

GUIDE TO A PERFECT BAREBOAT CHARTER

Thank you for booking with Sebastus Sailing! We are thrilled to be part of your upcoming adventure. To ensure a smooth and memorable sailing vacation, we've prepared a list of important details to guide you through the process.

Before Your Trip

License and Documentation

- You will receive payment receipts for all completed payments.
- Sailing License: Your license must be approved for the yacht you reserved. Some destinations, like Croatia, require a VHF certificate and a sailing resume. Please send us a copy of your sailing license as soon as possible. You'll also need to carry the original license with you on the trip.
- **Terms & Conditions**: Please read and familiarize yourself with rental Terms & Conditions you will receive upon booking confirmation.
- We will send you detailed marina/base information, including the location of your yacht and contact details for the base staff.

Pre-Embarkation Requirements

To prepare for your trip, please provide us the following <u>at least 10 days before</u> <u>embarkation</u>:

- 1. **Crew List**: Completed with all passenger details.
- 2. Arrival Time: An approximate time of arrival at the marina.
- 3. **Contact Information**: Two reachable mobile numbers during the cruise.



Additional Options

Enhance your trip with optional services or items, available at an additional cost and on request. Let us know in advance if you're interested in:

- Transfers from the airport or hotel
- Water toys (e.g., paddleboards, kayaks)
- Early check-in options (e.g., you may have an option to check-in at 1 pm instead of 5 pm)

Provisioning and Supplies

- Yachts are typically rented <u>without</u> provisions (e.g., food, drinks, toiletries, cleaning supplies).
- In some destinations, **you can pre-order groceries** to have them stocked onboard upon arrival. Let us know if this interests you, or we'll provide a list of nearby supermarkets.



Travel Insurance

We highly recommend insurance packages, such as:

- Travel health insurance
- Booking cancellation insurance
- Personal baggage insurance
- Skipper's liability insurance

For more details, visit our trusted insurance partner: <u>EIS Insurance</u>.

Suggested Sailing Routes

Explore recommended sailing routes at your destination on our website.

During Your Trip

Check-In Process

Upon arrival at the marina, carefully inspect the yacht. Ensure all items listed in the inventory are accounted for, including:

- Kitchen utensils
- Safety equipment
- Towels and bed linens
- Dinghy and other onboard equipment

If anything is missing or not functioning, inform the marina staff immediately.

Payments and Fees

- Some extras, as noted in your proforma invoice, must be paid **upon arrival**. These may include tourist taxes, final cleaning fees, or damage waivers (safety deposits).
- A safety deposit or damage waiver (deposit insurance) is mandatory for every charter.
- Certain payments may only be accepted in cash, depending on the charter's policies. If this information is not included in your booking please confirmation, contact US for clarification.



Fuel and Marina Costs

- Yachts are delivered with a full fuel tank and must be returned in the same condition. Refueling surcharges will apply otherwise.
- Additional costs not included in your charter fee:
 - Fuel
 - Port/marina fees
 - Food and beverages
 - Other personal expenses

Safety and Support

If you encounter any issues during your trip, such as missing items or equipment malfunctions, immediately contact the base manager or Sebastus Sailing. Timely communication ensures quick resolution and a pleasant journey.

After Your Trip

- Please return the yacht on time with a full fuel tank.
- Double-check that all equipment and inventory are in order.
- Share your feedback with us to help us improve and ensure even better experiences for future travelers.



Useful Information

Packing Tips

For a hassle-free trip, check out our recommended sailing packing guides: <u>Sailing</u> <u>Packing Guide</u>

Helpful Apps

Enhance your onboard experience with these excellent sailing apps:

- <u>Top Sailing Apps for iPhone</u>
- Must-Have Sailing Apps

We are here to assist you every step of the way. If you have any questions or need further assistance, please don't hesitate to contact us. We look forward to making your sailing trip unforgettable!

Slow down. Sail.

The Sebastus Sailing Team

