

Let your spirit set sail



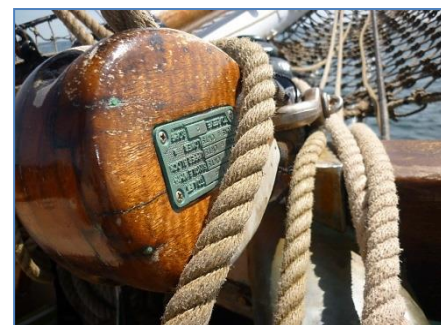
Europe's sunny Southwest Coast

From Galicia to Andalusia

Sun 27 October 2018 – Tue 6 November 2018

This autumn sailing trip will take us along the Portuguese coast and through the vast, blue Atlantic Ocean. Two remarkable port towns will be the starting point and destination of our journey: A Coruña in north-western Galicia, and Cádiz in Andalusia.

Enjoy Spanish culture on departure and arrival – inbetween, you will enjoy the tranquility of the ocean! On board and at sea, you will feel boundlessly happy. The endless, landless days at sea are a wonderful time to relax and leave the hustle and bustle of everyday-life behind.



This is where you will go on board: A Coruña / Spain

Our crew will welcome you on board at the port of A Coruña at the Atlantic Ocean. Embarkation will take place at 19:00 hours. Afterwards, there will be dinner together in the comfortable lounge. You will soon feel at home on the Eye of the Wind's deck and get to know your fellow sailors.



Mild temperatures can be expected even in October. Galicia's largest seaport is characterised by a 13-kilometre-long promenade and the 16th-century Castillo de San Anton at the harbour pier. The town's history is closely connected with its historic fishing and trading port.



The peninsula on which the historic part of town is situated, is home to an interesting Romanesque road network with squares and medieval churches as well as the Hercules Tower, the oldest lighthouse in the world. The Museum of Fine Arts, with works by Goya and others on display, is also worth a visit.



Within just a few hours, you can easily get to many international airports with a single stopover via Madrid or Barcelona. We will be happy to assist you with the individual planning of your arrival and departure. If you have any questions, please contact us in time.

Accompanied by whales and dolphins

The Eye of the Wind is not a ship that likes to lie idle in the harbour, so it is time to cast off and set sail next morning. After receiving safety instructions and an introduction to sailing from the ship's crew, you can take part in the sailing yourself. Active assistance on deck is always voluntary – previous experience is not necessary. No day is like the other, and encounters with small whales and dolphins are not unlikely in this part of the Atlantic.



Enjoy the sea and the wind

The following journey between Ría da Coruña and the Gulf of Cádiz will take us 500 nautical miles through the vast expanse of the Atlantic. You will get to know the Eye of the Wind as a seaworthy and reliable ship that has proven itself in all weather conditions. You can actively help with the sailing manoeuvres or just relax and watch. The setting and trimming of the sails during the days at sea will become an ever more fascinating spectacle from a long gone seafaring era.

Enjoy your time on board and treat yourself to our excellent on-board cuisine. From morning to evening, the ship's cook will surprise you with a variety of recipes from the galley cookbook. To get warmed up, you can, of course, get a cup of tea or coffee at any time. If it is raining, you can just make yourself comfortable below deck in the cosy lounge, browse through the large on-board library, or see which DVDs we have.



Setting south – along the coastline of the Iberian Peninsula

In the course of the trip at least one more stay at a port is planned. Where we go on shore depends on the wind and weather conditions, and will be decided by the captain at short notice – your wishes and requests will be considered whenever possible. This ensures that you experience your cruise as a pleasant mixture of adventure, relaxation, active participation, and pure enjoyment. The port city of Sines, south of Lissabon, is a great opportunity to go on shore. Beaches, natural dunes and the high, rocky coast around Sines are part of a natural park. A visit to the castle and the historic part of town (photo right) should not be missed.



This is where you will disembark: Cádiz – Andalusia's biggest port

The popular summer holiday resort of Cádiz on the Andalusian coast used to be the starting point for Spanish explorers and conquistadors. More recently, it has been host to a number of tall ship races. This is where our journey ends and you will leave 'your' ship and the crew with a sailor's bag full of lasting memories.

Make the most of the time before your departure by strolling through the historic part of town with the El Pópulo, La Viña and Santa María quarters or by visiting the famous cathedral. In the daytime and in the evenings, the 9-kilometre-long beach attracts beachgoers and water sports enthusiasts.

Some exciting and eventful days filled with the sights, sounds and smells of the North Atlantic now lie behind us. Jerez International Airport is directly connected by bus to Cádiz and to several international destinations by direct flight. Feel free to contact us – we will be happy to assist you with the individual planning of your journey.



We assist you with the planning of your journey

An Atlantic cruise with a lot of time at sea is even more fun when it is well-prepared. To make it easier for you to plan your trip, we have compiled an overview of practical tips for your stay on board as well as answers to frequently asked questions. To receive the overview, please contact us or visit our website: www.eyeofthewind.net/de/service

Seven good reasons to go:

- „Mileage trip“ with a lot of time at sea – sailing during day and night
- Nature impressions on the wide Atlantic Ocean
- Safe sailing near the coastline
- Excellent onboard cuisine, delicious meals from morning to evening
- Attractive ports, spectacular sailing area, “bluewater sailing” across the Atlantic Ocean
- Active sailing and manoeuvring on a 100-year-old windjammer ... feel free to participate!
- Optional stopover in Sines, home of the famous explorer Vasco da Gama



Journey time:

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Services included:

- 10 nights' accommodation aboard the Tall Ship Eye of the Wind.
- Accommodation in a comfortable double cabin with hot and cold running water, shower, toilet, and air conditioning (single cabin surcharge).
- Full board (including all meals, soft drinks, coffee & tea).
- Lounge with TV/DVD and extensive on-board library.
- The tour price includes VAT.

Not included:

Arrival and departure, shore excursions and alcoholic beverages.

We gladly assist you in the individual planning of your arrival and departure. Please contact us if necessary in a timely manner.

Please consider the following notes on the itinerary:

The indicated ports are optional. The ship's management reserves the right to change the itinerary at short notice depending on wind and weather conditions.

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