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# Full-Day Bus Trip of Corfu's Northeastern Coast

from 9:00 am to 19:00 pm



## Schedule

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Meeting point: Dougla's Column Meeting time: 8:50 Departure time: 9:00 Arrival at Barbati beach: 10:50 **Estimate time:** Approximately a 40' minute drive with 10minutes photo stop before we reach Barbati beach Time on Barbati beach: 40 minutes Departure from Barbati beach: 11:30 Arrival at Kassiopi village: 12:00 Estimate time: Approximately a 30' minute drive with 10minutes photo stop before we reach Kassiopi village Time on Kassiopi village: 95 minutes Departure from Kassiopi village 13:15 Arrival at Canal d' Amour. Sidari: 14:05 Estimate time: Approximately a 40' minute drive Time on Canal d' Amour, Sidari: 3 hours and half Departure from Canal d' Amour, Sidari: 17:30 Arrival at Dougla's Column: 19:00 Estimate time: Approximately a 1 hour and 30 minute drive

The dwell times at the main stops are allowed to vary during peak traffic periods, as estimated by the trip attendants.

# Full-Day Bus Trip of Corfu's Northeastern Coast

Unveil Corfu's northeastern gems with idyllic beaches and rich heritage. Barbati's beauty, Kassiopi's charm, the legendary Canal d'Amour. Immerse in turquoise waters, discover the island's magic

## Highlights of the tour

- We explore the eastern side of Corfu coastline and the north, ending at its northwestern axis, without rush and plenty of time at each stop, (with just one transfer,) no hassle at all!
- We visit the most popular and well known attractions on the north side of the island: stunning bays with emerald waters, beaches with clear crystal water, one of the most beautiful old fishing village, of the island, we "fall in love" with the famous Canal d' Amour!
- We have the option of swimming at every stop without rush, relaxing on the beaches.
- For sea lovers there is the option of a tour by boat at the most breathtaking beaches of the island, accessible from the sea.
- Plenty of tavernas with greek tastes, beach bars souvenirs shops, fresh food, snack during the whole tour.
- For those who like ancient ruins, the byzantine castle of Kassiopi is the right place!
- Highly recommended for lovers of nature and photography!

Duration:10h Start time: 9:00

#### What's included

Air-conditioned comfortable bus Round-trip transportation Free wi-fi English speaking trip attendant -archeologist Basic travel insurance (during transport)

#### What's not included

No food or beverages are included. Ticket for the Castle of Kassiopi Boat tour to Canal d' Amour

#### What to expect

Stop At: Barbati

Barbati Beach is a beautiful and popular beach on the island of Corfu It is known for its crystal-clear waters, its stunning views of Mount Pantokrator and its relaxed atmosphere. The beach is a great place to relax and unwind. Enjoy a coffee or snack at one of the many cafes and restaurant along the beachfront. highly recommend taking a quick dip in the crystal-clear waters. It is the perfect way to cool off and refresh yourself.

Duration: 40 minutes

#### Stop At: Kassiopi

Let's live like a local at Kassiopi an old fishing village, surounded by a harbour, a byzantine castle, the oldest in Corfu, a picturesque church and small bays, hidden gems with turquoise and emarald waters. Lets swim at Bataria, or Pipito bay! Bataria and Pipitos are two crystal-clear diamonds waiting to be discovered. If you are looking for a taste of authentic Greece, Kassiopi is the perfect place for you. With its charming village atmosphere beautiful beaches, souvenir shops, delicious food Kassiopi has something to offer everyone.

#### Duration: 95 minutes

Stop At: Canal D'Amour and Sidari Beach

We visit Sidari Beach, a family-friendly Beach and the famous Canal d'Amour, the Miracle of Nature and Love

This narrow channel, carved into the sandstone cliffs, is a place of breathtaking beauty and enchanting myth. Take a dip with your loved one and you will be together forever as the local say.

We try the local cuisine with many taverna options.

We explore breathtaking beaches by boat. We relax without haste,

immersed in the crystal-clear waters of nature and love!

