



Cruise Details

Name: Island Odyssey: Malta, Sicily & the Greek Isles
Reference: SCENIC501G140626-1
Operator: Scenic Ocean Cruises
Cruise Type: Ocean
Cruise Rating: Ultra Luxury
Ship: Scenic Eclipse II
Regions: Mediterranean

Departs On: 14 Jun 26

Departs From: Valletta

Arrives On: 21 Jun 26

Arrives At: Piraeus

Cruise Nights: 7

Total Vacation Days: 8

Itinerary

Day 1: Valletta (Malta)

Welcome to Valletta, Malta. This may be Europe's smallest capital, but the 16th century city offers so much for its size. It was crowned the European Capital of Culture in 2018 for its brilliant mix of history and modernity. Amidst the cobblestone streets and ancient walls of this World Heritage-listed city, you'll find a lively art, culinary and nightlife scene. Step on board Scenic Eclipse II this afternoon. Your journey into wonder begins with a warm greeting from the Captain and the crew. Meet your butler and settle into your spacious suite. Sip on a glass of Champagne and explore your luxurious suite, then join your fellow guests at the Sky Bar to toast the start of an unforgettable voyage. Please book your flight to arrive into Valletta prior to 02:00 PM. Docked: 21:00

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Day 2: Siracuse, Sicily (Italy)

<p>Spend the day in the Sicilian city of Syracuse. Explore the remnants of ancient civilisations in the Archaeological Park of Neapolis, where the Greek Theatre and Roman Amphitheatre stand as testaments to the city's rich past. Stroll through the charming streets of Ortigia, the historic heart of Syracuse, with its baroque architecture and bustling markets. Indulge in Sicilian cuisine at waterfront trattorias, savouring local delicacies like arancini and cannoli.</p><p>Scenic Freechoice:
Food Tour at the Ortigia Market: Explore Ortigia's historic streets and landmarks on a guided tour, including the Temple of Apollo and Cathedral Square, followed by a tasting of Sicilian specialties at a local market.

Classical Syracuse: Visit the Archaeological Park of Neapolis to explore ancient ruins, then enjoy a guided walk through Ortigia's historic landmarks before some free time to explore.

Noto & Cannolo Tasting: After a scenic drive, enjoy a guided walk through Noto's stunning Baroque streets, including visits to the cathedral and historic palaces. Pause for a Sicilian cannolo tasting before free time to explore.

Eurialto Castle & Pupillo Winery: Travel up to Epipoli for panoramic views of Syracuse, then explore the ancient Eurialo Castle, a marvel of military engineering. Finish with a guided tour and tasting at a charming nearby winery featuring local wines.</p><p>Docked: 08:00 - 22:00</p>

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Day 4: Monemvasía (Greece)

<p>Start your day with an early session in the gym or some guided stretching in the Pilates studio. Then set off for a day of exploration in Monemvasia, a hidden gem on the Peloponnese coast of Greece. Step back in time as you explore the medieval fortress town perched atop a rocky peninsula, with its labyrinth of narrow streets and Byzantine churches. Wander through the Lower Town, where charming stone houses and quaint cafes line the cobblestone streets. Climb to the Upper Town for panoramic views of the Aegean Sea and the surrounding countryside.</p><p>Scenic Freechoice:
Liotrivi Historical Mansion: Visit Liotrivi estate to learn about traditional olive oil production, enjoy a wine tasting, and savour authentic Greek delicacies.

Monemvasia Cooking Class: Enjoy a cooking experience guided by skilled local chefs as you create authentic Greek dishes using fresh, seasonal ingredients. Then, savour the flavours you've crafted, perfectly paired with local wines, in a stunning outdoor courtyard setting.

Monemvasia on Foot: Discover the medieval fortress of Monemvasia with a guided tour of its historic streets, cathedral and museum. Then enjoy free time to explore charming alleys and take in stunning views of the Aegean Sea.

Mystras - Wonder of Morias: Explore the stunning Byzantine ruins of Mystras, wandering through ancient churches, palaces and fortified walls set against a dramatic hillside.</p><p>Offshore: 08:00 - 23:00</p>

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Day 5: Náfplion (Greece)

<p>Discover the rich tapestry of history as you wander through Nafplion's charming streets adorned with neoclassical architecture, Venetian fortresses, and Turkish mosques. Explore the winding alleys of the Old Town, where traditional tavernas and quaint cafes beckon you to indulge in local delicacies. Climb the steps to Palamidi Fortress for breathtaking views of the town and sea below or relax on the sandy shores of Arvanitia Beach. See the World Heritage-listed Epidaurus Theatre and archaeological site Mycenae.</p><p>Your Discovery Yacht will dock overnight in Nafplion, giving you the opportunity to take an evening stroll before exploring up to 10 all-inclusive dining experiences on board, sampling from fine French cuisine at Lumière[®] to vibrant Asian fusion at Koko's.</p><p>Scenic Freechoice:
Ancient Nemea & Wine Tasting: Explore ancient Nemea, from the Sanctuary of Zeus and historic stadium to a local winery, where you'll enjoy a tasting of the region's famed wines.

