

# The Yacht Week Arrival Information in Greece

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## Before TYW

### Booking Interest List

We still have a **few boats available**, so tell your friends and get them to sign up to the [Booking Interest List](#). Once they have filled out the form we will do our best to find you a yacht. In total we will accept another 20-30 yachts to join.

Priority password on the waiting list: "YACHTMENOW" - in the comment field. That will help your friends to get a yacht quicker!

### Crew List

Please make sure that you have filled out your crew list. **This is extremely important so that we know who is on each yacht. If you do not do this there will be problems with your insurance.** [Login](#) to your booking with your registered Email address and password and use our Facebook application. Just add the friend you want on your crew from facebook.

If lost login details, [click here for a new password](#)

## What to pack?

There isn't much need for special sailing gear, besides the obvious swimming clothes, sunscreen and sunglasses. Weather in the Mediterranean is warm, so if you're used to sailing in Scandinavia, you need less warm clothes than you think. Important things to remember are:

- Pack your stuff in a soft bag; it is easier to storage on board.
- Don't bring too much luggage. The space for stowing personal stuff is pretty limited on a yacht.
- There are towels and sheets on board, but bring an extra towel for the beach.
- We will be selling our Yacht Week Collection at a very good price

## Insurance

The Insurance is issued by the Yachting Company and is a Kasko insurance (full insurance), also third party insurance and insurance for the crew. Insurance papers are all the time with the clients in the boat documents.

**In case of the accident** – client need to call the Yachting Company and nearest Harbor master office (Yachting Company provides the phone numbers) to make a report. If the accident (damage) is cause by skipper's negligence then deposit money is kept to pay for the damage.

If it is fault of the third party then the insurance will cover it.

## Deposit

Deposit is the amount of the franchise; this is the maximum amount of money you will pay in case of damage. Please [login](#) to your booking to see the deposit for your yacht.

Personal travel insurance for personal injury or disease is also recommended for all guests, which are done domestically with your local insurance provider, as for any journey.

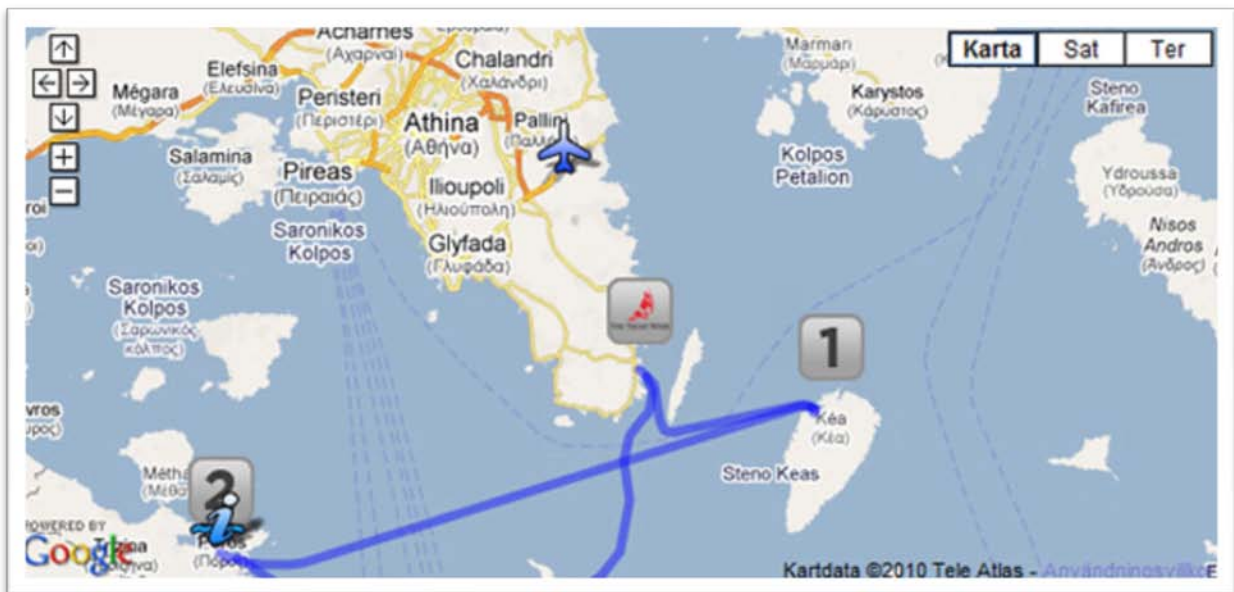
**A document should be signed within the group in case the deposit is withheld.** The financial responsibility is equal among the crew; the skipper shall not cover that himself unless he is a professional skipper whose services you hired. Also, the skipper does not pay part of the deposit.



## Arrival at The Yacht Week

### Lavrio Marina (Greece)

This is where the journey begins and ends.



The closest airport is Athens.

### Transport between airport and marina

Lavrio is about 45 minutes from the Airport. 4 options on getting there:

- Local bus service. Bus leaves every 1-2 hours outside Sofitel (a hotel) right outside the arrival hall. Just cross the street where the taxis are and you will find the bus stop. (Or ask someone). The bus goes: Airport-Markopolo, then change for a new bus Markopolo-Lavrio. (stop at the same place, just get off and wait for the next bus) We will check the bus timetable a few weeks before your arrival. Please check back here then! COST: €4-5.
- Transfer bus arranged by The Yacht Week nonstop to Lavrio from the airport. If more than 40 people arrive at the same time we will arrange with a bus. Cost will be more than the local bus. Approx €8-9. We will email and inform about this possibility later.
- Taxi from the airport straight to Lavrio is approx €50-55 per car. (€12-14 per person)
- If you are coming from Athens City there are also local buses and taxis operating. Ask your local hotel or bus station how to get to Lavrio.