Duration: 3 hours and half



#### KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

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Make sure to arrive at the meeting point 10 minutes prior to tour departure

#### WHAT TO BRING

Comfortable shoes Sunglasses Hat Swimwear Towel Water Flip- flops

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Duration of the day trip: 10 hours (from 9:00 am to 19:00 pm)

Meeting Point: Douglas Column (On the way to the seafront boulevard of Garitsa bay, on the intersection of Alexandras and Dimokratias Avenue)

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### Barbati



## Enjoying a beautiful coastal route, we stop at Barbati Beach.

### A quick break for coffee or a refreshing dip in the sea.

Barbati Beach is a popular tourist destination, known for its beautiful pebble beach, clear turquoise waters, and stunning views of the Ionian Sea and the Albanian mountains. The area was named after the captain Barbati, when he led a group of Peloponnesian refugees from Nafplio and Monemvasia to the northeast coast of Corfu in 1571. Barbati was a small village of fishermen and farmers. The village grew in importance during the Venetian rule of Corfu (13th-18th centuries).



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## Kassiopi



## While enjoying a beautiful coastal route, we stop in the area of Kassiopi.

# Sightseeing + coffee break + bathing + walking tour +snack +souvenirs shops

#### Kassiopi

Kassiopi, a modern town built on the foundations of an ancient city, is like a hidden treasure. The ruins of the ancient city are hidden beneath the houses and alleyways of the town, waiting to be discovered. In ancient times, in the same place where the Panagia Kassoupitissa stands today, there was a temple to Zeus, which was built in the 16th century. Kassiopi was a rich and flourishing city during the Roman era, due to its location on the sea passage.



## Kassiopi

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## Kassiopi

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#### Church of the Panagia Kassiopitras

The Panagia Kassiopitras is a miraculous icon of the Virgin Mary located in Kassiopi, Corfu. The church of the Panagia, built in the 16th century, is an important pilgrimage site for believers from all over the world. Every year, on August 15, the Dormition of the Virgin Mary is celebrated and a large festival takes place in Kassiopi.

## Beaches of Kassiopi

#### **Bataria and Pipitos**

#### Two hidden gems on Corfu

In the area of Kassiopi, two beautiful pebble beaches hide in small secluded coves. Bataria and Pipitos are two crystal-clear diamonds waiting to be discovered.

#### Bataria, a piece of paradise

Bataria is an idyllic pebble beach, partially organized with sunbeds and umbrellas. The area is quiet and the waters are incredibly clear, with a stunning turquoise hue.

Imagine yourself lying on the sand, listening only to the sound of the waves crashing against the rocks and seeing the sun reflecting off the crystal-clear waters. Bataria is the perfect place to relax and enjoy nature.

#### Pipitos, the sister of Bataria

Pipitos is located directly across from Bataria beach. It is equally beautiful, with the same emerald waters. The beach is a few steps from the main road and is easy to access.

If you are looking for a more secluded beach, F pitos is the perfect choice. You can enjoy the beauty of nature without being : urrounded by people.





#### Bataria, a piece of paradise



#### Pipitos, hidden gem on Corfu



## Beach of Sidari



#### Swimming + Lunch + Boat Trip to Breathtaking Inaccessible Beaches (optional) A Paradise for All

Sidari Beach is one of the most beautiful beaches in Corfu. The beach is known for its crystal-clear waters, white sand, and impressive natural bridges and caves.

Sidari Beach is ideal for families with children. The waters are shallow and calm, making it safe for swimming and playing. The beach also has facilities for water sports, such as windsurfing and canoeing. In addition to its natural beauty, Sidari Beach also offers a variety of dining and drinking options. There are many tavernas and cafes on the beach where you can enjoy local cuisine and relax.

#### The Canal d'Amour A Love Affair with Nature

Nestled in the heart of Sidari, lies a natural wonder that has captured the hearts of lovers for centuries: The Canal d'Amour, also known as the Channel of Love.

This narrow channel, carved into the sandstone cliffs by the relentless waves of the Ionian Sea, is a place of breathtaking beauty and enchanting myth. The towering cliffs, draped in lush vegetation, embrace the crystal-clear waters, creating a secluded oasis where love blossoms.

Legend has it that couples who swim through the channel together will be blessed with eternal love. So, whether you're a seasoned couple seeking to reaffirm your love or a budding romance just beginning to bloom, the Canal d'Amour is the perfect place to celebrate your love story.

