

Accompanying Persons' Program

Saturday, June 31st , 2007
Half day tour

Kos Island Walking Tour

Tour Information

Tour starts:	09.30 hrs
Visit to Asklepieion	10.00 – 11.00hrs
Visit to Museum	11.00 – 11:30
Walking around Kos	11.30 – 13.00
Return to hotels:	13.10 hrs

Price per person: € 42

PRICE INCLUDES:

- Entrance Fees to Asklepieion and Museum
- Experienced English Speaking Guide
- Transfer from and to hotel in A/C coaches
- Taxes



A passage to the city of Kos could be characterized as a giant voyage in time and history – a journey whose mark has been indelibly written on its monuments, and which has left an air of distinct fascination. Kos' charm casts a spell on today's guests as they gaze at the remarkable landmarks, which are the legacy of various cultural influences on the area.



Kos Medieval Castle

There are monuments from the Mycenaean, Geometric, Archaic, Hellenistic, Roman and Byzantine periods, as well as from the Middle Ages, the Turkish occupation, and the Italian invasion.

The tour starts by you being transferred by bus to the Asklepieion, where you will be offered a guided tour of the area. After the Asklepeion you will be taken by bus to the Roman Odeon. You will then continue on foot to be offered a guided walking tour of the main sites. The tour will take in, among other things, the ancient stadium and the nearby mosaics of the nine muses and Europe's abduction, the



Roman Odeon and the Nymphaion.



"Abduction of Europe" Mosaic

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You will then be offered a guided tour of Kos museum, housed in an old Italian palace built in 1936. Walking through the ruins of the ancient Agora, which was the centre of ancient Kos, you will make our way to your final destination, "Hippocrates plane tree", said to be the oldest tree in Europe.

Other interesting sites and buildings, reflecting different periods of Kos' history, include the Museum, situated in an old Italian palace built in 1936, the medieval castle, built by the knights of St. John, and mosques, which were built at the time of the Ottoman occupation of Kos.

The tour will end with the transfer, by bus, back to your hotel.



Kos Museum



Ancient Agora