

Lemnos Island, Aegean, Greece

One of the Aegean's best-kept secrets: wild deer roam a Byzantine castle, ancient sand dunes ripple across volcanic land, and the wine here dates back to Homer.

 Tender port (most ships)

 Typical call: 7-9 hrs

 Currency: Euro (€)

 Language: Greek

 Wildlife: Castle deer

🚢 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____

Arrive: _____

All aboard: _____

Excursion: _____

Notes: _____

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Tender for large ships; small vessels may dock at Myrina pier

Best For: Authentic Greek island, beaches, archaeology, local food & wine

Walk to center: 2-5 min from tender dock to Myrina main street

Don't Miss: Wild deer at Myrina Castle and the sand dunes (Ammothines)

🚗 Getting around: 🚗 **Taxi** ✅ €5–€15 in-town; €30–€50+ for island tours

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Myrina Castle & the Wild Deer** — Climb the Byzantine-Venetian fortress perched on a rocky peninsula above the harbor.
 - **Ammothines Sand Dunes** — Known as the 'Sahara of Greece,' these rolling golden dunes surrounded by wild olive trees and thyme are widely...
 - **Poliochni — Europe's Oldest City** — Dating to around 4000 BC, Poliochni is believed to be the oldest organized
- settlement in Europe, predating Troy.

 - **Hephaistia Theater & Cave of Philoctetes** — The ancient city of Hephaistia features a beautifully restored Greek theater.
 - **Beach Day at Plati or Riha Nera** — Plati Beach (10-min taxi) is a premium stretch of fine sand with beach bars and water sports.

BEST WALKS

- **Harbor to Castle Loop** ~2 km | 45-60 min | Moderate (steep climb to castle) — From the tender dock, walk through the harbor area and up to the Myrina Castle.
- **Waterfront Stroll — Tourkikos to Romeikos Gialos** ~1 km | 20 min | Easy (flat) — Walk from the busy fishing harbor (Tourkikos Gialos) with its tavernas along the waterfront, then around the castle promontory to the...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

 **CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)**

	Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr		62°	52°	6d
Jun		79°	68°	4d
Aug		85°	74°	1d
Sep		77°	68°	4d
Oct		68°	61°	5d

 **DAYLIGHT &  MONEY**

Apr 6:42AM–7:57PM · Jun 5:51AM–8:49PM · Aug 6:31AM–8:15PM · Sep 7:01AM–7:28PM · Oct 7:30AM–6:39PM

Currency: Euro (€)

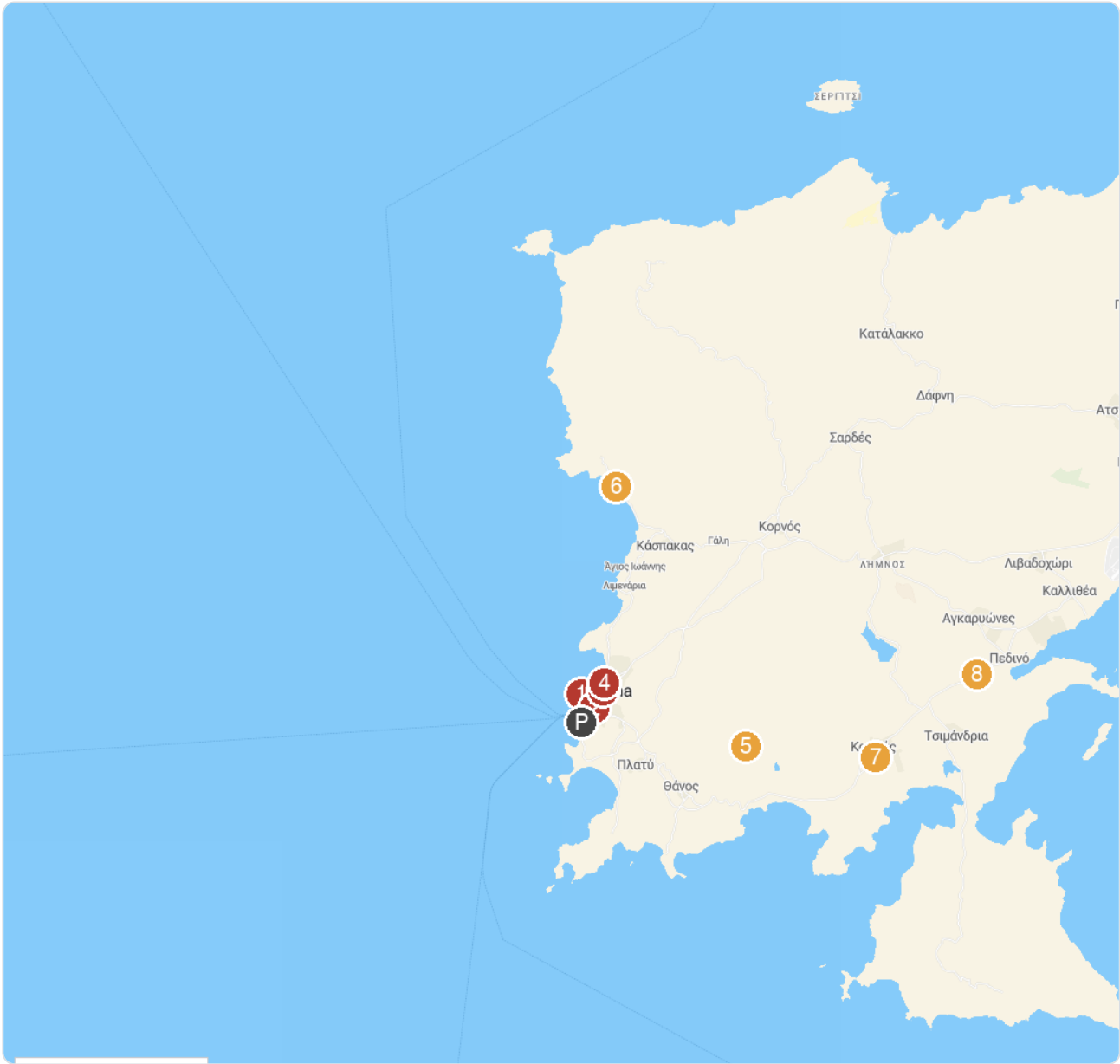
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Plan for tendering. Most large cruise ships anchor and tender ashore. Check your ship's daily program for tender schedules and allow extra time if queues form.

Lemnos Island, Aegean, Greece — Port Map

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Red = walkable sights · Amber = excursions farther out · P = cruise terminal. Numbers match the order you'd typically visit.



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| 1 | Κάστρο Μύρινας | Myrina Castle: A Byzantine fortress offering panoramic views. | 2 | Old Harbor Myrina | Myrina's charming old harbor, perfect for a stroll. |
| 3 | plateia ktel | KTEL Square: Myrina's central bus station square. | 4 | Archeological Museum of Lemnos | Lemnos Archaeological Museum: Ancient artifacts from the island's history. |
| 5 | Panagia Kakaviotissa | A unique chapel built into a cave. | 6 | ΠΑΡΑΛΙΑ ΑΓΙΟΣ ΙΩΑΝΝΗΣ | Agios Ioannis Beach: A beautiful sandy beach for swimming. |
| 7 | Ανεμόμυλοι Αγίου Αθανασίου | Agios Athanasios Windmills: Historic windmills overlooking the village. | 8 | Folklore Museum Portianou | Portianou Folklore Museum: Showcasing traditional island life and culture. |
| P | Cruise port / terminal | | | | |