



# OLIB – SILBA TOUR

## EXCLUSIVE AND UNIQUE TOUR - SEA SPONGE FARM

### 🌟 TOUR ITINERARY

#### **07:00 – 10:30 | Privilaka – Olib (Cruise)**

Our journey begins in Privilaka with morning coffee aboard Boat EMA.

As we cruise through the stunning Adriatic, you will hear the fascinating story of the sea sponge farm, learn about the history of Boat EMA, and discover the rich traditions of Privilaka. Along the way, we serve local delicacies accompanied by Bilina, a traditional local wine.

#### **🐬 Dolphin Watching**

We pass through an area frequently inhabited by dolphins. With a little luck, you'll have the opportunity to observe these magnificent creatures in their natural environment as they play, leap, and feed in the open sea.

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#### **10:30 – 11:30 | Olib Village – Free Time**

Upon arrival in Olib, you'll have free time to explore this authentic Dalmatian island settlement.

Wander through quiet stone streets, experience the relaxed island lifestyle, and soak in the charm of one of Croatia's hidden gems.

#### **Recommended Visit:**

**Kaštel Olib** – a historic fortification offering beautiful views over the village and surrounding landscapes.

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#### **11:30 – 12:00 | Cruise to the Sea Sponge Farm**

We continue to the exclusive sea sponge farming site, where a professional guide will welcome us and introduce the project.

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## 12:00 – 15:00 | Sea Sponge Farm Visit, Swimming & Lunch

Upon arrival, your guide will explain the unique sponge cultivation process, the marine conservation project, and the principles of sustainable aquaculture.

After a short introduction, snorkeling masks are distributed and we begin a guided exploration of the underwater sponge farm—the only facility of its kind in the world.

You'll have the opportunity to observe sea sponges in their natural environment and swim in a breathtaking turquoise bay surrounded by the untouched beauty of Olib Island.

### "Find the Treasure"

A fun surprise game for all guests, complete with a special prize for the winner.

### Lunch in Paradise

While you explore the underwater world, the EMA crew prepares a freshly made Dalmatian lunch using local ingredients.

Menu highlights include:

- Traditional Dalmatian seafood buzara
- Fish and meat platters
- Homemade side dishes
- Fresh seasonal salads

A glass of local wine is included with lunch.

### VOLO Natural Sponge Collection

Discover authentic Adriatic sea sponge products and learn about their traditional uses.

Guests may purchase products directly on site, with proceeds supporting ongoing sea sponge conservation and habitat protection projects.

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## 15:00 – 16:00 | Olib – Silba (Cruise)

After lunch, we bid farewell to our guide and continue toward the beautiful island of Silba.

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### 16:00 – 17:00 | Silba Island Visit

Enjoy free time exploring one of the Adriatic's most charming car-free islands.

#### **Recommended Visit:**

#### **Toreta – The Tower of Love**

A unique stone lookout tower offering spectacular panoramic views of Silba and the surrounding archipelago.

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### 17:00 – 20:30 | Return to Privlaka

Relax and enjoy a scenic cruise back through the Zadar Archipelago as the sun begins to set over the Adriatic.

We once again pass through dolphin habitat, offering another chance to spot these remarkable marine mammals.

Sit back with coffee, refreshments, and fresh fruit while admiring the islands bathed in golden evening light.

Before arrival, each guest receives a small souvenir as a lasting memory of this unforgettable EMA experience.

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#### **PRICE**

**Adults:** €140

**Children (3–10 years):** €70

**Children under 3 years:** FREE

**Private Tour:** €1,500

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#### **INCLUDED IN THE PRICE**

- Boat transfer
- Welcome breakfast
- Morning coffee
- Lunch
- One glass of wine with lunch
- Drinking water throughout the day
- Fresh fruit after lunch
- Snorkeling mask


*Guests are welcome to bring and use their own snorkeling equipment.*



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**✘ NOT INCLUDED**

- Additional drinks and cocktails purchased onboard
  - Souvenirs
  - Personal expenses during island visits
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 This is more than a boat trip. It is a once-in-a-lifetime experience that combines the sea, heritage, gastronomy, nature, and knowledge—opening the doors to a remarkable place that very few people on Earth will ever have the opportunity to visit.

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