But beyond its romantic allure, the Canal d'Amour is also a place to relax and unwind, to soak up the sun and the stunning scenery. The small sandy beach in the middle of the channel is the perfect place to spread out your towel and bask in the Mediterranean sunshine. Or, if you're feeling more adventurous, take a dip in the crystal-clear waters and explore the underwater world.

The Canal d'Amour is also a great place to go snorkeling, with its abundance of marine life and colorful coral reefs. And if you're looking for a more secluded spot, there are several small coves and beaches nearby where you can escape by boat, the crowds and enjoy a moment of peace and tranquility.

It's a place where love and nature collide, creating a truly magical experience.

#### Sidari - aerial view







Venture from the most captivating emerald bays to the legendary Canal d'Amour





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# Full-Day Bus Trip of Corfu's Southwest Coast

from 9:00 am to 19:00 pm



## Schedule

Meeting point: Dougla's Column Meeting time: 8:50 Departure time: 9:00 Arrival at Kanoni: 9:20 Estimate time: Approximately 20' minute drive Time on Kanoni: 30 minutes Departure from kanoni: 9:50 Arrival at Mon Repos Palace: 10:00 Estimate time: Approximately a 10' minute drive Time on Mon Repos Palace: 60 minutes Departure from Mon Repos Palace: 11:00 Arrival at Axilleion: 11.40 Estimate time: Approximately a 40' minute drive Time on Axilleion: 60 minutes Departure from Axilleion: 12:40 Arrival at Benitses: 12:55 Estimate time: Approximately a 15' minute drive Time on Benitses: 35 minutes Departure from Benitses: 13:30 Arrival at Marathias: 14:00 Estimate time: Approximately 30' minute drive Time on Marathia beach: 3 hours and half Departure from Marathia: 17:30 Arrival at Dougla's Column: 19:00 Estimate time: Approximately a 90' minute drive with 10minutes photo stop

# Full-Day Bus Trip of Corfu's Southwest Coast

Journey through Corfu's southwest, where history meets turquoise bliss. Admire Pontikonisi, Mon Repos, Achilleion. Stroll through Benitses village. Swim in the turquoise waters of Marathias beach **Best** 

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## Highlights of the tour

- With this day tour, you are sure to have a wonderful time exploring the southwest side of Corfu coastline without rush and plenty of time at each stop, with just one transfer and no hassle at all!
- The southern side of Corfu is known for its stunning beaches, historical attractions, and lush nature. This tour perfectly showcases the island's perfect blend of history and natural beauty.
- In one day, you can visit the three most popular historical attractions on the island of Corfu: Pontikonisi, Mon Repos Palace, and Achilleion Palace.
- Lovers of culture and nature can enjoy the best of both worlds in Benitses. The village has a rich cultural heritage and is surrounded by stunning natural beauty.
- Let's have a swim to one of the most splendid beach of the island! Marathias is a long, wide, sandy beach, it is known for its crystal clear turquoise water, pure golden sand, and picturesque setting surrounded by olive groves and a mountain.
- Highly recommended for lovers of culture and nature!

Duration:10h Start time: 9:00

#### What's included

Air-conditioned comfortable bus Round-trip transportation Free wi-fi English speaking trip attendant -archeologist Basic travel insurance (during transport)

#### What's not included

No food or beverages are included. Ticket for the Mon Repos and Achilleion Palace

#### What to expect

Stop At: Kanoni

We visit one of the island's famous attractions, with a view of the Magical Pontikonisi, and the picturesque church of Panagia Vlaherna.

We can have a coffee admiring the unique and rare beauty of the landscape, or walk to the chapel and for photography enthusiasts to capture the most photographed spots on the island worldwide: Pontikonisi and Panagia Vlaherna.

#### Duration: 30 minutes

Stop At: Mon Repos

Walking through the gardens of Mon Repos, a haven of peace and beauty. Time seems to have stood still here, and we are having a truly unforgettable experience. The atmosphere is magical, with the sound of water relaxing us and transporting us to another era. The gardens are filled with rare plants from all over the world. As we walk, we admire the imposing palace that dominates the center of the park. The building, built in the 19th century, is a masterpiece of architecture. Mon Repos is a garden for all seasons. It is a garden to relax, enjoy nature, and travel through time.

