



## Important instructions before your upcoming INFINITY sailing!



### **1. Preparation before boarding the yacht**

**Clothing:** Take light, breathable clothing suitable for the weather conditions during your vacation. We recommend having a wind and waterproof jacket (membrane) if the weather changes. Even for the summer season, include a sweatshirt in your luggage for a cool evening. You must also wear a bathing suit, sun hat, sunglasses and suitable shoes for walking on board that do not leave marks and do not slide on the deck. It is most comfortable to walk barefoot on the yacht. Heeled shoes are prohibited on board.

**Skin Care:** Carry sunscreen and insect and mosquito repellent.

**Anti-Seasickness Remedies:** If you think you are prone to seasickness, we recommend that you carry medicine that relieves symptoms.

**Medicines:** If you regularly take any special medicines, make sure you carry enough to last you the whole trip. The yacht also has its own first aid kit, where you can find first aid supplies and dressing materials.

**Travel documents:** Bring your ID and/or passport and any necessary visas, child declarations or permits.

**Personal Care Items:** Carry toiletries such as toothbrush and toothpaste, shampoo, conditioner, and any other personal care items you may need during the trip.

**Towels and beach accessories:** We will provide you with bed linen and bath towels (large and small) on the yacht. In addition, it is necessary to bring beach towels and accessories.

**Electronics and chargers:** You can bring your camera, drone, underwater camera, phone or any other electronics you want to use on board. Don't forget to bring your chargers. The yacht has standard 220v sockets and two USB port type connectors for charging electronics.

**Entertainment:** Books, magazines, playing cards, backgammon or any other form of entertainment can be nice during downtime or in case of bad weather. On board there is equipment for diving - goggles, fins and snorkels, as well as 2 paddle boards.

**Life jackets:** The yacht has life jackets for everyone on board, as well as child-sized life jackets for little sailors. Familiarize yourself with the location and proper use of life jackets and other onboard safety equipment. If instructed by the crew, wear a life jacket in specific sailing conditions or when deemed necessary for safety.

#### **Baggage packing:**

We recommend that luggage be packed in a soft compact bag or backpack that can be folded and stored in the luggage compartment. Hard suitcases are not recommended due to the limited space in the cabins.

**Transport and Transfers:** Transport to the yacht is at your expense and arrangements, but we can also assist with transport or airport transfers if required.

**Charter Period:** All yacht charters start on Saturday and end on Saturday. For this purpose, it is necessary to be at the ports of Lefkada or Palairos on Saturday at the latest by 15:00. Usually the yacht departs on Saturdays after 17.00. The return to Lefkada or Palairos marina is on Friday afternoon. Departure of the yacht is no later than 9.00 a.m. on Saturday.

**Destinations:** Catamaran Infinity sails mainly on two familiar routes, North and South.

- Northern route: Parga, Sivota, Corfu, Ericousa, Othoni, Paxos, Antipaxos
- Southern route: Lefkada, Meganisi, Atokos, Kastos, Kalamos, Kefalonia, Ithaca, Zakynthos
- Itinerary of your choice: We can make a route of your choice in the Ionian Sea area, depending on the period and the weather forecast.

## **2. Getting to know the Infinity catamaran**

**Catamaran Infinity** is a double-hull yacht with a large space and many amenities for a good time for its guests, with a total capacity for 12 guests and crew.

**Guest cabins:** The yacht has four double, air-conditioned cabins with en-suite bathroom and shower cabin, Queen size bed, bed linen and 2 bath towels provided. If you need extra blankets, ask the crew.

**Crew cabin:** The yacht has a separate crew cabin with 2 single beds, WC and shower.

**Common Areas:** The yachts also feature extensive common areas where guests can relax, socialize and enjoy the amenities. Common areas include an interior saloon and galley with a large weatherboard dining table, an aft cockpit with a dining table, a second deck (flybridge) with seating and a forward cockpit with netting and comfortable sunbeds for sunbathing and relaxing.

