

BASE GUIDE

DREAM YACHT  CHARTER



THE MEDITERRANEAN | ZATON, CROATIA

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BASE ADDRESS

Marina Zaton
Dobri Dolac bb
Zaton
Šibenik 22215

GPS POSITION: N: 43° 47' 10" E: 15° 49' 23"

OPENING HOURS: 8am – 4pm

BASE MAP



BASE CONTACTS

If you need support while on your charter, contact the base immediately using the contact details in this guide. Please contact your booking agent for all requests prior to your charter.

BASE MANAGER & CUSTOMER SERVICE:

Base Manager: Tonko Palinić

Phone: +385 99 2109 327 / +385 91 6212 265

Email: manager.zaton@dreamyachtcharter.com / base.zaton@dreamyachtcharter.com

BASE FACILITIES

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Electricity | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Luggage storage |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water | <input type="checkbox"/> Restaurant |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Toilets | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bar |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Showers | <input type="checkbox"/> Supermarket / Grocery store |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Laundry | <input type="checkbox"/> ATM |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Swimming pool | <input type="checkbox"/> Post Office |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wi-Fi | |

BASE INFORMATION

LICENSE

Sailing license required: No Yes

PAYMENT

The base can accept: Visa MasterCard Amex Cash

EMBARKATION TIME

Embarkation is at 5pm and at 7pm.

YACHT BRIEFING

The technical check in and yacht briefing will take 40-60 minutes, depending on yacht size and crew experience. The team will give a detailed walk-through of your yacht's technical equipment, information about safe and accurate navigation, including the yacht's navigational instruments, as well as mooring, anchorage and itinerary help. The safety briefing introduces the safety equipment and your yacht's general inventory.

STOP OVERS

You must spend the last night in the marina and arrive before 6pm.

DISEMBARKATION TIME

Disembarkation time is 9am on Saturday morning. The team will inspect your yacht's equipment and a general visual check of its interior and exterior. A diver will check its hull, keel, rudder(s) propeller(s) and /or bow thruster. General inspection will take approximately one hour.

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BAGGAGE

Please only take soft bags and not suitcases, as they would be too cumbersome onboard.

BASE AND EMERGENCY CONTACTS

- Base emergency telephone number: +385992109327
- Marina emergency telephone number: +385 310103
- Coastguard emergency telephone number: +385195
- VHF base channel: 17
- VHF marina channel: 17
- VHF emergency channel: 16

Day	Time
Monday - Sunday	8am – 8pm

HOW TO GET THERE?

ACCESS BY PLANE

Split Airport (SPU): The airport is 60km from the base, which is a 60-minute journey by car/shuttle. There are regular flights from Zagreb, Rim, Munich and Frankfurt with Croatia Airlines. Please check the schedule on the [airport website](#). Zadar airport (ZAD) is 80k, from the base, a 60-minute journey.

TRANSFERS FROM THE AIRPORT TO OUR BASE

If you need organized transfer from the airport, please contact our base manager. Major car rental companies operate from the airport, please refer to airport website for info, working hours and contacts. Taxis are regularly available in front of the airport buildings.

ACCESS BY ROAD

From direction Zagreb (north): Motorway A1 towards Split, exit Pirovac, after 1km turn left onto road 59 towards Skradin, after 3km turn right onto road 6072, after 8km turn left onto road 27 and after approx. 1,5km turn left onto road 6088 towards Zaton, arrive on destination on right after approx. 1km.

From direction Split (south): Motorway A1 towards Zagreb, exit Sibenik, follow directions to Sibenik after approx. 10km turn onto main coastal road D8 direction Zadar, after 5km turn right onto road 6088 towards Zaton, arrive on destination on right after approx. 1km.

PROVISIONING & RECOMMENDATIONS

BASE PROVISIONING SERVICE

This base provides a provisioning service: Yes No

LOCAL SUPERMARKET

Konzum
Trg Gabrijela Cvitana bb, 22215 Zaton

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Opening hours may differ during public holidays and are subject to change without notice.

FUEL AND WATER

Water is located in the marina and fuel can be found in Šibenik Lukoil gas station, Uvala Duboka 22000 Šibenik.

