



## Athens & Skiathos

6 Nights

01 July 2014 – 30 September 2014



### Summary

Skiathos has achieved international fame for its stunning golden sands, stretching almost the full length of this island and surrounded by pine-clad rolling hills and sparkling azure waters. Sun-worshippers will be spoilt for choice with more than 60 award-winning beaches, sailing enthusiasts will love discovering hidden paradises, and culture vultures will be fascinated by traditional Pelio architecture and historical monasteries. The 'Emerald Island' was the setting for the popular movie musical 'Mamma Mia', and holidays to Skiathos come with guaranteed sunshine and enchanting memories.

### Festivals and activities

**July 25th Source:** On July 25th, there is a large celebration with dancing, food and drinks on the occasion of the feast of Agia Paraskevi. The panigiri starts after the evening litany of the icon in the streets of Skiathos Town.

**Katsonia Festival Source:** The Katsonia Festival takes place in September in Skiathos island in commemoration of the Greek submarine "Lambros Katsonis" which was sunk off Skiathos, in September 1943, during the Second World War. On that day, the locals throw flowers in the Aegean Sea.

### Greek mythology

Several ancient written sources state that Dionysus, the god of wine, was worshipped as "Skianthios" on all the islands occupied by Cretans, a name that makes allusion to Skiathos.

### Why Choose Patmos?

**Connection time with Athens:** 9 hours 05min

**Accommodation type:** all types

**Recommended excursions:** Leros-Rhodes-Syros-Kos

**Suitable for:** families

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- Day 1:** **Arrival - Athens**  
Upon arrival in Athens, meet and transfer to hotel
- Days 2:** **Athens**  
Free time at leisure
- Days 3-6:** **Athens – Skiathos**  
Transfer to the airport for departure flight to Skiathos  
Upon arrival to Skiathos airport, meet and transfer to hotel  
Day at leisure
- Day 7:** **Skiathos - Departure**  
Transfer to the airport for departure flight

#### Pricing per person in US\$

Hotel	Room Type	Triple	Double	Single
Hotel Skiathos Princess 5*	Club double Garden View	Not available	1820	2340
Athenaum Intercontinental Hotel 5*	Club Intercontinental			
Hotel Aegean 5*	Standard Suite	Not available	2485	3245
Astir Palace Resort Hotel 5*	Deluxe Room Garden View			

- *Prices may change without prior notice and subject to availability at time of booking*

#### Prices Include

Round trip ticket to Athens, return form Skiathos  
( economy class )  
Round trip transfer: airport - hotel in Athens - airport  
Round trip transfer: airport – hotel in Skiathos - airport  
2-night accommodation at hotel in Athens  
4-night accommodation at hotel in Patmos  
Daily breakfast  
Assistance of our representative in Greece

#### Prices Exclude

Airport taxes  
Fuel surcharge  
DIP surcharge \$5/ticket  
Optional Tours  
Visa fees  
Travel insurance  
All other expenses

#### Flight Schedule

From	To	Flight No	Departure	Arrival
Beirut	Athens	A3 937	05:00	07:00
Athens	Kos	A3 224	16:05	16:55
Kos	Athens	A3 229	20:20	21:10
Athens	Beirut	A3 936	23:30	01:30

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