



## MEDITERANIAN TRAVEL ORGANIZATION

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# II INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL FOLKLORE, CHOIR & ORCHESTRA *ASPROVALTA, STAVROS, NEA VRASNA – GREECE* "Magic of Greece" August 26 – 31, 2017

Festival is organized by Mediteranian Organization in cooperation with local municipalities, chambers of commerce and local folklore ensemble. The festival will be covered in media by the local and international press and television. Mayors or the deputy mayors, from the cities of festival contestants, will be honored guests of the festival at the expense of the organizer.

**Asprovalta** is a town in the regional unit of Thessaloniki in northern Greece. It was the seat of the Agios Georgios municipality. Since the implementation of the Kallikratis Plan in January 2011, Asprovalta belongs to the Municipality of Volvi. Its population numbers 3039 people. According to a manuscript of Simonopetra monastery in Mount Athos, Asprovalta was built in the 16<sup>th</sup> century. Its first name was Aspra Valta. After the Asia Minor Disaster, 54 families from Erenköy of Troas (near the ancient city of Ophryneion) were installed in Asprovalta.

**Stavros** is a village and a community of the Volvi municipality. Before the 2011 local government reform it was part of the municipality of Egnatia, of which it was a municipal district. The 2011. census recorded 3,672 inhabitants in the village. The community of Stavros covers an area of 16.5 km<sup>2</sup>.



## PROGRAM

**1<sup>st</sup> day – August 26** Arrival in Asprovalta, Nea Vrasna or Stavros. Check in at the selected hotel. Free time for individual activities. Dinner. Overnight.

**2<sup>nd</sup> day– August 27** Breakfast. Press conference. Free time for individual activities. Optional visit to Thessaloniki. Lunch packet. Opening ceremony. Participant groups' performances. Dinner. Optional night out. Overnight.

**3<sup>rd</sup> day– August 28** Breakfast. Info presentation. Optional trip to Kavala. Lunch packet. Participant groups' performances. Closing ceremony. Dinner. Optional night out. Overnight.

**4<sup>th</sup> day– August 29** Breakfast. Free time at the beach. Lunch packet. Free time for individual activities. Dinner. Optional night out. Overnight.

**5<sup>th</sup> day– August 30** Breakfast. Free time at the beach. Lunch packet. Optional night out. Dinner. Overnight.

**6<sup>th</sup> day – August 31** Breakfast. Hotel check out and departure. End of services.

\*Trip to Asprovalta, Nea Vrasna – Travel guide <https://youtu.be/gnBWp1TK8do>

## PRICE PER PERSON

**Hotel\*\*\*** 129€

**Hotel\*\*/Apartments** 119€

**\*Special offer: Groups that have participated on other festivals of Mediteranian Organization have 10% discount**

## PRICE INCLUDES

- Accommodation at the selected hotel in double, triple or four bedded rooms with half board (breakfast, dinner, + lunch packet)
- Participation fee for the festival
- Accompany during the festival
- Certificates, plaques, photos and videos

## PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Optional excursions
- Individual costs and all costs not covered by the program

## OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS AND SERVICES

- Transfer to/from the Airport
- Thessaloniki city tour

- Bus transfer price per person - 10€
- Guide for visiting Thessaloniki 80€ - 100€ (price depends on the language)
- White Tower - 3€, ticket
- Boat tour – 9€
- Boat tour with food and one drink included - 15€
- Shopping Mall Cosmos Centre
- Tour excursion to Meteora – 20€
- Waterland Thessaloniki – 15€
- Disco night – 5€
- Greek night in a restaurant, dinner and one drink included – 15€
- Kavala tour
  - Archaeological Museum Kavala - 2€, ticket
  - Fortress - 2€, ticket
  - Archaeological site of Philippi - 3€, ticket
  - Archaeological Museum of Philippi - 2€, ticket
  - Archaeological site and museum of Philippi - 4€, ticket

## NOTE

- Extra charge for a double room 5€ per person per day.
- The possibility of extension of stay per person per day

Hotel \*\*\* 26€

Hotel\*\*/Apartments 24 €

- Extra charge for a single room per day

Hotel\*\*\* 16€

The organizer reserves the right to change the terms and conditions of performance of excursions and of the individual items of the program due to objective circumstances.



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