



OUR PORT HAS BLUE FLAG

PLEASE, RESPECT THIS CODE OF ENVIRONMENTAL PRACTICES

1. Keep informed about the location and features of **environmental sensitive areas of ecological, socioeconomic and scientific relevance**, as well as **wildlife reserves and protected ecosystems**, in order to not cause them accidental damages
2. **Preserve sealife**. Respect the marine organisms **paying special attention to protected species**, and do not disturb birds in nest. Do not use **prohibited fishing and farming gears** and comply with the **closed fishing seasons** and do not catch or eat specimens that **do not fulfill the minimum landing sizes** established in regulations
3. **Do not anchor in sensitive areas** or places where you may interfere with fishing activities. Fulfill diving and underwater fishing regulations
4. Promote a **responsible environmental management** of the port of call (both regular and occasional) according to the **Blue Flag criteria**. Accomplish with the coastal and environmental regulations, **save water and energy** and **collect garbage selectively**. Get involved and encourage the **development of environmental management systems** as well as environmental educational activities addressed to the technical staff and port end-users
5. Adopt a **responsible environmental behaviour** in the daily life, at home, at work and in the social life as well as in the sea, and **take part actively in social or institutional initiatives** which look for promoting research, conservation and/or sustainable coastal development
6. Make a right use of the boatyard and its facilities. **Use environmentally friendly products** (coatings, antifouling, paints removal products, cleaners etc.). Put their **scraps** (and other products such as **used oils**) in **suitable containers** located in the port and intended to the **selective collection of these products**. Use the **port facilities** addressed to the collection of **bilge waters** and **watertight WC**
7. **Keep** the sea, the beach and the port **clean by not throwing plastic wastes, butts** or other marine litter, by **not spilling** oil or other harmful substances. Promote **recycling** and collect **solid waste in a selective way**. Use properly **containers and bins**
8. **Report** to the competent authorities any witnessed **violation of the marine legislation**, especially oil spills (**hydrocarbons** or other **chemical substances**) of terrestrial origin as well as the use of **illegal or unregulated fishing gears**
9. **Make a responsible use of radio and navigation instruments**, not risking people and vessels safety, warning in this case, the presence of floating objects or other dangers and always putting into practice the **obligation of providing assistance at sea**