## Ceroc Blaze in Malta

After Croatia and Cyprus - now Ceroc Blaze 2017 in Malta - a fantastic destination for the third Ceroc Blaze. \*\*SOLD OUT!!\*\*

**Dates and Prices** 

6 May to 13 May - £779.00

### **Unique Features**

A new concept in Ceroc holidays offering the chance to travel and dance in some great destinations. In 2017 we go to Malta - a fantastic destination for the third Ceroc Blaze. A stunning four star hotel promises to be a really exciting week

As always we will be offering an explosion in the sun, fantastic, high energy workshops and unforgettable parties at night and some afternoons. Get ready for a jam-packed week of dancing with some of the UK's best loved Ceroc teachers.

## Your Holiday

#### What's Included

- ı A full pass to the 7 night Ceroc Blaze
- 1 Daily classes and workshops with the Ceroc team
- Afternoon parties
- Freestyle dancing every night
- Optional excursions
- ı Return flights from London Gatwick. Regional departures also available at a supplement
- Return transfer from Malta airport (on the standard holiday dates).
- 7 nights' half board accommodation at the four star Hotel Paradise Bay
- full time hosted
- I Time to relax and enjoy the beach, pool, local sights
- Welcome drink on arrival

NB: Price is based on twin-share accommodation. The supplement for a single room is 154 GBP per person; alternatively we can arrange a room share for you.

\*SINGLE TRAVELLING LADIES - BOOKINGS NOW ON A WAITING LIST: This is to keep the gender balance in place

## What previous Customers Have Said about this Holiday

"Wow what an amazing time!!!!!!!!!"

"I danced my socks off. And then danced some more!"

"Fabulous choice of classes and workshops with a good balance of time to relax and enjoy the hotel and nearby beach"

"Your tour host deserves a gold medal, she was brilliant. Always around and nothing was to much for her. I don"t know how she does it"

"Hotel and organisation were first class"

## Is this holiday for me?

If you love to travel, dance and make new friends then this is for you. A week offering some really varied activities and some brilliant dancing and discovering a fantastic destination.

We do recommend that you're not a complete beginner to Ceroc to really get the most out of this holiday. Take a few lessons before, get the hand of it all, meet some like-minded Ceroc friends and come and join us.

As well as a schedule of classes and workshops plus afternoon parties and freestyles every night there is time to relax and enjoy the hotel facilities and the local sights.

## Your Destination,

includes sightseeing The Maltese Archipelago lies virtually at the centre of the Mediterranean, 93kms south of Sicily and 288kms north of Africa, Gibraltar is 1,826kms to the West and Tel Aviv is 1,940kms to the East. With near year-round sun, charming villages and resorts, its largely English speaking population and beautiful capital city of Valletta Malta will enchant you.

You'll explore 7,000 years of history yet live passionately in the present. Wherever you go, the Islands' scenery and architecture provide a spectacular backdrop. The colours are striking. Honey-coloured stone against the deepest of Mediterranean blues. Delve into the Islands' mysterious prehistory, retrace the footsteps of St Paul or see where the Knights of St John defended Christendom. Sea and land lend themselves to activities from deep sea diving to gentle rambling. Visit beautiful fishing villages, dramatic cliffs, locations where Oscar-winning blockbusters were filmed or go off the beaten track to ancient villages. One of the advantages of being a small island is that within a few miles you try out an island cruise (hop to the sister islands of Gozo and Comino, tour the most important historic sites or do some great shopping!

## Climate and weather

Weather: Average temperatures in May: 24°C

### Your Accommodation

Paradise Bay - Hotel\*\*\*\* (Half Board) (Included)

The Paradise Bay Resort Hotel is very popular, spacious and comfortable. It is beautifully situated overlooking the picturesque sister islands of Gozo and Comino surrounded by the clear water of the Mediterranean making it an ideal holiday for all ages. The hotel offers practical, well furnished and comfortable accommodation in a very pleasant and friendly atmosphere. The hotel further offers 276 guest bed rooms all with sea view and balconies and some with the southerly facing bay view, the hotel offers the facilities of the various bars, dining areas and, internet Wi Fi (at a charge)as well as the multiple hotel facilities to choose from, we make an ideal base to relax in or venture out from. car hire which is readily available and the public bus services also operates from just outside the hotel allowing access to all areas of the island.