#### Duration: 60 minutes

Stop At: Axilleion

With eyes full of wonder, we walk through the gardens of Achilleion.

The statues of ancient philosophers, mythical heroes, and ancient gods mesmerize us. The atmosphere is magical and transports us to another time.

We reflect on the life of Sisi, the sad Empress of Austria, who found refuge from the hardships of her life in Achilleion. She herself had said that Achilleion was "my paradise". Achilleion is an architectural masterpiece that combines elements of ancient Greek and neoclassical architecture.

We follow a tour of the interior of the building. We are impressed by the luxury of the spaces and the abundance of works of art. Sisi had turned Achilleion into a real museum of ancient Greece.

From Achilleion, we have a magnificent view of the Ionian Sea. We leave Achilleion with a sense of euphoria. We have experienced a journey through time and myth, a journey that has filled us with beautiful images and emotions. Duration: 60 minutes

#### Stop At: Benitses

Stroll through the narrow cobblestone streets of Benitses, a traditional Greek village where time seems to stand still. The warm smiles of locals and the charming atmosphere of the village greet you at every turn.

Admire the traditional houses, some of which are over 4 centuries old. The streets are lined with shops, tavernas, and fresh bakeries, where you can find everything from souvenirs to delicious Greek cuisine.

Enjoy a leisurely Greek coffee or grab a snack from one of the many bakeries.

#### Duration: 35 minutes

#### Stop At: Marathias beach

We discover Marathias, a beach paradise with crystal clear turquoise waters, pure golden sand, and a picturesque setting surrounded by olive groves and a mountain. It is the perfect place to relax, unwind, and have some fun. Take a dip in the crystal clear waters!

If you're feeling adventurous, embark on a thrilling water sport adventure. Marathias is also home to a water park, where kids of all ages can splash and play! When you're ready to refuel, head to one of the many nearby restaurants and savor a delicious meal made with fresh, local ingredients. Enjoy your cocktail by the wave, or have fun at one of the many beach bars, with the magical view of the endless blue!

An experience you will remember for a lifetime!





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Make sure to arrive at the meeting point 10 minutes prior to tour departure

#### WHAT TO BRING

Comfortable shoes Sunglasses Hat Swimwear Towel Water Flip- flops

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Duration of the day trip: 10 hours (from 9:00 am to 19:00 pm)

Meeting Point: Douglas Column (On the way to the seafront boulevard of Garitsa bay, on the intersection of Alexandras and Dimokratias Avenue)

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Meeting time: 8:50 Departure time: 9:00

### Corfu - Kanoni - Pontikonisi - Panagia Vlacherna -Mon Repos - Achilleion



We start the tour with a visit to Kanoni, where we visit the Panagia Vlacherna church and take photos of Pontikonisi. Next stop is the Mon Repos Palace. After visiting the most famous attractions of the island, we head to Achilleion, which is our next stop.

#### Mon Repos Palace

#### The Gardens of Time and The Palace-Symbol of Corfu

Mon Repos is one of the most iconic attractions of Corfu. The neoclassical building, built in 1831, is located on top of a hill overlooking the Paleopolis, the ancient city of Corfu. The Mon Repos estate is home to a variety of rare plants and trees, and it houses many ancient monuments.



## Pontikonisi

A Small Island with a big Reputation

## Panagia Vlacherna

A Unique and Magical Sight

Pontikonisi is one of the most popular tourist attractions in Corfu, thanks to its unique beauty. The island is accessible by boat or a kaiki. The beauty of Pontikonisi is truly unmatched.

The Monastery of Panagia Vlacherna is one of the most unique and magical sights in Corfu. The picturesque chapel is located on a small island in the Halikopoulo lagoon, across from Pontikonisi. The island is about 300 meters from the mainland. which is connected to it by a small footbridge. The monastery is built in a beautiful location, with views of the sea and the mountains of Corfu.

The chapel is small and simple, but its aura is magical. The frescoes are unique and the tranquility of the area is absolutely relaxing.



Pontikonisi and the Monastery of Panagia Vlacherna are places worth visiting. Its beauty will captivate you and its aura will stay with you forever.



