



GREENSAIL

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Today, Green Sail programs operate throughout Croatia, with the aim of influencing the future of sustainable tourism around the world.

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ABOUT

Here at Green Sail we are passionate about raising awareness of environmental policies in Croatia and we think you should be as well.

We believe that the promotion of environmental awareness will have a prolonged and positive impact, and will help to maintain Croatia as a sustainable tourism destination for future generations.

The movement has developed policies and direct action projects which have been adopted and continue to have a positive effect on local tourism operations and environments.

Policies include coastal cleaning, coastal waste reduction, recycling promotion, green tours and education for stakeholders, employees, partners and suppliers.

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WHAT IS A GREEN SAIL MARINA?

Clean, healthy waterways are key attributes of a successful marina, encouraging sailing lovers to come back year after year. It is in every marina's interest to take steps toward addressing its environmental impacts and create benefits to ensure the environment is to be enjoyed by people today and in future.

A Green Sail Marina is constantly improving their 'green' standards, having strict recycling and waste disposal systems, supported by a partnership with Green Sail. Green Sail encourages marina operators and staff to protect coastal waters by engaging in eco-friendly operations. Green Sail initiatives ensure marina staff and boat users are educated on how to preserve their marina and the sea environment.



GREEN SAIL PARTNER REQUIREMENTS

**GREEN SAIL IS
SUPPORTED BY
ORGANISATIONS
AND COMPANIES
THAT BELIEVE
IN THE SUSTAINA-
BLE TOURISM
MOVEMENT.**

Setting a meaningful policy!

Green Sail environmental policies are designed to create change. They will be a great fit for tourism businesses interested in sustainability for the long term benefit of all stakeholders. Ensuring a destination is protected and improving its operating environment is the key to long term customer satisfaction and a sustainable business model.

Benefits of becoming a Green Sail Marina:

- Compliance with environmental legislation
- Establishment and compliance with your Marina Environmental policy
- Internal staff training program
- Cost savings
- Improved customer expectations
- Enhanced reputation
- Competitive advantage

If your company is interested in becoming a Green Sail partner, apply on our website. Our next steps will simply be to help implement (or review existing) environmental policies in your organisation that promote sustainable tourism and to actively take steps to meeting these policies.



HOW DO I BECOME A PARTNER OF GREEN SAIL

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Waste Management & Pollution Control

- Green Marinas adhere to all hazardous waste regulations. Marina facilities are stored away from sea and on hard surfaces emptied regularly by waste contractor.
- Marina employees ensure waste creation is being prevented when possible and materials reused when possible.
- Pump out facilities for black water are easily at disposal to be on hand for sailors and always promoted by Marina's staff to be utilized.

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Recycling Facilities

For a Green Marina it is necessary to provide at least 3 different recycling containers :

- Paper
- Plastic
- Metal
- Glass
- Biowaste

Marina employees regularly control recycling process. It is preferable that one person be in charge of monitoring and controlling implementation of recycling system in the marina.

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Signage

To help encourage colleagues and customers to recycle correctly, directions to recycling containers are placed in visible and practical areas.

Green Sail flags, stickers and brochures are placed to be visible to visitors, your Environmental Policy is in place and Marina Staff members are aware of Green Sail Initiative and Marine Environmental Policy.





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