YOUR ADRIATIC CRUISE GUIDE

Gems of the Sporades & Cyclades 2028 – Skiathos, Skopelos & Meteora

Aboard **M/Y Elysium** • 7 nights / 8 days • 2028 season



Discover your cruise

> North from Athens aboard M/Y Elysium: the thermal springs of Edipsos, Volos for the Meteora monasteries, Skiathos, Mamma Mia! Skopelos, the Alonissos marine park and Skyros, returning via Andros and Kea.

Day-by-day itinerary

DAY 1 Lavrion – embarkation

Embark at Lavrion between 14:30 and 15:30 with a welcome drink during check-in. We sail at 16:00 north into the Evian Gulf, with dinner on deck. At night the yacht passes the historic sliding bridge of Chalkis, built in 1896, where the tidal currents change direction several times a day.

DAY 2 Edipsos – Oreoi

Arrive in Edipsos, a spa town famous since antiquity, for an early dip where warm mineral water flows into the sea, a walk along the seafront or a coffee at the historic spa. Lunch al fresco on the way to the fishing village of Oreoi, with its ancient marble bull and seafood tavernas. Overnight in Oreoi.

DAY 3 Volos – Meteora

Cross the Pagasetic Gulf to Volos, the legendary home of Jason and the Argonauts. Join the optional excursion to the Meteora monasteries, a UNESCO World Heritage site, or explore the waterfront and Archaeological Museum. In the evening try meze and tsipouro at a traditional tsipouradiko. Overnight in port.

DAY 4 Skiathos

Early arrival at a sandy Skiathos cove for swimming, kayaking or relaxing on the beach. Lunch on board, then on to Skiathos Town for its lanes, craft shops and the Bourtzi peninsula. The evening is perfect for the island's restaurants and bars; overnight in port.

DAY 5 Skopelos

Breakfast on deck as we sail to Skopelos. Swim stop and lunch at Stafilos beach, then Skopelos Town with whitewashed houses and countless chapels. The optional Mamma Mia! tour visits Agios Ioannis Kastri church and Kastani beach. Try the local cheese pie at dinner ashore; overnight in port.

DAY 6 Alonissos – Skyros

Swim and snorkel off uninhabited Peristera in the Alonissos Marine Park, home of the rare Mediterranean monk seal, with lunch on board. Late-afternoon arrival in Linaria on Skyros; explore the island's Chora and enjoy lobster pasta or local goat cheese ashore. Overnight in Linaria.

DAY 7 Andros – Kea

Morning swim or coffee in Batsi on Andros, then sail south to Kea, arriving early in the evening for a walk around the harbour. Farewell dinner on board on the last night of the cruise.

DAY 8 Lavrion – disembarkation

Breakfast on board and disembarkation at Lavrion by 10:00.

Upcoming departures & cabin prices

Published upcoming departures for this ship and program. Prices per person in double occupancy; port taxes and other extras are excluded unless specified. Availability and offers are subject to confirmation.

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Cabin category	Regular per person	Current per person	Status
Prices and availability on request			

Port taxes and tourist fees: €410 per person, payable separately; not discounted.

Included in price

Seven nights in a twin or double cabin with private shower/WC, air conditioning, TV, minibar, safe, Wi-Fi, bathrobes, slippers and beach towels.

Buffet breakfast daily and half board as listed in the itinerary; welcome cocktail, barbecue on deck, still water and unlimited filter coffee, tea and biscuits.

Room service without surcharge.

Daily group wellness sessions with the on-board wellness coach and use of the mini gym.

Occasional themed talks and on-board activities as listed for the cruise.

Snorkelling gear, fishing equipment, kayaks and paddle boards.

Multilingual cruise director.

Not included in price

Port taxes: EUR 410 per person, shown separately on the invoice and paid together with the cruise fare; not discounted and fully refunded if the booking is cancelled before departure.

Drinks other than those listed, minibar and boutique purchases.

Optional shore excursions, spa treatments, water-skiing and scuba diving.

Crew gratuities, laundry, medical services and personal expenses.

Flights, transfers, hotels in Athens and travel insurance.

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