#### we explore the southern side of Corfu

## Achilleion Palace



The sad Empress Elisabeth of Austria, also known as Sisi, found a refuge from the sorrows of her life in Achilleion. The palace, built on the island of Corfu, was dedicated to Achilles, the legendary hero of the Trojan War, whom Sisi admired for his masculinity and courage. The decoration of Achilleion reflects Sisi's admiration for ancient Greece. The exterior gardens are decorated with statues of ancient philosophers, mythical heroes, and ancient gods. The interior of the building is also rich in ancient Greek elements, such as mosaics, frescoes, and paintings. Achilleion was a place where Sisi could relax and forget the troubles of her life. It was a heavenly paradise where the empress could live her dream of a life filled with love and beauty.

Sisi had turned Achilleion into a real museum of ancient Greece.

From Achilleion, we have a magnificent view of the Ionian Sea. The view is so beautiful that it makes us forget the problems of everyday life.



## Benitses

A Traditional Fishing Village with History and Charm

Benitses is a traditional fishing village on the western coast of Corfu. It is one of the most popular tourist destinations on the island, thanks to its beautiful location, golden beaches, and rich history and cultural heritage. The village is also known for its beautiful traditional buildings, some of which are over 400 years old.

The village is built amphitheatrically on the slopes of a hill and is surrounded by lush mountains. Its beaches are among the most beautiful on Corfu, with shallow waters and white sand. Benitses is a great place to relax and enjoy the natural beauty of Corfu. It is a popular tourist destination, but it still retains its traditional Greek charm.





## Marathias beach

A Symphony of Sun, Sand, and Sea

Marathias is a beach paradise, with its crystal clear turquoise waters, pure golden sand, and picturesque setting surrounded by olive groves and a mountain. It is the perfect place to relax, unwind, and have some fun. Marathias Beach is located on the western coast of Corfu, about 32 kilometers from the city of Corfu.

The beach is about 2 kilometers long and is ideal for families with young children, as the waters are shallow and calm.

Marathias is also popular with water sports enthusiasts, as it offers a variety of activities, such as swimming, water skiing, jet skiing, and diving. Visitors can enjoy the beauty of the beach and try their hand at a variety of water sports.

Marathias is also known for its many beach bars and restaurants, which offer a variety of food and drink options. Visitors can enjoy a relaxing drink or meal with a view of the crystal-clear waters of the beach.



### Marathias beach

# An experience you will remember for a lifetime!





## Corfu:Full-Day Bus Trip of Corfu's West Coast

from 9:00 am to 19:00 pm



Meeting point: Dougla's Column Meeting time: 8:50 Departure time: 9:00 Starting location: Dougla's Column Arrival at Palaiokastritsa: 9:45 Estimate time: Approximately a 45' minute drive Time on Palaiokastritsa: 4.30 hours Departure from Palaiokastritsa: 14:15 Arrival at Lakones-Bella Vista: 14:45 Estimate time: Approximately a 30' minute drive Time on Lakones-Bella Vista: 45 minutes Departure from Lakones-Bella Vista 15:30 Arrival at Makrades: 15:45 Estimate time: Approximately a 15' minute drive Time on Makrades: 45 minutes Departure from Makrades: 16:30 Arrival at Vistonas: 16:45 Estimate time: Approximately 15' minute drive Time on Vistonas: 60 minutes Best **Departure from Vistonas: 17:45** Seller Arrival at Dougla's Column: 19:00 Estimate time: Approximately a 75' minute drive

## Corfu:Full-Day Bus Trip of Corfu's West Coast

Sail away to Corfu's west coast, stroll in its traditional villages, Lakones, Makrades, Vistonas. Discover its emerald gem, Paleokastritsa with the amazing caves. Swim and relax in paradise



## Highlights of the tour

- Explore the west side of Corfu and its stunning Ionian coastline on this relaxing day tour! With this hassle-day tour, you can discover the beauty of west part of the island without rush! With just one transfer, you'll have plenty of time to explore each stop at your own pace!
- Discover the real Corfu, with its charming villages and storied past, enjoying the island's breathtaking natural beauty.
- Chill out and swim at the emerald jewel of the Ionian Sea, Paleokastritsa, which is a wonder of nature!
- Sea lovers can take a boat tour to explore the hidden gems of Paleokastritsa, a marine paradise with caves, emerald-green waters, coral reefs, and colorful fish.
- Soak up four of the most traditional villages in the island. Lakones, Makrades, Vistonas In each village, history and architecture transport us to another time. Unveil olive oil history taste flavors at Enotis Museum, stroll qaint villages
- Marvel at the breathtaking panoramic view of Paleokastritsa from the "Balcony of Gods," Lakones. Capture this memory of a lifetime with a photo.

