BASE GUIDE























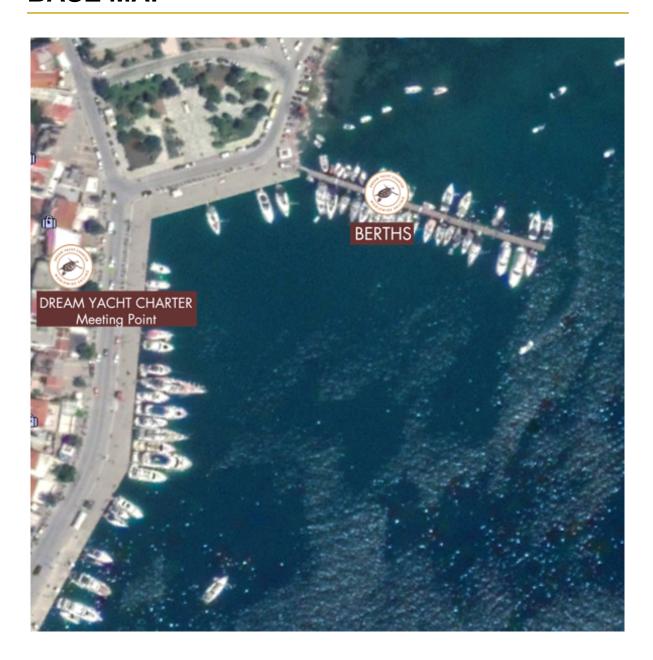
BASE ADDRESS

Skiathos New Port Skiathos 37002

GPS POSITION: 39.1650602, 23.4930259

OPENING HOURS: 9am - 6pm

BASE MAP





BASE CONTACTS

BASE MANAGER & CUSTOMER SERVICE:

Name: Yannis Delimitros Phone: +30 6978224590

Email: manager.skiathos@dreamyachtcharter.com

Meeting point: Meltemi Brunch Cafe

BASE FACILITIES				
 ☑ Electricity ☑ Water ☐ Toilets ☐ Showers ☐ Laundry ☐ Swimming pool ☐ Wi-Fi BASE INFORMATION	 □ Luggage storage ⋈ Restaurant ⋈ Bar ⋈ Supermarket / Grocery store ⋈ ATM □ Post Office 			
LICENSE Sailing license required: ⊠ Yes	□ No			
PAYMENT The base can accept: ⊠ Visa ⊠ MasterC	ard □ Amex ⊠ Cash			
EMBARKATION TIME You can complete the required paperwor				

YACHT BRIEFING

All briefings are conducted on the chartered yacht and will take 40-90 minutes, depending on yacht size and crew experience. The team will give a detailed walkthrough 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

Your need to overnight at Skiathos Marina on the last night of your charter.

DISEMBARKATION TIME

Check out is at 5pm the evening before your final day of charter.



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.

BAGGAGE

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

BASE AND EMERGENCY CONTACTS

- Base emergency telephone number: +30 6978224590
- Marina emergency telephone number: +30 2427023841
- Coastguard emergency telephone number: +30 2427022017
- VHF emergency channel: 16

HOW TO GET THERE?

ACCESS BY PLANE

Skiathos Airport Alexandros Papadiamantis (JSI): The airport is 2km from the base, which is a 10-minute journey by car/shuttle. There are regular flights from Athens, Thessaloniki, as well as major European cities with Aegean Airlines, Olympic Air, Condor, Volotea, Austrian Airlines, Thomas Cook Airlines, Cyprus Airways and Sky Express. Please check the schedule on the airport website.

TRANSFERS FROM THE AIRPORT TO OUR BASE

If you need an 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 Skiathos airport, head south via Periferiakos Skiathou. Turn right onto Paraliakos Street. The base is on your left.

ACCESS BY BUS

Skiathos airport does not have a regular bus service and we recommend you use a taxi.

Information subject to change without notice.

PROVISIONING & RECOMMENDATIONS

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This base provides a provisioning service: \square No \square Yes



Spar Super Market Ringroad, Skiathos 37002 5-minute walk from base (400m)

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

Day	Time
Monday - Saturday	8am – 10pm
Sunday	8am – 8pm

FUEL AND WATER

Fuel is delivered by mini truck at the base

and water is provided by the base team.