Make sure you **fill out your flight details including your flight number** in your booking so we know when you are arriving!

## The Yacht Week Card

Get the card at check-in to have your week's party ticket set up!

The card includes:

- Party at a nice club on Poros Island-€5
- The Greek Dinner in Plaka (street party! - mixed Greek food, coffee + cake, water and wine) €30
- Nightclub in Plaka €5
- Omilos Club in Hydra €5
- Final night party in Lavrio €5



**Package cost: Euro 50 (value 55 euro)**

## Check-In

Where: At the office of Navigare Yachting (on the L-shaped pier in the port). The Yacht Week staff will be at site to welcome you and help you!

**Check-in time is on Saturday approximately: 14.00-17:00**, depending on when the cleaning of the boat is finished. If you arrive early it's more likely that you will have access to your yacht early...

Check-in must be completed before sunset, otherwise it has to be done the following morning (but you can still sleep on the yacht). Ideally someone from the crew arrives earlier during the day and completes this as early as possible. With some luck your yacht will be ready before 17.00.

Start by sending just the booker and skipper inside to do the check-in.

Here you will also be able to buy [clothes from our collection](#).

## How does the check-in work?

The skipper AND the booker does the actual check-in. If you have an external skipper, then the booker should go with you in order to pay the deposit\* and comfort package. Wait outside the yachting company's office until it is your turn.

\*[Login to your booking](#) to see your amount.

At the registration the...

- Deposit is handed over (1000-2500€ depending on boat)\*. Cash, VISA and MasterCard are accepted. An ATM is available in the Marina. If you pay deposit with credit card the amount will only be reserved on your account.
- Skipper license, VHF license and passports of the whole crew are verified. (Remember to bring original copies!)

More information about deposit and additional costs: [What's included?](#)

**Remember to have cash or a credit card ready for paying the deposit when you check in.**

**Check-out** The end of contract is 09:00 the following Saturday morning. However it is mandatory to do check out on Friday by 18:00 but you can still sleep on the yacht until 9am Saturday morning.



## Luggage

There will be a safe place where you can store your luggage in the marina during the day, when you go to Navigare yachting one of our team will show you where this is.

## Keep away from the yachts

The less people that are disturbing the maintenance and cleaning staff the quicker your yacht will be available.

## Food Supply

We recommend you to be at the marina at **13:00 (1pm)**, to have enough time to buy food & drink supplies and be ready for check-in. The closest supermarket is "My Market" or "Papmarket", located a few hundred meters from the Marina.

"My Market" does supply a delivery service and is a larger store with lower prices.

We recommend you to buy all your basic supplies here. There are supermarkets at most marinas, but supermarkets in Lavrio are cheaper than out on the Islands, so it is worthwhile doing you're shopping here. Purchase enough food for at least 2 lunches, lots of beverages (water), salt, pepper and basic kitchen inventories.

Walk up to the road and go to the right for 5 minutes and you'll see it. A taxi back is affordable.

Don't go shopping too early! Then your food will be really hot and there is nowhere to store it until your yacht is ready. We recommend everyone to go shopping 1 hour prior to boarding your boat.

**Please note: Every crew with an external skipper will be responsible for their food. Either when you eat on board or when you eat at restaurants. The skippers work for free and so we want them to enjoy their holiday too. Make sure you treat your skipper like a king and help out whenever you are needed!**

## During The Yacht Week

### Typical night with TYW

A typical night with TYW is like this:

1. Arrive to the port. Go for a walk around the town, drink a few beers or some wine at a bar.
2. Drinks on the yacht (that you have brought from the super market earlier).
3. Dinner, either cook on the yacht or at a restaurant (up to you!)
4. More drinks on the yachts?!
5. To the club/bar. Prices as below

Approx prices in a restaurant/bar:

**Greece - Beer: €3 Drink: €5-7 Bottle of wine: €10-20**

You can calculate your own spending from this!

*RULES: No loud music at your boat after 22.00 if moored in a port. No music at all at after parties if local people might be disturbed. No external speaker systems allowed at all. WHY?? After meeting all police captains, town Mayors and port police they sent a very clear message: respect the rules and the people of our town and you are more than welcome - otherwise TYW won't be a long lasting concept.*

### Music and Electricity

For playing music on board, all yachts have a car radio with CD-player and speakers installed. However, finding a line-in on the equipment is rare, so your best bet for playing your own music is to bring CD's (if you still use any) or bring an FM-transmitter for your portable music player.

Power on board is 12 V with cigarette-plug outlet, which is charged via the engine generator or a connection to the land grid. There is usually a 230 volt C-type outlet on board as well, but it only supplies power when you are connected to the land grid as in the harbors.

This means that it is only possible to power appliances such as cell phone chargers and hairdryers when you are in a marina with a power connection, unless you have a 12 V charger (the type you would use in a car).

If you really need 230 V power when you are not berthed in a marina with a power connection, you can bring a DC/AC inverter. But if you just want to play music, using the built-in system is recommended and enough for partying.

### See you this summer

Thanks for taking the time to read this and we are looking forward to sailing with you this summer!!!

**The Yacht Week Team**