreb. Walk through the historic Upper Town, where, among other sites, visit the St. Mark’s Church, the Cathedral, the Government Palace and the Lotrščak tower. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight in Zagreb.

**FRIDAY**   **ZAGREB –PLITVICE LAKES – SPLIT (B)**
Morning departure towards Croatia’s oldest and most beautiful Plitvice Lakes National Park, consisting of 16 lakes, connected with a series of waterfalls. An environment where Karl May movies were made. Walk through the park, enjoy a boat ride on the emerald green Kozjak Lake and ride the street train back to the entrance. Walking shoes are essential for the 3 hour walk in this wonderful environment! Drive to Split for overnight.

**SATURDAY**   **SPLIT – MAKARSKA (B, L)**
Early in the morning we cruise towards the little Biševo island to visit the Blue cave, a magnificent natural phenomenon. As 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 14.- per person). We continue towards the island of Vis, which was a strategic navy harbour due to its unique geographical position and as such closed to the public until recently. Because of its isolation, Vis has a special charm -‘the Mediterranean as it once was’ which makes it really interesting to see. Overnight is in the town of Vis, situated on the northern side of the island, developed near the remains of the ancient Issa, first urban centre in Croatia. If interested, visit the remains of the Roman thermal Place, City museum or simply take a walk enjoying the view of beautiful “Villae Rusticae” situated along the coast.

**SUNDAY**   **MAKARSKA – BOL (BRAČ) - STARI GRAD (B, L)**
This morning we continue our cruise towards the next destination – the island of Brač, more precisely to the town of Bol, known for its famous Zlatni Rat beach (Golden horn), a natural phenomenon that dominates the other beaches of Bol with its specific form. After swimming break and lunch we continue our journey 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.

**MONDAY**   **STARI GRAD – HVAR (B, L)**
Our next destination is the town of Hvar, a favorite destination for jet setters from all around the world. After lunch we stop for swimming, relaxing and refreshment in clear, crystal blue sea at nearby Pakleni islands. Arrival to Hvar in the afternoon hours followed by sightseeing of this extraordinary town. Offering many cultural and historical sites (Renaissance cathedral, the oldest communal theater in Europe founded in 1612, Franciscan monastery, the Benedictine convent famous for their lace listed on the UNESCO World Heritage List, Spanjola fortress towering high above the town …) and many restaurants and bars open late into the night.

**TUESDAY**   **HVAR – (Blue Cave) VIS (B, L)**
Early in the morning we cruise towards the Elaphite islands near Dubrovnik, or towards Slano on the coastline, both are small fishermen’s villages where we stop. Sightseeing of Dubrovnik followed by an optional cable car ride up to Srđ mountain for spectacular views of the old town. We recommend a stroll along the town walls, 1940 meters in length with magnificent views of the old town of Dubrovnik and the surrounding islands. Overnight in the harbour Gruž.

**WEDNESDAY**   **VIS – KORČULA (B, L)**
During breakfast we depart towards Korčula, the birthplace of famous explorer and adventurer Marco Polo. Surrounded by medieval walls, Korcula resembles a miniature Dubrovnik when approaching from the sea. It has more legends, tales and monuments than you will find anywhere else. Today, Korčula is the only place in the world where the Spanish medieval knight’s game – Moreška is still performed. Upon arrival enjoy a guided tour through the streets of the old town built in the shape of a fish bone. Enjoy the numerous konobas, taverns, restaurants, cocktail bars or night-club located within and around the town walls. Overnight in port.

**THURSDAY**   **KORČULA – MLJET - ŠIPAN or SLANO (B, L)**
We continue cruising towards one of the greenest Adriatic islands – the island of Mljet, where on the western part, the National Park is situated. Time to enjoy the beauties of the National Park with two salt lakes connected by a narrow channel to the sea, a boat ride to the St.Mary isle in the Great Lake, where the old church and monastery are situated. Cycling around or swimming in the lakes is permitted. We continue our cruise towards Šipan, part of Elaphite islands near Dubrovnik, or towards Slano on the coastline, both are small fishermen’s villages where we will overnight in the port.

**FRIDAY**   **ŠIPAN or SLANO – DUBROVNIK (B, L)**
Early in the morning we depart towards our final destination – a true pearl of the Adriatic. After lunch short swim stop. Sightseeing of Dubrovnik followed by an optional cable car ride up to Srđ mountain for spectacular views of the old town. We recommend a stroll along the town walls, 1940 meters in length with magnificent views of the old town of Dubrovnik and the surrounding islands. Overnight in the harbour Gruž.

**SATURDAY**   **DUBROVNIK (B)**
After an early breakfast say goodbye to the crew and all your new friends!

**Legend:** B - breakfast, L - lunch, D - dinner, CD - Captain’s dinner
## DATES & PRICES 2018:

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### OBLIGATORY SUPPLEMENT

**VISITOR’S TAX & PORT FEES**

To be paid on the spot: **EUR 40.** 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.**

**PREMIUM SUPERIOR**

Premium superior vessels are recently built mini deluxe vessels featuring similar comfort, but are smaller in size – 38 to 41m in length. Air-conditioned cabins are 8 to 14m2 in size with double or twin beds, hair dryer and safety deposit box.

**Included services:** Buffet breakfasts, three course lunches, Captain’s dinner, English speaking tour manager on board, guided tours of Zagreb, Plitvice, Split, Hvar, Korčula and Dubrovnik, daily cabin service, mid-week fresh set of towels and bed linen, luggage handling, olive oil and wine tasting on board, afternoon tea and coffee, a liter of water per person daily.

**PREMIUM**

Premium steel hulled vessels with modern traditional look offer accommodation in air-conditioned, spacious en-suite cabins with double or twin beds, hair dryer and safety deposit box. Ships are from 29 to 35m in length with cabins 8 to 14m2 in size.