Duration:10h Start time: 9:00

#### What's included

Pickup and drop-off from central location in Corfu Town Bus transportation to all locations Air-conditioned comfortable bus English speaking trip attendant -archeologist Basic travel insurance (during transportation) Free wi-fi Available baby seat with request Free entrance and tasting to Enotis Olive oil Museu

#### What's not included

No food or beverages are included. Ticket for the boat tour

#### What to expect



Stop At: Palaiokastritsa

Palaiokastritsa, the jewel of Corfu, is a place where you can relax and enjoy the beauty of nature. Upon arrival, you will be struck by the vibrant colors of the landscape. If you enjoy hiking, you can ascend to the Monastery of Theotokos, a Byzantine monastery perched on a cliff overlooking the sea. Visit its small museum and olive press. Take a dip in the crystal-clear waters of Palaiokastritsa's beaches, and allow yourself to be carried away by their dazzling beauty. It is a place where you can connect with nature and feel the energy of life. Embark on a boat tour to explore the magical caves that are inaccessible by road, such as the Cave of Nausicaa, the Blue Eye, and the Blue Caves. Marvel at the marine coral world of the Ionian Sea! Savor the local cuisine and renowned wines. Purchase souvenirs from the shops before departing. For photography enthusiasts, Palaiokastritsa is a paradise. If you are looking for a place to relax and enjoy the beauty of the world, Palaiokastritsa is definitely the perfect destination for you. Duration: 4.30 hours Stop At: Lakones - Bella Vista Stand on the "Balcony of Gods," a nickname given by the locals for Lakones, and marvel at the breath-taking panoramic view of Paleokastritsa,

with its heart-shaped bay, turquoise waters, and lush green hills. Snap a photo and you'll have captured a memory that will last a lifetime.

Soar above the clouds with a coffee in hand at the clifftop cafe!

Duration: 45 minutes

Stop At: Makrades (Photo stop)

Explore the village's narrow streets and admire the architecture. Visit the local shops and buy traditional Greek products. Enjoy the peaceful atmosphere. Capture the beauty of Makrades on camera and share your experience of Makrades with others!

#### Duration: 45 minutes

#### Stop At: Vistonas

Wandering through the narrow streets, we are captivated by the colorful traditional houses decorated with flowers.

We are drawn to the church of Agios Christoforos in the center of the village, its special architecture inspiring us to take photos.

We take a short tour of the olive oil museum, where we learn about its history, and culture of olive oil production on Corfu. A guided tour of the museum will provide you with an in-depth understanding of the history of olive trees and olive oil production, including the care of olive groves, the various stages of oil production, and proper storage methods.

Duration: 60 minutes

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#### WHAT TO BRING

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## Palaiokastritsa +Swimming



#### A Coastal Gem in Greece

Palaiokastritsa is one of the most beautiful seaside villages in Greece. It is located in the northwestern part of Corfu, about 25 kilometers from the city.

The natural beauty of Paleokastritsa is breathtaking. The mountains that rise steeply from the sea, the lush hills, the crystal-clear beaches of the lonian sea and the blue caves create a setting that seems to have come straight out of a fairytale.

The main beach of Paleokastritsa is the most famous and crowded. It has turquoise waters, magical caves, and beautiful restaurants. The entire bay is surrounded by lush vegetation, creating stunning colors in the water.

Palaiokastritsa is a place that offers many opportunities for activities and entertainment. You can swim in the beaches, take a boat tour of its fairytale caves, visit the Monastery of Theotokou with the breathtaking view, taste local delicacies, and do some shopping for souvenirs!



