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JUNE 19 - 28, 2025

(DEPART FOR DUBROVNIK ON JUNE 18)

FOR INCLUDED 2-NIGHT PRE-CRUISE PROGRAM

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CROATIAN RIVIERA LUXURY YACHT CRUISE INCLUDING:

- 2-Night Dubrovnik Pre-Cruise program at 5-Star Hotel
- Airport transfers to and from your luxury yacht
- Complimentary wine, beer, soft drinks, & selected cocktails throughout the day
- State-of-the-art coffee machines and tea stations
- Included excursions with local guides
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- Gratuities, taxes, and port charges



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It's time to pack your bags, leave your worries behind and embark on a new adventure!

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Julie Scamardo
Manager of Traveling Aggies
The Association of Former Students

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Dubrovnik Pre-Cruise Program • June 19*-21

Included with Cruise Fare

- 2 nights at 5-star Hotel Dubrovnik Palace or similar accommodations, including breakfast
- Half-day sightseeing excursion of Dubrovnik, including a traditional lunch in Rudjer, featuring:
 - Walking tour of Dubrovnik's Old Town including the City Walls and Monastery
 - Cable car to Mount Srđ for panoramic view of the Adriatic Sea
- Half-day tour to village of Mali Ston, featuring:
 - Short boat trip from Mali Ston bay to an oyster farm
 - Explanation of oyster farming including a demonstration and tasting along with a glass of local wine
- Transfers between Dubrovnik (DBV) airport*, hotel and yacht with related luggage handling

*Dubrovnik hotel check-in date is June 19

Mobility: This program involves a moderate to significant amount of walking, some over uneven terrain. Guests must be able to enter and exit a small boat to the oyster farm (Dubrovnik). To ensure a maximized experience for all guests, you must be able to keep up with a guide/group. The tours are not considered suitable for those with walking difficulties. Order of sites may vary.

Venice Post-Cruise Program • June 28-30

\$2,599 per person, double occupancy • \$3,099 single, subject to availability

- 2 nights at 5-star Grand Hotel Dei Dogi or similar accommodations, including breakfast
- Half-day panoramic walking tour of Venice, featuring:
 - Scuola Grande di San Rocco
 - Ca' Foscari University of Venice
 - Ca' Macana workshop for Venice masks
 - Accademia Bridge, Campo Santo Stefano, and Teatro la Fenice (interior visit)
- Full-day tour of Murano & Burano, including lunch, featuring:
 - Boat tour to the neighboring islands of Murano & Burano
 - In Murano, learn and participate in the ancient art of glass blowing
 - In Burano, visit sites that make the finest lace in Europe
- Tours include a motor-launch transfer back to hotel
- Transfers between yacht, hotel, and Venice (VCE) airport, * with related luggage handling

Mobility: This tour involves a considerable amount of walking, much of it over uneven or uphill terrain, and may not be suitable for those with walking difficulties. You must be able to keep up with a group or guide in order to ensure a maximized experience for all.

*FOR GUESTS BOOKING THEIR OWN AIRFARE: Airport transfers are only applicable during program dates. You must provide your complete flight details to Go Next 30 days prior to departure in order to ensure airport transfers.

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The *Go Beyond* Pre/Post-Cruise Program pricing, itineraries, order of sites, and accommodations are subject to change.



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Get ready for an exciting 2-night included tour in Dubrovnik followed by a 7-night adventure along the picturesque Croatian coastline aboard *Azzurra*, Emerald Cruises' Luxury Yacht Experience.

In Dubrovnik, indulge your historic side as you traverse the lanes of the Old Town, filled with fortresses and fortifications, or opt for an immersive local experience and cook coastal cuisine with Croatian villagers. Relax on the beaches of Korcula and enjoy Marjan Forest Park in Split, where you can also explore intriguing relics from various historical periods at the archeological museum. Experience the Sea Organ in Zadar, an innovative sound art installation along the waterfront that uses the movement of waves to create melodic sounds. Take a leisurely stroll through the charming seaside town of Opatija, often called the "Croatian Cannes." Finally, conclude your journey in enchanting Venice, often called "The Floating City."



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JUNE 19 - DUBROVNIK, CROATIA - *Hotel Stay* 🧳

Arrive in Dubrovnik and transfer to the 5-star Hotel Dubrovnik Palace, and unwind from your travels. Spend the remainder of the day at your leisure.

JUNE 20 - DUBROVNIK, CROATIA - *Hotel Stay*

Discover the magic of Dubrovnik as our expert guide leads you through the historic streets of this enchanting city. Delight in a sumptuous 3-course lunch, savoring local delicacies. Experience breathtaking views with a thrilling cable car ride to the summit of Mount Srd. Conclude your adventure with a walk along the iconic Dubrovnik city walls, where stunning panoramas await.

JUNE 21 - DUBROVNIK, CROATIA - *Embark*

After breakfast, escape the hustle and bustle of Dubrovnik and enjoy a serene journey to the quaint village of Mali Ston. Immerse yourself in the world of oyster farming with an engaging demonstration, tasting, and educational session on the fascinating growth process of these prized delicacies. Conclude your tour and transfer to your Emerald Cruises luxury yacht to begin your tour of intriguing cities and extraordinary coastlines.

JUNE 22 - DUBROVNIK, CROATIA

Dubrovnik, known as the 'Pearl of the Adriatic', is a compelling city on Croatia's Dalmatian coast. With its medieval city walls and breathtaking views of terracotta rooftops and the Adriatic Sea, it offers the perfect blend of cultural exploration and a beach holiday.



