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With our excursions and underwater dives, you'll discover extraordinary landscapes, the wonders of the ocean, and the historical and cultural treasures of the South Pacific. The luxury of cruising on *Le Paul Gauguin* means exploring each destination in the most authentic way possible. Our excursions and diving trips are organized with this in mind.

At the end of this notebook (p. 106-107), you can find out all about our diving courses, from baptism diving to various certifications.

Excursions

Our excursions are classified by stopovers. The descriptions and prices are presented to you for informational purposes only, and may be modified without notice. Excursions can be pre-booked on our Yachting cruises approximately 2 months prior to cruise departure. You have the option of pre-booking one excursion per day or half-day of a stopover up to 7 days before cruise departure. On board PONANT ships, if your cruise is eligible, you'll be notified by email so you can contact us for pre-booking.

Your excursion selection will be billed on board, with your excursion tickets delivered directly to the cabin. You can cancel your pre-booking up to 48 hours before the excursion departs.





Tahiti & the Society Islands

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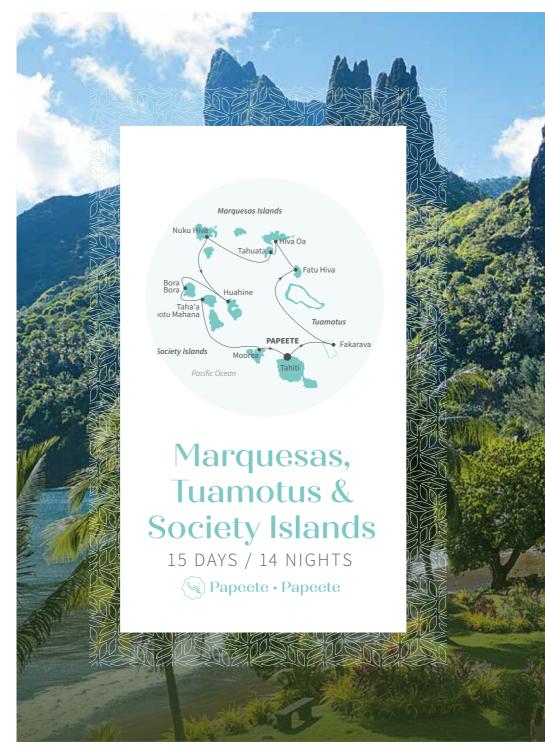


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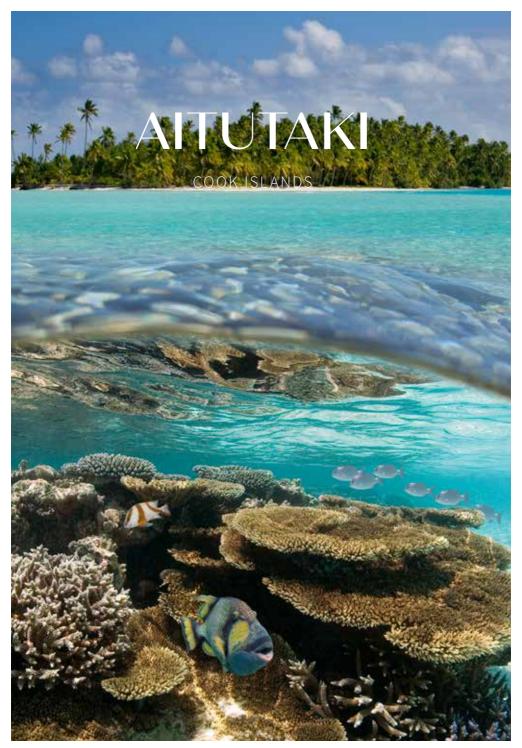
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AITUTAKI DISCOVERY SAFARI © © © CKAIT50 • 3h30



During this tour, you will visit ancient sacred grounds, or marae, such as **Are Mango**, where ancient rituals and sacrifices were performed, and learn how ancient Polynesian warriors defended their island with the help of supernatural beings. Depart from the pier and head toward the coastal village of **Nikaupara**. Stop briefly at **Vainamu**, a freshwater pond once used as a gathering place by the young people of the island. Continue along to the inland village of Tautu, stopping at the ancient temple grounds of **Are Mango** and the **Poatu o Rae** - the ancient throne of Rae, reputed to have been the strongest man on Aitutaki. Your guide will tell of his legends, such as tales of how warriors of old voyaged long distances to experience the music and drums of the Are Karioi - the House of Entertainment where the «Yuppies» of Polynesian gathered for what was reported a marathon of dancing and courtship. After a short ride through plantations, your tour will head toward the top of Mount Piraki where you will see some of the best views of the coastal village of Amuri and Arutanga. There, you will also view the remains of a World War II bunker built by the Americans during their time on the island. From Piraki, you will head to the highest peak on the island, Maunga Pu. The ride to the very top is exhilarating, and the view that awaits you there is breathtaking: a panoramic view of the island and its magnificent lagoon. This tour is more than just a means of reaching the top of Aitutaki's highest mountain without hard work, however. It is an opportunity to get to some of Aitutaki's best kept secret spots. Even for locals living on Aitutaki, places like the Poatu o Rae (the rock of Rae) and the Marae Are Mango (the house of Sharks) are places they hear about but never actually visit. Yet, they are the places that molded what Aitutaki is today. Following your tour, you will be transferred back to the pier.