HOTEL SUGGESTIONS:

- [Hotel Panorama](#)
- Sibenski Most 11, 22000, Šibenik
- [Hotel Bellevue](#)
- Obala hrvatske Mornarice 1, 22000, Šibenik

RESTAURANT SUGGESTIONS:

- [Konoba Porat](#)
- [Restourant Pelegrini](#)

AREA GUIDE

LOCAL AREA INTRODUCTION

Centrally located on the Krka River between Zadar and Split, the picturesque old city of Šibenik (pronounced 'see-be-nik') is an ideal point to start and end your yacht charter on the Dalmatian coast.

Known as one of the best-preserved authentic mediaeval towns in the entire region, Šibenik is also home to St. James's cathedral, a UNESCO world heritage site.

Guests get to explore a wide variety of harbors, marinas and anchorages on a Šibenik yacht charter, or spend several days in a variety of historic locations immersing themselves in the history of the region.

To sail from our base in Šibenik, you will need a sailing license that is recognized by the local port authorities, or you can hire a skipper. Read our guide to sailing qualifications for more information.

TOP THINGS TO DO IN ŠIBENIK:

1. **Sightsee as you sail to the peaceful island of Zlarin:** Sail out from the marina to the Bay of Šibenik where you will pass by the 16th century St Nicholas Fortress enroute to Zlarin.
2. **Learn about grape and olive production on Kaprije:** Kaprije is home to about 100 inhabitants who use the island to grow olives and grapes. There are no cars there and it was also where the movie Mediterraneo was filmed.
3. **Explore the Kornati Islands National Park:** One of our favorite things to do in Šibenik, is sailing to the Kornati Islands National Park. The park is made up of nearly 100 islands and many are uninhabited. You will need to purchase a special permit to sail in the park.
4. **Sail into Krka National Park:** Visiting Krka National Park needs to be on your itinerary. Swim in the crystal clear water of the park and be sure to check out the park's seven waterfalls.
5. **Sightsee in Šibenik Old City:** If you're renting a boat in Šibenik, walk from the marina and explore the old city's architecture and UNESCO world heritage sites, including the St. James's cathedral and Town Hall.

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CURRENCY: Croatian Kuna (KN)

VOLTAGE: 220V

DIALING CODE: +385

CUSTOMS CLEARANCE

If you're sailing around Šibenik you do not need to worry about customs clearance.

INTERNET

The Wi-Fi in Šibenik is widely available and most cities and towns have Wi-Fi hotspots at bars and restaurants and hotels. Marina Zaton has free Wi-Fi and you can also rent Wi-Fi for your charter.

ENVIRONMENT

- Respect your surroundings and leave only footprints in the sand
- Only use the engine or genset when needed (fill up your tanks for the water maker at the docks when you can)
- Recycle your garbage in the correct containers at the marina
- Respect regulations around marine reserves and private islands where disembarking is not permitted

REGULATIONS

Night sailing is not allowed.

Information subject to change without notice.

SAILING CONDITIONS

SAILING AREA

From our base in Marina Zaton, you can easily explore the chain of nearby islands that form the Šibenik archipelago, including the famous Kornati islands National Park.

The hot and sunny summer climate in Šibenik is one reason why the region is a popular yacht charter destination, together with Šibenik's fantastic sailing conditions, long sailing season and short passages between harbors and islands.

With a yacht charter in Šibenik, Croatia, you'll easily be able to travel between historic towns, quaint fishing villages, uninhabited islands and enjoy delicious restaurants.

WEATHER

The best time to visit Šibenik is between May and October, as you'll enjoy a sunny, hot and dry climate. Be aware that the hottest and most crowded months to visit are July and August, so you may want to visit outside of these months.

The average temperature in Šibenik in summer is usually between 78°F and 95°F. The sea temperature in Šibenik is between 75°F and 82°F during the summer months.

TEMPERATURE

Climate in Šibenik, Croatia:

- Summer high: The July high is around 90°F
- Winter low: The January low is 35°F

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WIND SYSTEMS

The sailing conditions for Šibenik yacht charters are perfect for sailors who want to sail in good winds instead of always motoring through calms.

In the summer, Šibenik's prevailing wind is the north westerly mistral which typically blows between 10 and 25 knots.

The north easterly bura (bora) features gusts that can range between 30 and 50 knots. If you're sailing on your Šibenik yacht charter and see that the bura is forecast, be sure to find a sheltered anchorage.

Meanwhile, the southerly jugo will often bring poor weather conditions, including rain and wind up to 25 knots.

LOCAL FORECAST

You can find Šibenik weather forecasts from [Windguru](#). The weather is broadcast on VHF channels 4, 7, 28 and 85 at 6:20am, 1:20pm and 10:20pm every day.