

# Sail Greece

1-14 June, 2025

**Sail the Stunning Sporades**

**Relax for 4 nights at a Luxury Island Resort**

**Hosted Luxury Yacht or Skipper Your Own**

**Athens Stop Over & Tour**



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# Mediterranean Adventure

Known as the 'Mamma Mia' islands, the Sporodes offer incredible natural beauty, emerald waters, quiet bays, wooded hills and abundant wildlife. Villages offer great food, friendly locals and stunning views. Less known than other sailing regions, the Sporodes is quieter and has retained its unique beauty and authentic charm. And yet it is the perfect destination for sailing! Our specially designed package offers the perfect Greek Island Getaway!

**2 Days in Athens:** Immerse yourself in the rich tapestry of history and culture in Athens. Explore iconic landmarks, devour delicious local cuisine and soak in the vibrant energy of the city.

**4 Days on an Island Paradise:** Escape to a secluded island resort, a haven of tranquility amidst the Aegean Sea. Relax on pebbly beaches, bask in the warm sunshine, and explore charming villages. Savour delectable meals and lose yourself in the laid-back island atmosphere.



**Athens + Island Resort + Hosted Yacht**  
\$4,400 (pp twin share)  
plus shared costs (approx. \$400 pp)

**Athens + Island Resort + Flotilla**  
\$1,590 (pp twin share) Single Supp. \$700  
plus Yacht Charter

**7 Days Island Hopping:** Sail the Sporodes on our hosted yacht or charter your own in our flotilla. Enjoy a well-crafted itinerary that offers a variety of anchorages, shore-based activities and a water-based options. Designed for sailors and non-sailors alike, this trip offers plenty for everyone.

## Choose Your Sailing Adventure

### Hosted Yacht

Set sail on a luxurious Jeanneau 54 yacht, fully equipped for an unforgettable adventure. Explore the Sporodes and join in the sailing under the guidance of an experienced skipper. Choose from a range of comfortable berthing options and create lasting memories with your shipmates.

### Join the Flotilla

Join our flotilla and skipper your own vessel, navigating the Aegean on your own charter yacht. Benefit from the support and guidance of the flotilla leader, ensuring a safe and enjoyable journey.



# Itinerary

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## 1 June

Arrive in Athens, the cradle of Western Civilisation! Transfer to our centrally located hotel, the Gatsby Athens, where you'll be warmly welcomed with a refreshing drink and meet your new friends over a local dinner.

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## 2 June

Discover the highlights of Athens with a walking tour of the nearby Acropolis and Roman Forum. After lunch walk through the Plaka, Athens' bustling old town, for some shopping. Free time before dinner at the Plaka.

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## 3-7 June

Transfer to Athens airport and fly to the picturesque island of Skiathos, nestled in the heart of the Sporades archipelago. Your superior room at the Thalassa Cape Hotel/Resort offers a haven of comfort and relaxation, while the resort's proximity to the main town and the water's edge provides the perfect base for exploration. Daily breakfasts at the Achinos Seaside Restaurant are included.

You have four days to embrace the island's charm: explore narrow alleyways, discover hidden coves, and soak up the sun on pristine beaches. In the evenings, indulge at nearby tavernas, immersing yourself in the vibrant local atmosphere. Alternatively, unwind by the pool, and ease into Greek island life.

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## 7 June

Check out, savour a delicious lunch, then join in our grocery shopping before our sailing adventure begins. In the late afternoon step aboard your yacht and set sail for the idyllic Island of Skopelos. Here we will anchor in a secluded cove nestled amidst a verdant tapestry of pine trees. (8 NM)

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## 8 June

Unfurl the sails and explore Skopelos' enchanting coastline. Our journey culminates in a visit to the iconic Agios Ioannis church, immortalised in the film "Mamma Mia!" Here we enjoy lunch and take a refreshing dip in the crystal-clear waters, and even take a scenic walk to the famed church. Back on board continue our nautical journey to the vibrant Skopelos Port. Here, an array of tavernas beckons you to indulge in the freshest local cuisine as you enjoy its delightful atmosphere and captivating harbour views. (16 NM)

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## 9 June

The pristine Marine Park of Skantzouira awaits on the third day. Embark on a 3-hour voyage to this haven, a protected sanctuary for the rare monk seal. Drop anchor in a secluded bay and spend the afternoon basking in

the sun's warmth, swimming in the turquoise waters, and perhaps sight playful dolphins dancing alongside our yacht. We then sail to the island of Peristera, the sound of gentle waves lapping against the hull providing the perfect soundtrack to your evening. (28 NM)

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## 10 June

We chart our course north, sailing around Peristera to Alonnisos. Take a refreshing dip in a hidden, cerulean cave, a unique experience hidden amongst the island's dramatic cliffs. We continue our coastal exploration, reaching Steni Vala, a charming village where inviting tavernas boast fresh seafood and breathtaking vistas, the perfect place to savour a delectable meal and soak in the local charm. (11 NM)