**Kitchen:** The yacht's kitchen area is equipped with 4 gas hobs and oven, sink, dishwasher, 2 coffee machines, air fryer, etc. facilities for preparing light snacks and delicious lunches on board. Any of the guests is welcome to use the equipment as long as they observe the basic safety rules and the necessary hygiene.

**Refrigerators and freezers:** The yacht has a total of three refrigerators and one freezer. Two fridges and freezers are inside and one drinks fridge in the aft cockpit.

**Other amenities:** The yacht has various amenities for a great experience on board. These include: TV with 900 channels, audio system, Wi-Fi, air conditioning/heating, watermaker, ice maker, inverter, boiler and other features to ensure guest comfort.

**Coffee on board:** The yacht has coffee machines for nespresso capsules and filter coffee, a cuban coffee maker, as well as instant coffee for frappe.

## **3. Rules on Bord**

**Footwear:** Yacht policy, as well as good manners, dictates that you remove your outdoor shoes before stepping aboard. On the yacht you can wear suitable shoes or go barefoot.

**Conduct on board:** Keep the yacht's equipment and furnishings. Carefully close hatches and cabinets on board. Avoid walking on deck with your heels as you disturb those in the cabins. Don't run or jump on board!

**Rules for using WC and bathrooms:** The toilets are electric and are used only for organic waste. Throwing away toilet paper etc. is strictly prohibited!  
Please dispose of all waste in the small bins that you can find in every toilet!  
Please collect and dispose of hair after bathing in the bin as well, as it blocks the filters of the pumps!

**Water Rules:** Fresh water on board is stored in tanks and is a limited resource. In certain places of the ports, we have the opportunity to restore our stocks of fresh water, as well as by using a desalinator (under certain conditions), which desalinates the sea water and turns it into fresh water. The water is heated by a boiler, or when the yacht is moving, the engines perform this function. Always save water when on a yacht!

**Electricity on board:** Certain electrical systems on board operate on 12v and 220v. We get 12v from the batteries and we have it all the time, while we have 220v when the generator is running or we have shore power. With limited consumption of 220v, we can use an inverter. The inverter can be used to charge phones, tablets and computers, coffee maker, toaster, etc. small electrical appliances. Please always ask the crew before using an iron, hair dryer, hair dryer or any other large electrical consumer to avoid damaging the inverter!  
Please turn off all electrical consumers when you are not in the cabins!

**Hatches on board:** Before sailing, close all side hatches due to the risk of flooding!  
Also close cabin and lavatory doors to avoid slamming.  
Do not under any circumstances open the hatches in the aft cabins, which are the water level! They are not intended for ventilation, but for use only in an emergency situation.

**Smoking policy:** Smoking is prohibited in the closed areas of the yacht. Smoking is permitted only in certain cases and places where the safety of the board is not endangered.

**Electrical panel and instruments on the yacht:** For security reasons, guests are not allowed to use the electrical panel and instruments to control the yacht.  
Please do not leave water and drinks on the chart table in the saloon!

**Conservation of wildlife and the marine environment:** Respect the environment and marine life. Do not disturb or harm sea creatures or their habitats. Follow guidelines for responsible behavior such as not littering and avoiding damage to coral reefs or other sensitive ecosystems. Water pollution is punishable by law.

**Guest Conduct:** Be respectful of other guests and crew you are with while yachting. Maintain good manners, cleanliness and consideration for others. Everyone on board is a family and supports each other!

**Noise and Music:** Be considerate of other guests on board, crew and nearby vessels by maintaining reasonable noise levels, especially at night and in ports.

**Sea Conditions:** Sea conditions may change and the movement of the yacht may vary accordingly. Be prepared for potentially rough seas or adverse weather conditions and follow crew instructions to ensure your safety and comfort.

**Children and non-swimmers:** If you have children or non-swimmers on board, make sure they are closely supervised, especially while the yacht is underway. Follow any specific safety instructions provided by the crew to ensure their well-being.

