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DESTINATION - YACHT CHARTER GUIDE

Symi

Yacht Charter Guide

CRAFTING SIGNATURE CHARTER YACHT EXPERIENCES

Symi Private Yacht Charter
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Gateways: RHO - KGS
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SYMI

Overview

Symi yacht charter sits inside the Dodecanese ecosystem - Yialos Harbour, Symi berthing, local day-anchors and shore tables we hold before you fly.

Private yacht charter in Symi via RHO / KGS. Charter a yacht for a week - berths, day-anchors and shore days by Blue Ocean Club.

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WHEN TO GO

Season & rhythm

- How a Symi week actually runs.: A choreographed operation - berths, tenders and tables locked before wheels-down.
- Embark ready: APA open, crew briefed, transfer timed to Yialos Harbour, Symi.
- Local cadence: Morning toys, held lunch, short reposition around Symi, quiet overnight.
- Concierge lock: Restaurants and clubs confirmed weeks out - not left to chance.
- When to berth. When to anchor.: In Symi, quay nights buy access; hook nights buy privacy.
- Quay nights: Harbour energy around Yialos Harbour, Symi, walk-ashore dinners, event visibility.
- At anchor: Swim platforms, quiet mornings, tender-only shore calls.
- The usual play: One or two quay nights; the rest swinging in protected water.

ON THE WATER

Cruising grounds

Rhodes & Symi
Medieval Rhodes to painted Symi - short scenic legs.

Kos & Nisyros
Volcanic day-hooks and Kos marina bookends.

QUAY NIGHTS

Marinas & berthing

Yialos Harbour, Symi
Painted harbour - peak berths book early for larger LOA. - Max LOA ~40 m - Draft ~4.5 m - Gateway RHO - Transfer Day sail from Rhodes - Peak lead: 4-12 weeks for peak season slips

DAY WATER

Anchorages

Nanou Bay, Symi
Quiet swim stop away from Yialos density.

St Paul's Bay, Lindos
Rhodes day-hook under the acropolis - early arrival in peak.

Telendos channel
Kalymnos lee overnight alternative.

SHORE TABLES

Restaurants

Tholos
Symi
Waterfront Symi institution - book peak weeks.

Dinoris
Rhodes Old Town
Courtyard fine dining after a Mandraki night.

Hathor
Kos Town
Harbour-side plates near Kos Marina.

DAY ASHORE

Beach clubs

Elli Beach clubs
Rhodes Town
Town beach day before Mandraki evenings.

Paradise Beach Kos
Kos
South-coast day energy by tender or road.

TRANSFERS

Airport to gangway.

We choreograph RHO / KGS arrivals into Yialos Harbour, Symi.

Helicopter / GA
Private hops when Symi supports coastal helipads or GA strips into the Mediterranean gateway. RHO corridor KGS corridor

Chauffeur
SUV / S-Class briefed on Yialos Harbour, Symi gates - timed to embarkation. To Yialos Harbour, Symi Day sail from Rhodes

Door-to-deck options are confirmed against your embarkation slot.

NUMBERS - SYMI

VAT & APA - Symi short version.

On a Symi charter the base fee is only the starting line. Budget tax treatment and a realistic APA before you lock dates.

VAT / tax

Greek Dodecanese charters follow EU VAT and Greek commercial yacht rules - confirm Turkish day-call clearance separately if planned.

APA

For Dodecanese in high season, budget APA at roughly 25-35% of the base charter fee covering fuel, berths, food and concierge extras.

What we send PAs

A line-item estimate before deposit, then a live APA report from the captain during the week.

WITHIN THIS COAST

Local guides

Symi

Symi is a core Dodecanese charter stop - marina nights, day-anchors and shore tables we hold in advance. Berth context: Yialos Harbour, Symi - Day-anchor: Telendos channel - Table: Tholos

BEFORE YOU FLY

FAQ

When is the best time for yacht charter in Symi?

Shoulder months in Mediterranean usually balance weather and berth availability for Symi near Yialos Harbour, Symi.

Which marina should we embark from in Symi?

Yialos Harbour, Symi is the primary embarkation for Symi, with anchorage fallbacks when LOA or events block the preferred quay.

How far ahead should we book berths in Symi?

For peak season around Symi, 4-12 weeks is typical for larger yachts; shoulder season is more flexible. We open the berth conversation with the yacht shortlist.

What does APA usually cover on a Symi charter?

Fuel, berthing, food and beverage, and most guest concierge extras. For Symi we set an honest APA band before contract - not a vague percentage.

Can you arrange airport transfers into Symi?

Yes - chauffeur and helicopter where available from RHO / KGS, timed to the embarkation slot at Yialos Harbour, Symi.

How does a Symi week use Rhodes & Symi?

Rhodes & Symi is a core Symi pocket - we sequence Yialos Harbour, Symi nights and day-anchors so the week feels unhurried. Symi sits inside Dodecanese as a focused stop, not a duplicate of the country hub.

OPERATIONAL

Mooring notes

Symi - Yialos Harbour, Symi

High in peak season around Symi - broker relationships matter for larger LOA. 4-12 weeks for peak season slips Event or festival weeks near Symi can multiply rates and eliminate availability. We hold Yialos Harbour, Symi alternatives and anchorage fallbacks before you sign.

Berth fees, APA budgets and event lead times are indicative and move with LOA, season and harbour policy. Blue Ocean Club confirms live figures in writing before deposit. Not a substitute for captain pilotage or marina contracts.

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