#### Palaiokastritsa +Swimming A Coastal Gem in Greece







## Palaiokastritsa +Swimming

#### A Coastal Gem in Greece

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### Palaiokastritsa +Swimming A Coastal Gem in Greece





## Photo stop +coffee Bella Vista view point, Lakones A Breathtaking View of the Ionian Sea

Nestled atop a hill overlooking the village of Lakones, Bella Vista Viewpoint offers a mesmerizing spectacle of the Ionian Sea. The deep blue waters



stretch out before you, dotted with picturesque villages and beaches along the Corfu coastline. Once you reach the viewpoint, you will be greeted by a breathtaking view. A café-restaurant awaits at the viewpoint, where you can savor refreshments while soaking in the stunning panorama.

Photography lovers, rejoice! Bella Vista Viewpoint is a paradise for capturing stunning images of the Ionian Sea, picturesque villages, and lush green landscapes. Whether you're a professional photographer or simply enjoy taking snapshots, you'll find endless inspiration at Bella Vista Viewpoint.

For nature enthusiasts, Bella Vista Viewpoint is a must-see destination for capturing the stunning panoramic sea views of the Paleokastritsa bays, where until recently you could swim. The place has been rated as one of the 10 best places to visit in Europe.



# Makrades

### Visiting Makrades, one of the most picturesque villages on Corfu

Makrades is one of the most charming villages on the island of Corfu, with a history dating back to the 13th century. The village's architecture is a sight to behold, and it transports visitors back in time.

The narrow streets of Makrades are a feast for the eyes, lined with traditional stone houses decorated in vibrant colors and adorned with flowers and vines. The village is a great place to simply wander around and soak up the atmosphere. We can wander through the village's winding streets and take in the sights and sounds of this authentic village. The highlight

Makrades is also a great place to shop for local products. summe There are soome traditional shops in the village that sell olive oil, herbs, and souvenirs. Makrades is also famous for its tavernas, which serve delicious Corfiot cuisine.

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### Vistonas A journey through time in Vistona

"Vistonas is a picturesque village in Corfu that is famous for its stunning view, one of the best on the island, and traditional charm. We are captivated by the traditional houses with flowers and colors.

At the heart of the village is the church of Agios Christoforos, a unique example of Corfiot architecture. The church is surrounded by a small square, where locals and visitors alike gather to socialize and enjoy the views.



Vistonas is also home to a small but interesting Museum of Olive Oil. The museum offersa fascinating glimpse into the history and culture of olive oil production on Corfu.



### from 4.30 am to 10:30 pm (duration 6 hours)

The time is approximate and will change based on the sunset. 1st July 2024 - Sunset 8.53



Meeting point: Dougla's Column Meeting time: 16:20 Departure time: 16:30 Arrival at Palaiokastritsa: 17:15 Estimate time: Approximately 45' minute drive Time on Palaiokastritsa: 2 hours Departure from Palaiokastritsa: 19:15 Arrival at Afionas: 19:50 Estimate time: Approximately a 35' minute drive Sunset: 20:53 Time on Afionas: 75 minutes Departure from Afionas: 21:15 Arrival at Dougla's Column: 22:30 Estimate time: Approximately a 90' minute drive

### Palaikostritsa + Afionas Sunset The starting time of the trip will be

shown in the booking process, depending on the date, due to the time change of sunset.

For information- activities to Palaikostritsa check the Corfu:Full-Day Bus Trip of Corfu's West Coast

# Palaiokastritsa Swim and Afionas Sunset Tour

Embark on an unforgettable tour to Palaiokastritsa, the emerald jewel of the Ionian Sea. Discover hidden caves by boat, enjoy the



mesmerizing sunset at Afionas, one of Corfu's most charming villages

# Highlights of the tour

- Explore Palaiokastritsa, one of the most famous seaside villages in Corfu! This relaxing afternoon tour will take you to the heart of the island's west coast, where you can discover its hidden gems at your own pace.
- Discover the real Corfu, with its charming villages and storied past, enjoying the island's breathtaking natural beauty.
- Chill out and swim at the emerald jewel of the Ionian Sea, Paleokastritsa, which is a wonder of nature!
- Sea lovers can take a boat tour to explore the hidden gems of Paleokastritsa, a marine paradise with caves, emerald-green waters, coral reefs, and colorful fish.
- Soak up one of the most traditional village in the island, rich in history and beauty.
- Be amazed by the breathtaking views of Afionas, where the sky is ablaze with color at sunset!
- A must-do for anyone who loves nature, appreciates traditional beauty, and wants to experience the authentic face of Corfu.