# Classes and Workshops

Dance workshops: Ceroc Blaze offers a full schedule of dance workshops, with at least 2 hours each day. These workshops will not only give you precious time with the top Ceroc teachers in the UK who will entertain you with their humour, personality and excellent teaching technique, but also will give you the opportunity to take different modules including: Styling, Lifts, Drops and Seducers, Dirty Dancing, Fancy Footwork, Close Moves, Stops Breaks and Pauses. This is a unique opportunity to widen your Ceroc repertoire, gain confidence within your dancing and dance as much as you want.

Venue for classes: All the workshops will conveniently take place within the hotel.

We aim for all of our Ceroc events to be gender balanced. We believe that gender balancing is an important feature of Ceroc events as it ensures maximum enjoyment for everyone. Ceroc normally requires a male lead and to create a successful event it is important for both men and women to have equal workshop and freestyle opportunities.

We strive to ensure a successful gender balance by creating appropriate promotions where necessary.

# The Learning Experience

Ceroc Blaze is suitable for dancers of all abilities but we do recommend, for maximum enjoyment, that you have some experience before joining the holiday.

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The Ceroc UK teachers aim is to ensure that everyone gets something out of the classes; even the most advanced dancers will be stretched and will return from the week away with new additions to their repertoire. What's more, the teaching team inject a fantastic sense of fun into all the classes and workshops.

## Daily Itinerary

Sample Itinerary

This is a provisional itinerary aiming to give you an idea of what your holiday will look like. There will be some elements which will change:

#### DAY 1

During the day - Arrive at Malta Airport and transfer to the Hotel

Evening - Overview of the week; Dinner included; Welcome drink and Ceroc Blaze freestyle night

## DAY 2

During the day - Pick and mix Ceroc Blaze dance workshops and/or sunbathing around the hotel pool Late afternoon - Afternoon party

Evening - Dinner included; Ceroc Blaze freestyle night

#### DAY 3

During the day - Pick and mix Ceroc Blaze dance workshops and/or sunbathing around the hotel pool

Lunchtime - free time to relax

Evening - Dinner included; Ceroc Blaze freestyle night

#### DAY 4

Free day to relax, or do an excursion (optional extra)
Evening - Dinner included; Ceroc Blaze Fest freestyle night

## DAY 5

During the day - Pick and mix Ceroc Blaze dance workshops and/or relax

Late afternoon - Afternoon party with games

Evening - Dinner included; Ceroc Blaze freestyle night

#### DAY 6

During the day - Pick and mix Ceroc Blaze dance workshops

#### Afternoon party

Evening - Dinner included; Ceroc Blaze freestyle night

#### DAY 7

During the day - Pick and mix Ceroc Blaze dance workshops

Later afternoon - Afternoon party

Evening - Dinner included; Ceroc Blaze freestyle night. Farewell dance party with showcase by your Ceroc teaching team. FANCY DRESS THEME NIGHT TO BE ANNOUNCED.

#### DAY 8

Check out and transfer to Malta Airport or, if you have a later return flight leave your bags with reception and continue to enjoy the hotel facilities.

## Nightlife

Ceroc Blaze includes 7 fabulous freestyle nights.

In addition to dancing and music from Ceroc UK's top DJs, our freestyle nights include fun competitions, Cabaret and a showcase by the teachers on the last night.

The Ceroc UK team are fantastic party hosts and they will ensure you have some unforgettable nights.

## Your Teachers

Teaching the Ceroc Blaze workshops and dancing with you during freestyle nights will be some of the top names in Ceroc from the UK. The teaching team are chosen not just for their great teaching technique but also for their charisma, sense of humour and fun. Among the teachers will be:

#### **Debbie Attwood**

A renowned figure on the UK Ceroc scene, Debbie began teaching in 2001 as part of a fresh start after the breakdown of a relationship. She fell in love with it and two years later in 2003 opened a Ceroc franchise in her home county of Worcestershire. Debbie is still as passionate about Ceroc today as when she first started and has helped to run our annual Ceroc Med Fest event for the past 7 years.

more teachers to be confirmed

## Food and Meals

Cuisine: Maltese cuisine reflects Maltese history, it shows strong Sicilian and English influences as well as Spanish, French, Maghrebin, Provençal, and other Mediterranean cuisines. Having to import most of its foodstuffs, being positioned along important trade routes, and having to cater for the resident foreign powers who ruled the islands, opened Maltese cuisine to outside influences. The traditional Maltese stewed rabbit (fenek) is often identified as the national dish..

