

Scottish Bridge Union



8th Overseas Spring Congress

A National
Red/Green
Point Event

The Astarea Hotel
Mlini
Dubrovnik
Croatia

19th May 2016



In partnership with
Bridge Overseas





With its sublime location, overlooking the calm blue waters of the Adriatic, Dubrovnik is one of the world's most magnificent walled cities. Now a UNESCO world heritage site and Croatia's most up-market destination, it was once the capital of the wealthy sea-faring Republic of Ragusa. During its Golden Age in the 16th century, it had one of the largest merchant naval fleets in the world. The main draw is the charming pedestrian-only old town, packed with aristocratic palazzi and elegant Baroque churches, contained within sturdy medieval fortifications. Add to this the beaches, pristine sea, informal eateries serving top-notch seafood Dubrovnik is a wonderful place to visit.

Excursions, Half day trips will be organised in to the old town via Coach or Boat depending on the weather. Two full days excursions will be offered to nearby Montenegro and Mostar which is in neighboring Bosnia and Herzegovina. Full details nearer the time.

Cost per person:

7 nights half board including direct transfers, Side Sea/Garden View rooms. (flights not included – see* below) £469pp

Bridge Fees £105pp

Extra Nights £49pp

Single supplement per night £9.99

Single Supplement per night Annex Building Upgrades £5.99

available, ask Bridge Overseas for details

* The flight cost is not included in the above package. There are regional low cost flight options including Glasgow, Edinburgh and Newcastle to Dubrovnik. Booking your own flight allows you to personalize your stay and include extra nights if you wish. Booking Deposit £150 per person payable to Bridge Overseas Limited Trust Account Balance is due 12 weeks before departure.

To make a reservation please phone Bridge Overseas.

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Hotel Astarea is located in the picturesque village of Mlini, at the Dubrovnik Riviera, not far from Dubrovnik. It is the perfect holiday destination for all those looking for a peaceful getaway from the stresses of everyday life. The hotel features 217 rooms in the main building, and 90 rooms in the annex. Apart from four suites with balconies, the modern hotel and annex offer spacious rooms with comfortable beds and a stunning view of the sea and the nearby islands. Enjoy an excellent gastronomic experience in the restaurants of the Hotel Astarea, or chill in the relaxing atmosphere of its bar with a view of the crystal clear Adriatic Sea. Relax at a spacious outdoor pool or at an indoor pool with heated seawater, a spa zone with a sauna, gym and beauty salon, or pay a visit to the hotel store or a hair salon. The restaurants and bars that are located between the Astarea and Mlini hotels are available to the guests of both hotels.





The Scottish Bridge Union 8th Overseas Spring Congress 19th – 25th May 2016 The Astarea Hotel

Together with our partners Bridge Overseas, we are delighted to offer you a Congress in which the wonderful game we all love can be played in a competitive yet friendly atmosphere, a trademark of all Scottish Bridge Union Congresses. Organised to exceptionally high standards by our team, we are confident of your satisfaction in our varied bridge programme and excellent hotel in a beautiful location, just a short distance away from the historically significant Dubrovnik.

Please book early and have a wonderful time with us.

PROGRAMME

Thursday 19th	8.00pm – 11.15pm	Pre-Congress Pairs
Friday 20th	Afternoon Free	
	8.00pm – 11.15pm	Swiss Pairs session 1
Saturday 21st	2.00pm – 5.15pm	Open Teams
	8.00pm – 11.15pm	Swiss Pairs session 2
Sunday 22nd	Afternoon Free	
	8.00pm – 11.15pm	Swiss Pairs session 3
Monday 23rd	2.00pm – 5.15pm	Men's, Ladies and Mixed Pairs
	8.00pm – 11.15pm	Swiss Teams session 1
Tuesday 24th	Afternoon Free	
	8.00pm – 11.15pm	Swiss Teams session 2
Wednesday 25th	2.00pm – 5.15pm	Challenge Match and Open Teams followed by Prize giving cocktail party
	8.00pm	Closing Pairs

Master Points

National (Red/Green) Master Points will be awarded for all events based on the Scottish Bridge Union National Congress scale.

Dress Code

For all evening sessions players are expected to dress smartly i.e. shorts or jeans and T-shirts are not permitted. The person making the application is responsible for ensuring partners and or team-mates are aware of this dress code.