HOTEL SUGGESTIONS:

- Skiathos Palace Hotel
 - Provincial Street, Koukounaries 370 02
- <u>La Piscine Art Hotel</u>
 - Evaggelistrias, Koukounaries 370 02
- Hotel Akti
 - Georgiadis 26, Skiathos (Chora) 370 02

RESTAURANT SUGGESTIONS:

- Fresh Café Snack Bar
- Akrogiali
- Marmita

AREA GUIDE

LOCAL AREA INTRODUCTION

Sail from Skiathos Marina into the heart of the Sporades archipelago. There are 24 Sporades islands in the Aegean, close to the western mainland of Greece. The three most visited are the northern islands of Skiathos, Skopelos and Alonissos.



The experienced sailor will enjoy Skiathos sailing, with its lively winds. The area is also known to offer up some of the best secluded sandy beaches including Lalaria, considered the most beautiful beach on Skiathos, and only accessible by boat. Koukounaries is another popular beach on Skiathos with a long sandy stretch framed by pine forests.

Discover your inner Abba fan and sing along to classics on Skopelos Island, the impressive setting for the film Mamma Mia! Hop between Skopelos Town and Glossa during your yacht charter in Skiathos, with its white houses winding into the hills, or swim at Panormos and Agios Ioannis.

To sail in Skiathos, you will need a sailing license that is recognized by the local port authorities, or you can hire a skipper.

TOP THINGS TO DO IN SKIATHOS:

- **1. Sail to Lalaria Beach:** This spectacular beach surrounded by white rock formations can only be reached by boat, and is one of our top things to do in Skiathos. Visit here early in the day when it's at its most peaceful and you can hear the wild goats from the cliffs above.
- **2. Visit the setting of Mamma Mia! on Kastani Beach:** This beach on Skopelos was a shooting location for the film Mamma Mia! and is a much-visited tourist spot. Even with crowds, it's worth a visit for the music, beach bar and lush pine-tree backdrop.
- **3. See the views from Agios Nikolaos Church and Clock Tower:** Take an evening stroll and make your way to this clock tower for wonderful views over Skiathos Town. Wear suitable footwear and explore the town as you find the steps up to the tower.
- **4. Find gifts at the Blue House Art Gallery:** Offering an interesting mix of traditional and modern art, this small gallery in Skiathos Town is the perfect place to find locally-designed jewelry, paintings and gifts, and is a great thing to do in Skiathos.
- **5. Hike in Skopelos:** The island of Skopelos is a hiker's heaven with miles of winding paths crisscrossing the interior leading to monasteries and chapels. For some of the more challenging hikes and to learn more about local history, consider hiring a local guide.

CURRENCY: Euro (EUR)

VOLTAGE: 220 V

DIALING CODE: +30 2427

INTERNET

There is internet access via cafes and Wi-Fi hotspots, but you may need to pay. You can also buy a local Sim card while on your yacht charter in Skiathos.

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

The regulations in Skiathos vary depending on weather conditions, when you are sailing and the type of fishing. There's no restriction on night sailing. Check with port authorities on arrival.

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SAILING CONDITIONS

SAILING AREA

From Skiathos, make for Linaria on Skyros Island and enjoy the beach at Acherounes or dine at the tavernas while on your Skiathos sailing vacation. Find some peace at Molos with its long sandy beach. From here you can see the town of Skiros snaking up the imposing rock face.

Sail to Kira Panagia Island, after visiting the National Marine Park with its endangered monk seals. Plantis Bay is a natural harbor where you can moor. On the east coast, you can see the monastery, which is inhabited by a single monk, and is certainly worth a visit while sailing the Sporades Islands.

Patitiri is the main port on Alonnisos Island, where you can find cafes and restaurants. For relaxing sands, head to popular Chrisi Milia beach for a tree-lined rocky backdrop.

WEATHER

Skiathos has a Mediterranean climate with hot dry summers and cool, mild winters. If you enjoy hot sunny days, June through September is an excellent time to visit. For cooler weather, but still plenty of sunshine, late spring and early fall are also pleasant.

Average temperatures in Skiathos range from 73°F in June to 88°F in August, as well as 77°F in September and 72°F in October.

TEMPERATURE

Climate in Skiathos:

- Summer High: The July high is around 30°C
- Winter Low: The January low is 2°C

WIND SYSTEMS

The sailing conditions for Skiathos are livelier than the Ionian or Saronic.



The wind systems in Skiathos include the meltemi, a strong NE wind, in July and August. Generally the winds are mild, average force 3-5 with ideal sailing conditions.

Beware of ferries and hydrofoils during your yacht charter in Skiathos. Do not anchor inside the airport cone (zone). No vessel with height over 4 meters can anchor in the airport's landing path. When returning to base, go stern to and use the mooring lines, not your anchor.

LOCAL FORECAST

You can find weather forecasts on the Meteo website.