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### INCLUDED SERVICES

- 2 overnights Zagreb in 4* hotel (Hotel Dubrovnik, Hotel Palace or similar)
- 1 overnight Split in 4* hotel (Hotel Cornaro, President, Radisson Blu or similar)
- 1 breakfast & dinner and 2 bed and breakfast services in hotels
- Visitor’s taxes during land part
- 7 overnights cruise according to KL7 itinerary with buffet breakfasts & three course lunches on board of our Premium Superior and Premium vessels with Captain’s dinner included
- All transfers as per itinerary from airport Zagreb and to airport Dubrovnik
- Guided tours of Zagreb, Plitvice, Split, Dubrovnik, Korčula and Hvar
- Accommodation in air-conditioned TWIN or DOUBLE cabins on deck or under deck with daily cabin service
- Porterage

### REDUCTIONS & SUPPLEMENTS

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OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS

**WINING TASTING IN BOL, KORČULA, VIS**  1 hour EUR 20.-
Get your taste buds working and try Dalmatian wine sorts on different islands. **Included:** wine tasting. **Departure:** any time

**SEA KAYAKING IN HVAR**  2 to 3 hours  EUR 35.-
Paddle in your kayak from one inlet to another, from one island to another in less than ten minutes and explore the beauty of nature and its creations. Pakleni islands is a group of 14 islets and rocks dispersed in front of the town of Hvar. **Included:** group kayaking tour, guide, equipment. **Departure:** any time **(minimum 10 persons required)**

**UNDERGROUND TUNNELS TOUR ON VIS**  1:30 hour  EUR 30.-
This excursion visits military tunnels from the “Cold War” used for the submarines and gun battery in the past. **Included:** guided tour of the tunnels, return transfer. **Departure:** any time **(minimum 6 persons required)**

**VILLAGE DINNER EXPERIENCE FROM KORČULA**  3 to 4 hours  EUR 35.-
Try typical Dalmatian dinner in small village near Korčula and learn about the history and traditional way of living. **Included:** return transfer to village, walking tour, demonstration of traditional pasta making, welcome drink, dinner. **Departure:** any time after 18:00h **(minimum 5 persons required)**

**RENT-A-BIKE ON MLJET**  EUR 11.-
Most of the island MLjet is a National Park so enjoy the beautiful nature and rent a bike for 2 hours to cycle around both lakes. **Included:** coach transfer with guide, local walking tours. **Recommended:** walking shoes. **Departure:** 07:00h **Return:** 20:00h **(minimum 10 persons required)**

**CABLE CAR IN DUBROVNIK**  EUR 17.-
Take the cable car in Dubrovnik to Srd mountain and enjoy the scenic views of the old city. Excellent dining possibilities and off road buggy safari starting point. **Included:** including cable car, 1:30 hour buggy rental and equipment. **Recommended:** ideally combined with Dubrovnik cable car. **Departure:** any time **(min. 2 persons required)**

**OFF-ROAD BUGGY SAFARI IN DUBROVNIK**  1 hour  EUR 40.-
Get off the beaten track in 2-seater buggies! This excursion takes you to locations rarely seen by visitors to Dubrovnik which include hilltop fortresses and Croatian ranch. Starting point on Srd mountain. **Included:** 1 hour buggy rental and equipment. **Recommended:** ideally combined with Dubrovnik cable car. **Departure:** any time **(min. 2 persons required)**

**GAME OF THRONES TOUR IN DUBROVNIK**  2 hours  EUR 27.-
On this tour, you will be taken through all the parts of the Old City where some of the most memorable scenes from the ongoing cultural phenomenon were filmed. **Departure:** daily at: 09:30h, 11:00h, 16:30h

**SEA KAYAKING AROUND DUBROVNIK CITY WALLS IN DUBROVNIK**  4 hours  EUR 30.-
Experience swimming in hidden bays, snorkeling and magnificent views of Dubrovnik city walls from the sea. **Included:** group kayaking tour, guide, equipment. **Departure:** any time from Pile bay

Optional sightseeing in following towns **(min 10 Pax required):**
Hvar, Korčula - EUR 10,- per person per tour; 10% discount available for 3 or more tours booked in advance; Dubrovnik tour included for Premium and Prem. Superior, Hvar and Korčula for Prem. Superior. **OPTIONAL:** Headphones for walking tours, to be ordered in advance: 10 EUR per person per week.

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Payment:
- Reservation fee of EUR 150 per person
- None refundable
- Remainder latest one month prior to arrival

**Conditions & Cancellation policy:**
- The Captain reserves the right in changing the route in case of bad weather conditions
- All Katarina Line cruise departures are guaranteed, however if less than 10 participants are booked, Katarina line reserves the right in cancelling the departure and changing the ship name if the need arises. **(minimum 6 persons required)**
- 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 Katarina Line/captain reserves the right in asking clients to disembark **(non-refundable)**
- From the day of confirmation up till 30 days prior to arrival – advance payment (EUR 150 per person) - non-refundable
- 29-22 days – 25% of the remaining balance
- 21-15 days – 50% of the remaining balance
- 14-0 days – 100% fee
- Name change / date change fee – EUR 20 per person (valid only if the change is done up till 30 days prior booked departure, otherwise regular cancellation clause will be applied)

Katarina line highly recommends clients to take insurance against cancellation of reserved services! Katarina line offers a complete travel insurance package (travel health insurance, personal accident insurance, private liability, baggage insurance & trip cancellation). Additional information about travel insurance package can be found at [http://www.katarina-line.com/terms-of-service.html](http://www.katarina-line.com/terms-of-service.html)

Due specific mooring conditions and requirements in some Croatian ports, Katarina Line 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.