#### Optional Extras

What are optional extras? In addition to your holiday we also offer a variety of optional extras to add some local colour to your holiday. Optional extras can be booked and paid for at the welcome meeting at the beginning of your holiday. We will ask you to pay in cash. Full details and prices will be confirmed on arrival. \*minimum numbers required\*

Single Room Supplements, Upgrades and

Option 1 - Included

Paradise Bay - Hotel\*\*\* Half Board - (06/05/2017 to 13/05/2017 - 7 nights)

Budget Options	Bay View Twin Room (Per Room)	49.00 GBP	
	Bay View Twin Room Single Occ. (Per Room)	203.00 GBP	
	Twin Room (Per Room)	Included	
	Twin Room for Single occupancy (Per Room)	154.00 GBP	
	Extra Nights		
	Bay View Twin Room (Per Room)	144 GBP per night	
	Bay View Twin Room Single Occ. (Per Room)	105 GBP per night	
	Twin Room (Per Room)	134 GBP per night	
	Twin Room for Single occupancy (Per Room)	95 GBP per night	
Flights and Transfers	Flights: This holiday includes flights from GATWICK*. Flights from regional airports are available (supplement applies).		
	We provide transfers from Malta airport (on the standard holiday dates).		
	If you buy your own flight we can offer you a discount of £160 per person.		
Making you own	If you buy your own flight we can offer you a discount of £160 per person.		
way to the hotel for ground only package	We provide shuttle transfers from Malta airport (on the standard holiday dates).		
	If you are arriving on a different day, please make your own way to the hotel.		
What to Expect in terms of	On Arrival: You will receive a detailed itinerary and details of any	will receive a detailed itinerary and details of any optional extras.	
Organisation	Tour Host: Over the week you will have a tour host who will be available to help you with any questions that you may have. They are present from the pickup at the airport until you go home, and also actively participate in the social events. Whilst it should be noted that tour hosts cannot be present at every moment (as they sometimes must prepare other activities for your holiday), their role is to facilitate as much as possible that you have an unforgettable holiday.		
	Overview of the Week and Welcome Drink: At the beginning where your tour host will tell you about all details of your holiday optional extras (see below). Also at the start of the week, Dance	. At the Overview of the Week you can buy your	
	Getting Around: You are responsible for making your own way to the dance classes and meeting points on the itinerary.		
	Free time: We encourage you to explore the local area and make done when you please around the activities and dance classes the on hand for any queries you may have about the local area.		
Before Your Go	Health and Fitness: There are no particular health requirements for a dance holiday. However you should be able to dance for at least two hours a day in order to be able to enjoy the workshop/socials.		
	Insurance, Visa and Passport Requirements: Insurance is a condition of booking. Visas may be required for non EU citizens. British nationals need a full passport to travel to Cyprus.		
	Travel Documents: You receive these 10 days prior to daparture. the hotel and the emergency contact numbers.	We also confirm the address and phone number of	
Essential equipment and clothing to	What to wear for Ceroc workshops and freestyle nights: We sole for the dance classes and the evenings. Your shoes should be		

bring	cotton socks to avoid sweaty and blistered feet! Wear comfortable loose clothing for the classes. We expect the Freestyle Nights to be quite dressy so bring some glam gear with you for the evenings!  Useful Things to Bring: Swimming costume Suntan lotion		
	Beach gear Camera		
Summer clothing for day and light jacket for evenings			
At Your Destination	Banks and Money: The easiest way to buy obtain euros is by using a credit card at the cashpoints. You can buy small amounts, as often as you like, at any time, without queuing. You will need to know your P.I.N. Bank opening hours are normally 9.00 a.m. to 2.00 p.m. Banks will change cash, travellers cheques and will sell you currency on your credit card providing the lines are open. You will always need to show your passport at a bank.  Making friends with the Locals and people not on the holiday: The dance classes and dance evening events in the hotel at night are exclusive to Dance Holidays clients. Generally, we discourage people who are not on the holiday from joining our activities and we ask for your discretion in this respect. By all means, outside of the itinerary, do mix with other holidaymakers staying in the hotel.		