Some sites are difficult to get to but well worth the effort. Guests are requested to wear comfortable walking shoes, protection from the sun and to bring insect repellent.

CIRCLE ISLAND TOUR SS CKAIT51 • 2h30

From the pier, your around-the-island drive will take you past several of the island's villages. You will visit a marae (sacred Polynesian temple grounds) site. Pass through plantations of various crops grown here on Aitutaki. Learn about the island's myths and legends while taking in its beautiful scenery. Aitutaki has a unique geographical make-up - the island is a volcanic atoll with the typical volcanic peaks in the center of the island with the encircling coral reef ringed by the offshore islands (motus) and the lagoon in the center. The Circle Island Tour is a great way to see the island and meet the locals. Visit the inland villages of Tautu Vaipae and Vaipeka, drive along the coast and see the remnants of the Copra Production Facility, and see how the people of this tiny idyllic island live. There will be plenty of opportunities to meet the locals and take photographs along the way. Finally, you will get back to the pier.



LAGOON CRUISE WITH BEACH BREAK ©©©© CKAIT52 • 6h

Aitutaki's deep blue lagoon is considered to be one of the most beautiful lagoons in the world. Part volcanic and part atoll, the island's geographical structure makes this lagoon unique. This tour will give you the opportunity to experience the best Aitutaki has to offer in the short time available during your visit. You will board your boat (types and sizes vary) and cruise through the lagoon, visiting offshore motus. At One Foot Island, you will stop for a lunch of barbecued fish, salads, and fresh fruit. After lunch, enjoy approximately 2 hours to relax or snorkel.

We recommend you wear your swimsuit under a cover up and reef shoes, protect yourself from the sun, and bring snorkeling equipment and a towel from the ship. This boat tour involves a wet landing. There is a cash bar on the island for those who wish to purchase beverages. Guests wishing to obtain a One Foot Island stamp should bring their passports with them. There is a fee of USD \$2 for the stamp.

SNORKELLING TOUR © CKAIT53 • 2h

You will board small boats each seating 10 guests and travel to **Motu Maina** where you can snorkel and those that wish would have the option of visiting the motu. It takes approximately 15 minutes to travel each way, as the boats are very fast. This area has beautiful giant clams and is a marine reserve and is a nesting area of the red-tailed tropic birds. You will return to your ship at the end of the visit.

We recommend you wear your swimsuit under a cover up, sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses and bring fins, snorkels, and towels from the ship. You should also wear reef shoes for swimming. This tour involves a wet landing. There are no rest room stops on this tour.



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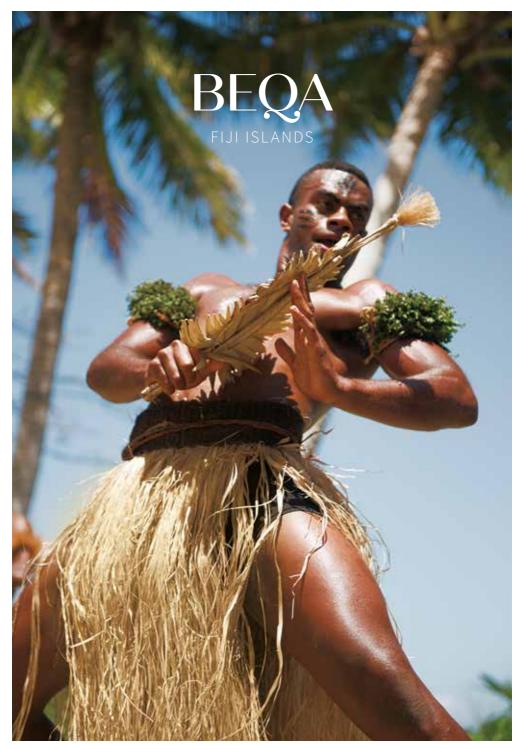