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## 11 June

Sail across the crystal-clear waters to Skolepos on the fifth day, where a delightful beach on the southeast side beckons for a relaxing lunch break. Set sail towards Limnonari Beach, one of the most coveted anchorages in the region. Choose between a delicious dinner ashore at a traditional taverna or a meal prepared on board your yacht. (13 NM)

## 12 June

With a two-hour sail on the sixth day, reach Skithios, where the Skithios Caves and the picturesque Lalaria Beach await our exploration. In the afternoon, navigate around the dramatic cape and arrive at Kechria Bay. Dine on delectable local cuisine in an alfresco setting at a nearby taverna, the perfect way to end another unforgettable day in paradise. 17 NM

## 13 June

Embark on a morning walk through the Magic Forest leading to the enchanting monastery. As you depart Kechria Bay, head south, exploring the island's coastline and its hidden coves. Enjoy a refreshing lunch and swim at Diamandis Beach, where a welcoming taverna offers the perfect opportunity to indulge in local flavours before setting sail back to our home port for the evening, enjoying a final night celebration at a local taverna. (10 NM)

## 14 June

We disembark at 9:00am and prepare for our late morning flight to Athens and then on to your next destination.



# Bookings, Terms & Conditions

## Hosted Yacht Costs

The cost of the 2-week package is \$4,400 per person, twin share subject to the terms and conditions below. Solo travellers welcome in shared cabin (twin or bunk).

## Hosted Yacht Inclusions

3 days/2 nights Athens hotel with breakfast, 4 days/4 nights superior room at resort with breakfast, 7 days/7 nights on a luxury, fully equipped yacht with skipper, training, tender, outboard, comfort pack and final cleaning. One way transfer Athens to airport.

## Shared Costs & Kitty

The hosted yacht run a kitty to cover marinas, park fees, fuel, breakfast, lunch and dinner supplies. Expect around \$400 per person.

## Not Included in the Hosted Yacht Price

Anything not explicitly included. Airfares, transfers, travel insurance, lunch and dinner in Athens and resort, dinners on hosted yacht.

## Hosted Yacht Payment

A deposit of \$1,500 per person is needed to reserve your berth or cabin. An invoice will be issued for final payment which is due on March 1, 2025.

## Hosted Yacht Cancellation

If the tour is cancelled by Blue Water SS due to unforeseen circumstances such as Coronavirus we will refund all payments. If participants cancel the following penalties apply:

Before Dec 1, 2024	\$1,000
Dec 1, 2024 to January 31, 2025	30% refund
After January 31, 2025	No refund

## Charter Yachts

Skippers must have the ICC qualification and will be required to place a deposit on their own credit card. They will also be required to sign a contract with our supplier. Yachts must be booked through us and prices include a flotilla fee. Skippers are responsible for all their own costs. Costs shown include transit log and are an estimate only and will be confirmed on enquiry.

The cost for Athens and the Island Resort is \$1,560 (pp twin share) with a single supplement of \$700. This includes 3 days/2 nights Athens hotel with breakfast, 4 days/4 nights superior room at resort with breakfast.

## Travel Insurance

Participants are required to have travel insurance. It is the responsibility of the participants to obtain insurance.

## Air Transport & Transfers

Participants are responsible for purchasing their own airfares (Australia to Athens return, and from Athens to Skithios return). Assistance is provided with transfers. Transfers not included except Athens City to Airport. Participants are not required to travel with the group.

## Passports & Privacy

You require a passport with at least 6 months validity from the end of the tour. You will need to provide full passport details. This information is held securely and in strict confidence and deleted at the end of the tour.

## Bookings & More Info:

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# Flotilla Yachts - Skipper Your Own

## Nala

### Sun Odyssey 349 2018



Length (ft): 34  
Cabins: 3  
Berths: 6  
Heads/Shwrs: 1

Est. Price (AUD):  
**\$4,350**

Security Deposit: €500



## Sylphie

### Sun Odyssey 410 2020



Length (ft): 41  
Cabins: 3  
Berths: 6  
Heads/Shwrs: 2

Est. Price (AUD):  
**\$6,730**

Security Deposit: €500



## Aella

### Sun Odyssey 410 2022



Length (ft): 41  
Cabins: 3  
Berths: 6  
Heads/Shwrs: 2

Est. Price (AUD):  
**\$6,850**

Security Deposit: €2,500



## Elia

### Lagoon 40 2023



Length (ft): 39  
Cabins: 5  
Berths: 9  
Heads/Shwrs: 5

Est. Price (AUD):  
**\$10,82**

Security Deposit: €1,000



## Billy M

### Lagoon 42 2023



Length (ft): 42  
Cabins: 6  
Berths: 10  
Heads/Shwrs: 4

Est. Price (AUD):  
**\$13,36**

Security Deposit: €1,000



## Escape

### Lagoon 46 2023



Length (ft): 46  
Cabins: 6  
Berths: 10  
Heads/Shwrs: 4

Est. Price (AUD):  
**\$16,31**

Security Deposit: €1,000



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