Duration:6h Start time: 16:30

### What's included

Pickup and drop-off from central location in Corfu Town Bus transportation to all locations Air-conditioned comfortable bus English speaking trip attendant -archeologist Basic travel insurance (during transportation) Free wi-fi Available baby seat with request



#### What's not included

No food (lunches or beverages are included), personal expenses. Boat tour to Palaiokastritsa (optional)

#### What to expect

Stop At: Palaiokastritsa

Paleokastritsa, the jewel of Corfu, is a place where you can relax and enjoy the beauty of nature. Upon arrival, you will be struck by the vibrant colors of the landscape. There are a lot of options to do, there is something for everyone to enjoy. If you enjoy hiking, you can ascend to the Monastery of Theotokos, a Byzantine monastery perched on a cliff overlooking the sea.

Visit its small museum and olive press.

Take a dip in the crystal-clear waters of Paleokastritsa's beaches, and allow yourself to be carried away by their dazzling beauty. It is a place where you can connect with nature and feel the energy of life.

Embark on a boat tour to explore the magical caves that are inaccessible by road, such as the Cave of Nausicaa, the Blue Eye, and the Blue Caves.

Marvel at the marine coral world of the Ionian Sea!

Savor the local cuisine and renowned wines.

Purchase souvenirs from the shops before departing.

For photography enthusiasts, Paleokastritsa is a paradise.

If you are looking for a place to relax and enjoy the beauty of the world,

Paleokastritsa is definitely the perfect destination for you.

Duration: 2 hours

Stop At: Afionas

Take a stroll through the winding streets of Afionas, where bougainvillea and jasmine cascade over whitewashed walls, and the air is filled with the briny scent of the sea.

Snap a photo of the old mansions, which have stood the test of time, and visit the church of Agios Ioannis Lampataro, built in 1636.

Soak up the magic of the sunset, as you sit on a bench and watch the sun sink below the Ionian Sea. The sky is ablaze with color, from fiery reds and oranges to gentle pinks and purples. It is a sight that will take your breath away.

**Duration: 75minutes** 

#### KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

Please be informed that there is the possibility of modifying the schedule of the excursion according to current weather conditions on the island; in case of non-favorable weather conditions, some of the beaches might be replaced either by visiting olive oil museum or visiting some nearby villages.



Make sure to arrive at the meeting point 10 minutes prior to tour departure

#### WHAT TO BRING

Comfortable shoes Sunglasses Hat Swimwear Towel Water Flip- flops

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The starting time of the trip will be shown in the booking process, depending on the date, due to the time change of sunset.

The dwell times at the main stops are allowed to vary during peak traffic periods, as estimated by the trip attendants

#### Duration of the day trip: 6 hours

Meeting Point: Douglas Column (On the way to the seafront boulevard of Garitsa bay, on the intersection of Alexandras and Dimokratias Avenue)

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Meeting time: 10 minutes before the time of departure

## Afionas

A traditional village with a rich history and stunning sunsets

Nestled in a mountainous headland on the west coast of Corfu, Afionas is a hidden gem that offers stunning views, rich history, and a charming traditional atmosphere. The village is located about 37 kilometers from Corfu Town and has panoramic views of the Ionian Sea, the islet of Gravia, the Diapontia Islands (Mathraki and Othonoi), and the Gulf of Agios Georgios.

A walk through the village's winding stone paths (kadounia) reveals a wealth of architectural treasures, including traditional stone houses, elegant mansions, and the 17th-century church of Agios Ioannis Lampataria.

About a 20-minute walk to the southwest, you'll find the stunning double beach of Porto Timoni. This two-part beach is separated by a narrow strip of land and has been named one of the best beaches in Europe.

Afionas is one of the oldest settlements on Corfu and is believed to have been named after the local grape variety. Archaeological evidence suggests that the village was first inhabited in the 6th century BC.

In addition to its long history and traditional character, Afionas is also known for its stunning natural beauty. The sunsets from the village are particularly breathtaking, with fiery colors that transform the atmosphere into a spectacle that is sure to leave you breathless.



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### **MEETING POINT**

Departure from the Douglas colum

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### **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

**Meeting time 10 minutes before** the time of departure





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