

## **Bodrum Ancient Theatre Visiting Hours**

1 April-1 October

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday Closed 8.30 8.30 8.30 8.30 19.00 19.00 19.00 19.00 19.00 19.00

**Box Office Closing: 18.30** 

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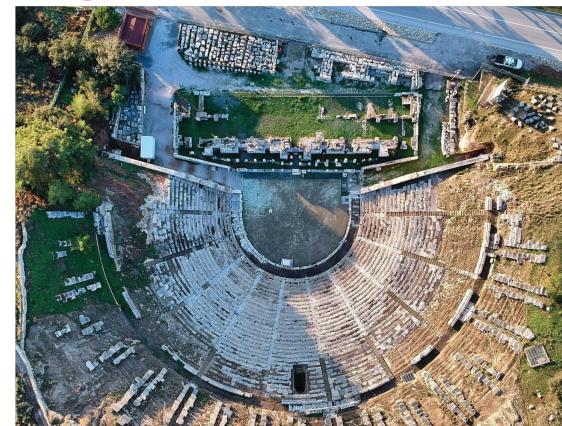


## **Bodrum Ancient** Theatre

One of the Earliest Theatres in the World









Theatre was reorganized in 2002 and opened to visitors with a capacity of approximately 3100 people. During the excavation and cleaning work carried out by Bodrum Underwater Archaeology Museum in 2016, tunnels and chambers carved into the soft bedrock behind the sitting steps discovered. Bodrum Antique Theatre is still the home of various important artistic and cultural activities as it did before in the Antique Era. The distinguished representatives of the culture and art world meets with art appreciators in about 30 different events held each year in this special and historical place.



It is a sublime building located in the overlooking the vista on the southern slope of Göktepe, which was used as a necropolis on the north of the ancient city of Halicarnassus. It shows all the characteristics of theatres before the Roman Imperial Age. Bodrum Antique Theatre, which dates back to the 4th Century BC, is one of the oldest stone theatres. The theatre consists of three parts: cavea (seats), orchestra (it was located in the middle of the theater and built langer than half circle) and the stage. (it was located in the southern part of the theater and built to cover the open part of the horseshoe-shaped seating area) It is thought to have a capacity of about 10,000 people. The subsection has survived to the present day.