Crossing Corinth Canal & the Ancient City of Corinth: Sail through the dramatic Corinth Canal, an engineering marvel carved through towering rock. Then explore ancient Corinth's rich history, from Roman fountains to early Christian landmarks.

Epidaurus & Nafplion's Ancient Marvels: Experience the ancient sanctuary of Epidaurus, home to the famed theatre and birthplace of medicine, before continuing to Nafplion to visit the impressive Palamidi Fortress. Enjoy sweeping views of the Argolic Gulf as history and legend come to life.

Mycenae & Nemea Wine Experience: Discover the ancient citadel of Mycenae and the impressive Treasury of Atreus. Afterward, unwind in the Nemea wine region with a guided tasting of local vintages amid scenic vineyards.</p><p>Offshore: 08:00 - 05:00 (next day)</p>

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Day 6: Spetses (Greece)

<p>Your cruise will depart Nafplion for Spetses early this morning. Known as 'The Island of Jasmine', Spetses is planted with pine and olive trees and flowers. Explore its cobblestone streets, neoclassical mansions, and tranquil beaches. Stroll along the waterfront or cycle through pine-scented forests. This afternoon, you will cruise to Hydra, where you can lose yourself in narrow alleys of white-washed houses.</p><p>While on board Scenic Eclipse II, relax in the sun loungers and cabanas near the Sky Bar. Or enjoy a specialty tea or coffee in the Observation Lounge while reading a book and watching the world float by.</p><p>This afternoon, weather permitting and with harbour master approval, you may enjoy the vibrant marina with swimming, stand-up paddleboarding, and water toys. </p><p>Scenic Freechoice:
Spetses Coastal Cruise: Cruise around the island of Spetses aboard a traditional 'caique' (wooden sailing boat), passing golden beaches and pine-covered hills. Enjoy free time at Agioi Anargyri Beach to swim, relax or visit Bekiri Cave before continuing past the island's serene western coastline.

A Stroll Through Spetses: Explore the historic heart of Spetses on a guided walk, visiting elegant mansions and the Bouboulina Museum to learn about the island's revolutionary heroine. End your tour with a relaxing seaside tasting of ouzo or local wine and traditional Greek bites.</p><p>Offshore: 08:00 - 14:00 | 16:00 -</p>

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Day 7: Mykonos (Greece)

<p>Welcome to Mykonos, a cosmopolitan island where pristine beaches meet the charm of Cycladic architecture. The island is known for its hedonistic atmosphere, however, it has a more relaxed side to it. Explore the winding streets adorned with whitewashed buildings and vibrant bougainvillea, see its iconic windmills, picturesque churches, and dine in lively waterfront cafes.</p><p>This evening, as Scenic Eclipse II departs Mykonos and the twinkling lights of the city disappear, toast to an unforgettable voyage at the Sky Bar on Deck 10. Enjoy a farewell dinner followed by world-class, engaging performances in the state-of-the-art theatre.</p><p>Scenic Freechoice:
Flavours of Mykonos: A Foodies Walking Tour: Discover Mykonos town with a guided walk, tasting local cheeses, pies, ouzo and souvlaki, ending with a traditional Greek coffee at a cozy, hidden open-air cinema.

Island Tour & Ano Mera Monastery with Local Tasting: Explore Mykonos with visits to Ano Mera village, Panagia Tourliani Monastery, a local wine tasting and a stroll through Mykonos town's famous whitewashed streets and windmills.

Mykonos by Jeep: Enjoy Mykonos' hidden gems on this half-day, self-driven Jeep tour. Follow your guide as you visit Armenistis Lighthouse, Ano Mera Monastery, ancient ruins, and relax at quiet beaches like Fokos before returning to port.

Tour to Delos: Visit Delos, the mythical birthplace of Apollo and Artemis. Sail from Mykonos and explore the ancient ruins on a guided tour of this UNESCO World Heritage-listed site.</p><p>Offshore: 08:00 - 19:00</p>

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Day 8: Piraeus (Greece)

<p>Your voyage concludes this morning in Piraeus, the historic port city of Athens. Known as the birthplace of Western civilisation, Athens is a vibrant tapestry of history and modernity. Standing sentinel above the city is the famous Acropolis, a fortified hill dominated by the Parthenon, atmospheric ruins of a white marble temple built during the height of the ancient Greek Empire.</p><p>After one final delicious breakfast on board Scenic Eclipse II, it's time to disembark your ultra-luxury Discovery Yacht, taking with you a lifetime of memories of this truly unique journey in the Mediterranean. </p><p>Please book your flight to depart out of Athens after 12:00 PM.</p><p>Docked: 06:00</p><p>#Spa treatments at additional cost. +All drinks on board, including those stocked in your mini bar, are

included, except for a very small number of rare, fine and vintage wines, Champagnes and spirits. </p><p><p>Submersible not operational in Europe.</p></p><p>The itinerary is a guide only and may be amended for operational reasons. As such Scenic cannot guarantee the voyage will operate unaltered from the itinerary stated above. Please refer to our terms and conditions for further information.</p>

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