JUNE 23 - SPLIT, CROATIA

Croatia's second-largest city, Split, is visually stunning and rich with culture, history and architecture. Take a stroll along the Riva past beautiful terraces, palm trees and busy eateries with harbor views. Diocletian's Palace, built in the 4th century AD, dominates the city center and houses a myriad of buzzing bars and cafes.

JUNE 24 - SPLIT, CROATIA - ZADAR, CROATIA

Get ready to set sail in the morning from Split to Zadar. A historic city set on a peninsula; Zadar boasts relics from various eras. Explore the churches, Roman ruins, and unique modern attractions: the Sun Salutation and Sea Organ, which are inventive sound, surf and sun-activated art pieces.

JUNE 25 - OPATIJA, CROATIA

On the western peninsula of Croatia, southwest of the city of Rijeka, is Opatija, with alluring views across the Adriatic towards the Kvarner Islands and the distant Istrian mountains. Known as the Nice of Croatia, Opatija has lovely seaside promenades and fairy-tale villas. Enjoy one of the local specialties: mussels with pršut or fish stew.

JUNE 26 - PIRAN, SLOVENIA

Piran is a pretty town of red-tiled, white-washed buildings clustered on the tip of the Piran peninsula. Part of the Venetian empire from the late 13th century to the end of the 18th century, esteemed for its gothic-style Venetian architecture.

JUNE 27 - VENICE, ITALY

Venice is an enchanting city that exudes an atmosphere not found anywhere else in the world. Established in the 5th century, the city stretches across 118 small islands in the marshy Venetian Lagoon along the Adriatic. Admire the grandeur of the canals and see Saint Mark's Basilica.

JUNE 28 - VENICE, ITALY - Disembark

Your Emerald Cruises voyage concludes in the grand, historic city of Venice. From the yacht, you will be transferred to the airport for your journey home or to continue your holiday.



PRICING

CATEGORY	SQUARE FOOTAGE	FARES PER PERSON
SA Owner's Suite	1,171-1,193	\$18,290
Y Yacht Suite	700-721	\$11,870
T Terrace Suite	648-670	\$11,230
S Deluxe Balcony Suite	382-404	\$10,020
A Balcony Suite	285-307	\$8,950
B Balcony Suite	285-307	\$8,520
D Oceanview Stateroom	183-210	\$6,595



Airfare Available Starting At \$1,000

Fares are per person, double occupancy, single rates are available. Differentiation in pricing within the category type is due to location on the deck. All stateroom and suite locations and prices are subject to availability. Onboard meals, refreshments, entertainment and gratuities are included. Airport transfers are included on arrival and departure dates. Add-on airfare pricing based on cabin category. More details available upon booking.

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CRUISES

DISCOVER LUXURY YACHT CRUISING

Get a taste for the Emerald Cruises luxury yacht cruising experience. Enjoy a myriad of on board spaces and entertainment, from the Aqua Pool to the Marina Platform.

AWARD-WINNING LUXURY

This boutique floating hotel provides guests with luxurious surroundings, a wealth of amenities, and unique innovations such as the spectacular Marina Platform and state-of-the-art infrared sauna.

Emerald Azzurra is custom-designed to sail into smaller ports and harbors. This allows docking in the heart of fascinating port towns, meaning you'll enjoy a more in-depth cruise that takes you closer to the action.

DALMATIAN COAST LUXURY YACHT CRUISE INCLUDING:

- Airport transfers to and from your luxury yacht
- Complimentary all day drinks
- State-of-the-art coffee machines and tea stations
- Complimentary mini-bar and water, restocked daily
- Included excursions with local guides
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- Gratuities, taxes, and port changes

ONE-OF-A-KIND SAILING EXPERIENCE

FINE DINING ON BOARD

- From ocean-fresh seafood to locally-sourced citrus fruits and exotic spices, savor the flavors of each destination you sail into.

ELEMENTS SPA & WELLNESS CENTER

- The luxurious Elements Spa & Wellness Center offers everything from holistic massages to results-driven facials, using world-renowned ESPA products. Available at additional cost.

INFRARED SAUNA

- Step inside the state-of-the-art infrared sauna to boost your circulation, strengthen your immune system and aid post-workout recovery.

GYM

- Keep up your daily fitness regimen or try something new in our well-equipped gym with cutting-edge equipment.

GOCYCLE ELECTRIC BICYCLES

- Soak up the local culture on one of Emerald's award-winning Gocycle electric bicycles. These complimentary e-Bikes are comfortable, smooth and compact for effortless exploration.

AQUATIC FUN

- Stand-up paddleboards, floating mats, snorkel kits, an aquaglide™ trampoline, and SEABOBs are available for complimentary use to explore the ocean.



EMERALD AZZURRA

Designed to allow access to smaller ports, this luxury yacht is the ultimate in sailing experiences. Glide along the Adriatic coast through a landscape of mighty castles, cosmopolitan cities, and medieval towns that inspired iconic fairy tales. Capture the romance at the heart of the continent on a petite luxury yacht. This uniquely designed vessel features contemporary design, welcoming public spaces, and elegant living quarters. And with just 100 guests and 72 crew on board, there's plenty of room for you to unwind after the day's adventures. Settle into a comfy chair and let some of the world's most gorgeous scenery come to you.

With one of the best values in cruising, Emerald Cruises makes it easy to relax. Get a taste for fine dining with this ship's impressive culinary program. Taste the regional cuisines of Europe at the elegant-casual La Cucina Restaurant. Take a dip in the heated pool and stop by the spa for a selection of indulgent treatments. Enjoy complimentary wine, beer, soft drinks, and selected cocktails throughout the cruise.