ATUONA TO TAAOA SSS PFAUQ50 • 3h30

Discover the **ancient tribes of the Taaoa Valley** during this memorable journey to their archaeological ruins. Depart the pier for the ride to Taaoa, located approximately 7 miles southwest of Atuona on the coastal road. The Tiu, ancestors of most of the Hivaoan tribes, and several other tribes once lived in the Taaoa Valley. Their archaeological ruins can be reached by off-road vehicle or on foot. During your ride, you will visit the **Upeke Ceremonial Centre**, which comprises house platforms, a tohua (tribal ceremonial center), public and sacred marae (archaeological ruins), and storage pits of breadfruit paste for feasts. The tohua was restored for the Third Festival of the Marquesas in 1991. The remaining area is in the same state in which archaeologist Ralph Linton found it in 1920. Among the objects you might see is a tiki measuring 4 feet by 5 feet, with the eyes, part of the right arm, and the right ear carved in bas relief. According to Linton, this stone was an altar stone on which sacrificed victims were placed after being killed at the tohua and carried up to the marae. Directly below the platform is an irregular round head carved from a porous black volcanic stone (which may have been moved from its original position). On another platform in the tohua section, you can see a row of worked ke'et us tone slabs. One of them has some carved lines; the design is very difficult to see in sunlight. Locals say it is a whale or canoe, but it is actually a tiki face carved in bas relief. Following your visit, you will re-board your off-road vehicle for the return ride to the pier.

Les routes empruntées pour cette excursions sont assez cahoteuses et l'accès au site se fait par un sentier de pierres glissantes et de hautes marches. Cette excursion est déconseillée aux personnes souffrant de problèmes de dos ou de nuque. Chaque véhicule peut transporter quatre passagers. Ceux qui voyagent en famille ou entre amis sont invités à contacter le bureau des excursions afin d'être dans le même véhicule. Les chauffeurs n'étant pas des guides, nous vous remercions de votre patience et votre compréhension.







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FJBEQ50 CULTURAL VILLAGE & FIREWALKING SHOW

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CULTURAL VILLAGE & FIREWALKING SHOW SSS FJBEQ50 • 3h30

Legend has it that over 500 years ago the men of Beqa Island were given the gift of being able to walk on fire by an eel in exchange for its life. Today, the descendants of these warriors carry on the tradition, observing the same strict rules of tabu as the ancestors. Men are chosen as representatives from different villages. Ten days prior to the ceremony, they segregate themselves from females and are not allowed to eat coconut. The fire pit is dug out 12 to 15 feet in diameter and 3 to 4 feet deep. Large river stones are then collected and placed in the pit, filling it up. Six to eight hours before the ceremony a log fire is built over the top of the stones, heating them up. The Fire walkers are led to the arena accompanied by dances and chants. Leaves and vines are grazed across the stones to prepare the pit. The men then proceed to walk across the stones in a few different phases. Finally, a bundle of grass is thrown onto the pit and the group huddles in the centre while chanting a song. Bands around the ankle of each participant, which are made of tree ferns that do not burn, are thrown into the pit. The pit is finally covered with earth, and days later, the ankle bands are recovered and ground up, mixed with water, and eaten by the Fire walkers.

A tender boat will transfer you from the ship to the beach on Beqa Island. From the beach landing area, you will walk approximately 20-25 minutes to the village along an uneven, rough dirt path. Upon your arrival in the village, you will be **greeted and welcomed by the fearsome Fijlan warriors in traditional costumes.** Villagers serenade and escort you to the village green where a **traditional kava ceremony** will take place. You will then be seated in a covered area to watch **the ceremony and the Meke**, a special dance performed by the dancers normally only for their Paramount Chief. **The highlight of the village visit is the Fire walking!** After all the excitement, you will walk back to the beach for your transfer back to the ship.

It is mandatory for guests to wear long pants and long-sleeve shirts. No guest will be allowed on the tour without covered arms and legs. Not suitable for guests with mobility and walking difficulties.

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A DAY AT THE BEACH SSS PFBOB50•6h



An eco-friendly jewel in the South Pacific, the **Intercontinental Bora Bora Resort and Thalasso Spa** is located between the «two hearts» of Motu Pita Aau, a coral island on the barrier reef. Enjoy a day pool side or at the beach, swimming in the pristine azure lagoons. Complimentary use of paddle board, windsurf, kayak, snorkeling equipment, and outrigger is included. Guests will transfer via taxi from Vaitape to the Intercontinental Le Moana and shuttle transfer to the Intercontinental Bora Bora Resort and Thalasso Spa. Your excursion also includes a two-course lunch (a main course plus either appetizer or dessert), served at the pool side restaurant. Beverages, spa treatments, and certain activities can be purchased at the resort at an additional cost.

AQUABIKE ADVENTURE SSS PFB0B51 • 2h

Explore the underwater wonders of Bora Bora's picturesque lagoon during a 30-minute ride on the Aquabike underwater scooter. Depart the pier in Bora Bora via motorboat for the brief transfer to the hydraulic scooter platform. Upon arrival, you will meet your dive instructor/guide, who will brief you on the scooter, equipment, and safety procedures. Operating the scooter is very simple; riders need only to step onto the scooter and steer it using a small wheel. The Aquabike underwater scooter is equipped with dive tanks, providing a continuous airflow, so your head stays completely dry. After descending to a shallow depth of 10 feet (3 meters) maximum, your 30-minute underwater exploration will begin. Your dive instructor will guide you in the water and throughout the tour to help ensure a smooth and easy underwater ride.



