

## GULET ANDEO (ANGEL)

### CREW PROFILE



#### **Captain/Owner Niksa Gluncic (33)**

After gymnasium high school in Dubrovnik, graduated at American College of Management and Technology. Sailing licenses completed in Dubrovnik till the age of 22. For the past 8 years captain on gulet Andeo.

Since childhood working on his family ship with his grandfather and later with his father, it is family tradition for last 85 years. Now the family Gluncic owns two cruising vessels: gulet Andeo and cruising ship Bijela Vila.

Niksa is truly a person that was born for this business, as he lives with his boat. Actually, Andeo would be the only yacht in Croatia that is not for sale – even Niksa receives tempting offers. Andeo is Niksa's life and that can be seen in every detail on the boat.

If you ask Croatians do they know gulet Andeo, many will tell "No, never seen it". But if you tell them "the shiny gulet" – everybody will say – "Yes, of course, the one from Dubrovnik".

The boat is in pristine condition, beautifully varnished and polished, and Niksa's only concern during the winter is what he can improve on Andeo. Niksa is very kind, friendly and cheerful person, with excellent training and experience in hospitality.

Languages: Croatian, English and Italian.

### **Chef Vedran Basic (37)**

Completed private Chef school in Split. Languages: Croatian and English. 4 years working on gulet Andeo and before working as a chef on luxury yachts 30 meters plus.

Very difficult to fairly describe Vedran's cuisine. He is simply fantastic chef. Vedran specialized Mediterranean cuisine, with accent on fresh, local ingredients. Vedran will, according to your preference prepare very elaborated menus that you will keep in memory for a long time.

### **Deckhand Petar Laus (29)**

Before joining Andeo, Petar worked as deckhand on big cargo and passenger ships. With Captain Niksa's tough training and high expectations only the best can cope, and Petar is working on Andeo for past 6 years.

Languages: Croatian and English.

### **TESTIMONIALS:**

#### **Katey travelled on the gulet Andjeo in August 2011 from Dubrovnik to Split.**

*We had a fabulous trip, thank you. Captain Niksa and his crew went out of their way to ensure that our holiday was as good as it could be. They were especially helpful and relaxed with the 6 children that we had on board and were always willing to accommodate any requests. The food on board was outstanding and our delicious lunches were a particular highlight.*

*The boat was beautiful and has been maintained in perfect condition. We loved all the places that we visited and are so happy that we got to experience the beauty of Croatia for ourselves.*

*Thank you for helping us organize this trip. It definitely exceeded our expectations.*

*Best wishes,*

*Katey*

#### **Mr Wilkinson travelled on the gulet Andjeo in July 2010.**

*We spent last week onboard the Andjeo. It was excellent in every way: probably the most beautiful yacht in the Adriatic, certainly the most immaculate, and very well-appointed and comfortable; Niksa Gluncic is, to my experienced Naval eye, an outstanding and notably resourceful and energetic seaman and a respected Captain and leader; he and his smart and hardworking crew of Tony and Peter were invariably courteous, obliging, charming and cheerful; the food was delicious and our various foibles all catered for; we were very lucky with the weather, but even so our programme was arranged to perfection; it was an especially relaxing and interesting cruise down the lovely islands from Split to Dubrovnik. Our congratulations and thanks to all concerned.*