





[Welcome]

Porto Heli: an enchanting tourist resort on the deep blue shores of the eastern Peloponnese, within easy reach from the island of Spetses with its glorious past. The most popular destination in the region of Argolida, a land of exquisite beauty, studded with unique monuments. A much sought-after retreat, where diverse elements fit perfectly together: tranquility and cosmopolitan life, cultural pursuits and vastly rewarding opportunities for getting away from it all, briefly but unfailingly in style.

There is no wonder why Porto Heli is perfectly suited for meetings, incentive trips, conventions or other events. Yet, nowadays there is another compelling element establishing it as the ideal location for hosting Conferences: the state-of-the-art Porto Heli Conference Centre operated by AKS Hotels.



Porto Heli is a beautiful cosmopolitan tourist resort situated in Argolida. Owing its name to 'Halieis', an ancient city built at the same location, Porto Heli boasts crystal-clear water, pine trees encompassing the bay and dreamlike crimson-shot sunsets creating a setting of unparalleled serenity and beauty. Extended sunshine and a mild climate guarantee an ideal environment year-round.



[Destination]

Visitors will enjoy a leisurely walk through the town, browsing at tourist outlets and admiring remarkable works of pottery and folk art.

Porto Heli is also an ideal starting point for day trips to Argolida's many archaeological sites, including Epidaurus with its magnificent Ancient Theatre and Sanctuary of Asklepios; and Mycenae, featuring imposing Cyclopean Walls, the Lions' Gate, Atreus' legendary "Treasure" and the remains of Agamemnon's Palace. At a short distance from Porto Heli lies neoclassic Nauplion, Greece's first capital, with the towering Palamidi Castle overlooking the city. Also, within easy reach are two islands with a glorious maritime tradition, Spetses and Hydra, favoured today for their distinctive cosmopolitan air. Wine lovers should visit some of the fine traditional wineries in the area, learning from the experienced staff secrets of wine-making.



Located in an attractive and easily accessible area, the AKS Conference Centre is the ideal venue for successful Conferences.

[The AKS Conference Centre]

The AKS Conference Centre boasts a main hall with a seating capacity of 700 guests, numerous utility halls, a spacious exhibition area, state-of-the-art audiovisual equipment, underground parking facilities and comprehensive secretarial services. Aptly complemented by the AKS Porto Heli and AKS Hinita Bay Hotels, which guarantee top-rate accommodation, the AKS Conference Centre is the hub of a pioneering infrastructure network that has radically changed the concept of tourism in the most beautiful part of Greece.



[Conference Centre Plans]

MEZZANINE FLOOR PLAN



GROUND FLOOR PLAN



GROUND FLOOR LAYOUTS & CAPACITIES	AREA m ²	HEIGHT m	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	U-SHAPE	BANQUET	COCKTAIL
GRAND BALLROOM I +II + III	634	5.5	700	400	120	500	850
GRAND BALLROOM I + II	444	5.5	490	280	100	300	600
GRAND BALLROOM II +III	399	5.5	440	250	70	260	550
GRAND BALLROOM I	235	5.5	260	150	50	160	300
GRAND BALLROOM II	209	5.5	230	130	45	140	280
GRAND BALLROOM III	190	5.5	210	120	45	120	250
NIMELLI I + II + III + IV	176	3.6	200	110	70	150	240
NIMELLI I + II +III	123	3.6	135	75	45	100	160
NIMELLI I + II	88	3.6	95	55	35	70	120
NIMELLI II + III	70	3.6	75	40	25	60	90
NIMELLI III + IV	88	3.6	95	55	35	70	120
NIMELLI I	53	3.6	55	30	18		
NIMELLI II	35	3.6	35	18	12		
NIMELLI III	35	3.6	35	18	12		
NIMELLI IV	53	3.6	55	30	18		
SPESESES	33	2.9	35	18	15		
HYDRA	38	3.0	40	24	15		
ARTEMIS	14	2.9	15	9			
ATHENA	17	2.9	18	12			
APHRODITE	17	2.9	18	12			
ARIADNE	14	2.9	15	9			
ERMIONI	36	2.9	40	24	15		
PHAEDRA	25	2.9	28	15			
EXHIBITION AREA I	800	6.7 (2.9)					