**Damage and cleanliness:** Take care of the yacht and its equipment. Report any damage or problems you notice to the crew immediately. Keep your private parts tidy and clean up after yourself. Everything on the boat has its place, so when a piece of equipment is used, it must be returned to the same place.

Before boarding the yacht, you will need to pay at the Lefkada or Palairos offices (in cash or by blocking a credit or debit card) a security deposit of 3000 euros. It is deducted in case of damage to the yacht or its equipment or furnishings caused by the guests. This is a normal practice for every yacht charter, which contributes to the more responsible and committed behavior of guests during their stay on board.

#### **4. Rules for maneuvering and sailing the yacht**

**The captain's word:** When maneuvering the yacht, listen only to your captain and do not trust the instructions of outsiders from the port.

**When maneuvering the yacht:** Listen to and strictly follow instructions from the captain or crew members. Any guest not involved in maneuvering the boat, please take a safe position and not engage crew members.

Loud music and movements of the boat are not desirable so that people involved in the maneuver can see and hear the captain's instructions.

Each of the guests is a welcome helper, only after a preliminary briefing by the captain about his role and task.

**When sailing, remain seated or move carefully by holding on:** When the yacht is in motion, it is important to remain seated or move by holding on to a secure handrail or designated point of safety to maintain balance and prevent accidents due to sudden movements or stormy sea. Drinks and fragile objects are not left unattended while the yacht is underway.

**Restricted Areas:** Certain areas of the yacht may be restricted or prohibited while the yacht is underway depending on sailing conditions. Observe the restrictions and follow the instructions of the crew.

**Be aware of your surroundings:** Pay attention to your surroundings while the yacht is sailing. Avoid leaning over railings and be careful around moving parts or equipment. Be alert and notify the crew of any safety concerns. If you notice an object dangerously close to the yacht, notify the captain immediately. Treat the yacht as your own home for your comfort and safety!

#### **5. Docking rules**

**Captains's permission:** When docking, always seek permission from the captain or crew to get off the yacht. They will provide instructions and guidance on suitable places to call or drop anchor, local regulations and any specific instructions you need to follow.

**Going ashore:** Going ashore is done by gangway if we are docked at the marina pier or by means of the inflatable tender (dinghy) with an outboard motor. The use of the dinghy is only with the permission of the captain or a member of the crew.

**Dinner at the marina:** The captain will recommend different destinations, nice and cozy places where you can have dinner. He will take care of making reservations and guide you to the place of your choice. Of course, everyone is free to have his own time and visit the places convenient and pleasant for him.

**Communication:** Keep the channels of communication open with the crew. Inform them of your plans, including your planned return time and any changes to your route. This allows the crew to know where you are and take the necessary precautions if necessary.

**Local Transportation:** If you plan to use local transportation while ashore, familiarize yourself with the options available and follow local transportation rules. Confirm the return schedule and plan accordingly to avoid missing the yacht's departure.





**Return the yacht on time:** Always respect the agreed time for returning the yacht. Punctuality is essential to maintaining the yacht's schedule and ensuring the sailing runs smoothly.

## **6. Rules for dropping anchor in wild bays**

**Captain's permission:** When dropping anchor in a wild bay, disembarking from the boat takes place only after completing the maneuver completely and stopping the engines. Always seek permission from the captain or crew to disembark from the yacht.

**Use of the WC:** When staying at a wild bay for bathing or overnight, keep in mind that it is not advisable to use the WC due to the possibility of contamination, especially immediately before entering the water.

**Swimming, water sports and bay diving:** Follow all safety instructions provided by the captain or crew and use caution when participating in activities such as swimming, diving or cliff jumping. Make sure you have the necessary skills and experience. Be considerate of others and be aware of the privacy of neighboring yachts. After swimming in the sea, it is advisable to use the outdoor shower to rinse off the salt water. Please do not enter the interior of the yacht wet!

 We look forward to seeing you on board the **Infinity catamaran!**   
 We will do our best to make your stay on board an unforgettable experience. 

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