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IPA DUBROVNIK FRIENDSHIP WEEK 25th April to 2nd May 2015

PROGRAMME

DAY 1 – 25th April 2015 (Saturday)

- Welcoming of Guests at Dubrovnik Airport
- Transfer to Hotel Albatros (<u>http://www.remisens.com/en/hotel-albatros</u>)
- Evening welcome drink and dinner

DAY 2 – 26th April 2015 (Sunday)

- Breakfast
- Full day panorama and sightseeing tour of Dubrovnik (by bus and walking)
 Start your visit to the magical city of Dubrovnik by enjoying breathtaking panoramic view on the "Pearl of the Adriatic", Island of Lokrum and the sea. Drift away through centuries of history, culture and tradition, accompanied by our knowledgeable guide.
 Tour Starts: 09:00 AM Tour ends: 12:00 PM Free time in the Old City until: 04:00 PM Transfer to hotel: 04:00 PM from Pile Gate.
- Dinner and overnight in hotel

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DAY 3 – 27th April 2015 (Monday)

Breakfast

Full day tour to the Island of Korčula (by bus and walking)

Travel to the town of Ston, the border of the Republic of Dubrovnik, and continue your journey down the peninsula of Pelješac, the county wine region, cross the sea by carferry and arrive at Marco Polo's city of Korčula. Enjoy a sightseeing tour of the city of Korčula by a local tourist guide. On your back visit a local winery and enjoy the excellent local wine at one well-known wine cellar on the Pelješac peninsula.

Tour starts: 08:30 AM Tour ends: 08:30 PM Local guide: Yes

Dinner and overnight in hotel

DAY 4 – 28th April 2015 (Tuesday)

- Breakfast
- Full day tour to the City of Mostar (by bus and walking)

Visit the UNESCO World Heritage listed city of Mostar in Bosnia and Herzegovina, known as a melting pot of cultures and religions, where east meets the west and north meets the south. Drive along the coast to Neum and through the picturesque Neretva River Delta. Explore the fortress town of Počitelj, a well-preserved example of oriental architecture perched on a hillside over the river. Continue to Mostar, where our local guide will enrich your knowledge of the city's history as an important trade center on caravan routes during the Ottoman Empire, and see its historic Old Bridge, the colorful Old Bazaar with traditional handicrafts and a well-preserved traditional Turkish home.



- Tour starts: 08:30 AM Tour ends: 08:30 PM Local guide: Yes
- Dinner and overnight in hotel

DAY 5 – 29th April 2015 (Wednesday)

- Breakfast
- Full day tour to Montenegro (by bus and walking)

On this day we travel to Montenegro and enjoy a scenic drive around the Bay of Kotor, the Adriatic Fjord, surrounded by mountains with its numerous small settlements, including Risan, once the seat of the Illyrian queen Teuta, and picturesque Perast, a joyful stopping spot for the Russian Czars and Venetian Princes. We arrive in the medieval city of Kotor, encircled by walls and fortresses and listed as UNESCO World Heritage Site where you'll enjoy a guided tour of the city. We continue towards Budva with a panoramic view over the small islet of Sveti Stefan. In Budva, a charming ancient town that is today a lively tourist resort, you'll have more free time to explore. We return to Dubrovnik by car-ferry across the Bay of Kotor.

Tour starts: 08:30 AM Tour ends: 08:30 PM Local guide: Yes

Dinner and overnight in hotel



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DAY 6 – 30th April 2015 (Thursday)

- Breakfast
- Free time in the town of Cavtat

The origins of Cavtat stretch right back to ancient Greek times before it came under Roman rule in 228 BC. The area was then destroyed in the 7th century AD when its inhabitants fled to a nearby island and eventually founded the city of Dubrovnik. By the 15th century, a new settlement began growing here, and today Cavtat is a small seaside town tucked on a peninsula between two bays, with lush vegetation and plenty sandy beaches. Explore Cavtat's long history among the scattered ruins of an amphitheater and several Roman tombs, the 16th-century buildings, including the Rector's Palace, the museum dedicated scholar Baltazar Bogisic, the Baroque St. Nicholas's Church and in the foothills behind the town, the gleaming white Račić Mausoleum, the work of the famous Croatian sculptor, Ivan Meštrović.

- . Lunch
- IPA Friendship dinner in Poljice, Konavle (by bus)

We take you to Poljice, a small village in the Konavle region that dates back to the Middle Ages. In the home and the country estate of the Glavić Family, that has lived here for generations, we'll enjoy a delicious homemade dinner prepared in the traditional way, and local wine accompanied by some charming entertainment all in the atmosphere of IPA friendship!

Tour starts: 05:00 PM Tour ends: 10:00 PM

Transfer and overnight in hotel

DAY 7 – 1st May 2015 (Friday)

- Breakfast
- Free time day (National holiday in Croatia Labour Day)
- Optional:

Full day Three Islands Tour (by boat and walking)

Visit the Elaphite islands, the untouched islands are a wonder of nature, and enjoy the perfect opportunity to experience the true island life, Dalmatian style. Situated to the north-west of Dubrovnik this group of islands are made up of eight islands, the majority of which are uninhabited, and with this full day tour you'll have the opportunity to visit three of them: Koločep, Šipan and Lopud. Take a dip in the crystal clear seas, stroll in the shade of Mediterranean vegetation, explore quaint hamlets or simply indulge your taste buds with local cuisines, the choice is yours!

Tour starts: 09:00 AM Tour ends: 08:00 PM Local guide: Yes Possibility: only if weather and sea conditions permit.

Dinner and overnight in hotel

DAY 8 – 2nd May 2015 (Saturday)

- Breakfast
- Transfer from the hotel to Dubrovnik Airport
- Departure

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INCLUDED:

- Hotel accommodation (4 star) on half board basis (breakfast and dinner)
- Transfers airport hotel airport
- All tours with escort and local tourist guides including entrance fees
- Full board on 30th April 2015 (breakfast, lunch and dinner)

NOT INCLUDED:

- Tips service providers (guides, drivers, hotel staff etc.)
- Beverages except during Friendship dinner
- Travel expenses to and from hotel accommodation
- Travel insurance
- Any other personal extras

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

IPA Dubrovnik reserves the right to make changes to the programme for the best success of the event!

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