MEZZANINE FLOOR LAYOUTS & CAPACITIES	AREA m ²	HEIGHT m	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	U-SHAPE
DANAE	22	2.8	24	15	
NEFELI	18	2.8	20	12	
HERA	42	2.9	45	27	15
EXHIBITION AREA II	400	2.8			

LOWER FLOOR

For the Meeting Organizers:

- Three support rooms, 20m² each
- Dedicated storage space 170 m²
- 170 parking spaces





The recently renovated four-star luxury complex of the AKS Hotel Group in Porto Heli complement ideally the operation of the AKS Conference Centre, providing participants with top-rate accommodation.

[Accommodation]

AKS Porto Heli: Surrounded by extensive gardens, the hotel is fully operational year-round. It comprises 10 suites and 204 rooms - most of them with a view to the sea.

AKS Hinitsa Bay: The hotel comprises 10 suites and 206 rooms with lovely views to the sea and the countryside, as well as rooms designed for individuals with special needs.

A wealth of services at both hotels offers guests ample opportunities to enjoy themselves and unwind: a wide range of water sports at the hotel's beautiful sandy beaches and swimming pools, a gym, tennis courts, beach-volley facilities, table tennis and billiard tables, playgrounds and mini-club supervised by a qualified instructor, bridge and TV hall, Internet access point, hairdresser's, jeweler's, mini-market, clothes shop, car rental service and Room Service on call from 07:30 a.m. to midnight. In addition, the hotels feature spacious Conference Halls suitable for conferences, receptions and other occasions.





The exemplary hospitality extended by the hotels of the AKS Group is paired by exquisite gastronomic experiences.

[Fine Dining]

Within the premises of the AKS Porto Heli Hotel operate three excellent restaurants, offering top-of-the-hill "food with a view": Mycenae; the gourmet à la carte Alias restaurant; and Aeolos. Its two attractive bars are ideal to unwind and enjoy a good get-together: the Electra Bar and a Beach Bar, both overlooking the sea.

Likewise, the AKS Hinita Bay Hotel takes pride in its three superb restaurants: Zephyros, Sirocco Restaurant and the gourmet à la carte The Sunset Terrace, which operates in July and August. The AKS Hinita Bay also features two bars: the Arcadia Bar and a Beach Bar - ideal to enjoy your drink to the sound of the waves gently rippling at your feet.

Both hotels often organize unforgettable theme evenings, such as seafood feasts, barbecues, wine festivals, Greek nights, beach parties and parties by the pool - moments to be remembered for a long time to come. Also, the Conference Centre, with its autonomous kitchen facilities, fully supports all events offering first-class cuisine and service.





[History]

AKS's staggering climb to success in the challenging field of tourism began in 1998, following the acquisition of "Porto Heli", a four-star hotel with 400-bed capacity, situated in a prized location at Argolida's stunningly beautiful tourist resort by the same name.

Year after year, the company built its way to success, following carefully planned and decisive steps. In 1999, AKS came into possession of Minoa Palace, a four-star hotel with 365-bed capacity, located in Amnissos, near Heraklion, on Crete. In 2000, the company proceeded to yet another investment in Porto Heli, taking over Hinita Bay, a four-star hotel with 450-bed capacity, on the road to Kosta. AKS made its next strategic move in 2001, with the addition of Annabelle Village, a five-star hotel with an impressive 530-bed capacity, in the area of Hersonissos, one of the most developed tourist sites on the island of Crete.

The company's excellent performance coupled with its diverse experience have led to an impressive opening in Conference Tourism, that was appropriately sealed in September 2005, when construction of the independent AKS Conference Centre was brought to completion - once again in Porto Heli, Argolida. And AKS press on with their fascinating journey to enterprising and success...



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