This tour is priced is per-scooter. Each scooter will accommodate two average-sized adults; when requesting this tour online or via telephone, please request only one ticket. Wear a swimsuit under a cover-up, and bring sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses, and a towel from the ship as well as your snorkel gear. This tour is recommended for guests in good physical condition. Pregnant women and guests with neck or back problems, asthma, heart or respiratory conditions, claustrophobia, or limited mobility, and guests who utilize a wheelchair will not be permitted on this tour. Participants must be at least eight years old and four feet tall to participate in this tour. The minimum age to drive a scooter is 16 years old. Guests will be required to sign a liability waiver to participate in this excursion. Guests who wish to use a wet suit will be outfitted during the transfer to the hydraulic platform on board the motorbact.

LAGOON CRUISE & POLYNESIAN FEAST ©©©© PFB0B52 • 5h

Lagoon tour of Bora Bora in a traditional outrigger canoe (motorized), with ukulele animation and narration on culture, history and nature of Bora Bora. The lagoon tour includes three stops. The first one is for **snorkeling in a coral garden**, where visitors can discover many different colorful fish, corals, and many other inhabitants of a wonderful natural ecosystem. The guide accompanies the visitors in the water. The second stop is the visit of the stingrays in shallow water. These rays are tamed since more than 20 years. The approach is gentle and respectful, keeping in mind preservation of nature. The last stop is on the ocean side, for the observation of black tip reef sharks. After the morning of snorkeling, Polynesian feast is served on a private island (motu). Lunch is cooked in a traditional earth oven made with volcanic rocks, and covered by banana leaves. The guests watch the opening of the oven, and listen to the explanations of the guide. The table is set in the lagoon, with an umbrella to protect guests from the sun. On the menu: suckling pig, chicken with local spinach, manioc, plantain bananas, bread fruit, raw fish salad with coconut milk, and finally a traditional dessert made with bananas and vanilla, as well as fresh tropical fruits. Alternatively, the Polynesian lunch can be replaced by a BBQ: fish, chicken, spiny lobster (subject to availability), Polynesian



vegetables, raw fish salad with coconut milk, tropical fruits. The lunch comes with a good bottle of Moët and Chandon champagne, or red/white wine depending on the guests' preference.

For great memories, the underwater camera is recommended. Please wear a swimsuit under a cover-up with reef shoes, sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses and bring a towel and your snorkel equipment from the ship.

LAGOON EXCURSION WITH MAOHI NUI SOS PFB0B53+3h



For great memories, the underwater camera is recommended. Please wear a swimsuit under a cover-up with reef shoes, sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses and bring a towel and your snorkel equipment from the ship.

Lagoon tour of Bora Bora in a traditional outrigger canoe (motorized), with ukulele animation and narration on culture, history and nature of Bora Bora. Leaves and flowers decorate the canoe and protect the visitors from the sun. In case of rain, raincoats are also at one's disposal. To enhance comfort, cushions cover the wooden seats. The guides have a long and rich experience as boat captains, guides and musicians. The lagoon tour includes three stops. The first one is for snorkeling in a coral garden, where visitors can discover many different colorful fish, corals, and many other inhabitants of a wonderful natural ecosystem. The guide accompanies the visitors in the water. The second stop is the visit of the stingrays in shallow water. These rays are tamed since more than 20 years. The approach is gentle and respectful, keeping in mind preservation of nature. The last stop is on the ocean side, for the observation of black tip reef sharks.

CIRCLE ISLAND BY WAVERUNNER SSS PFB0B54 • 2h30 • 2 person jetski



Experience the unparalleled beauty of **Bora Bora's lagoon** in a fun-filled new way during this scenic and exciting wave runner excursion around the island. Depart the pier for the brief transfer via Le Truck to the wave runner launching point. Upon arrival, your guide will provide you with your safety and wave runner instructions, then lead you on a **one-hour journey** to the lagoon's most remote and idyllic spots. En route, your guide will select the best location to stop for a **swim or explore** a motu. (Stops may vary due to the wave runner launching point, you will re-board for the return ride to the pier.

Operation of this tour is dependent upon weather and water conditions. This tour is priced per-wave runner, which will accommodate two average-sized adults. When requesting online, please request only one ticket. Participants must wear the life-jacket provided, remain in line, and follow thirty yards behind the wave runner in front of them. The minimum age to participate in this tour is 16 years to drive, 14 years riding with an adult. Guests are encouraged to wear a swimsuit under a cover-up, sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses, shoes you do not mind getting wet, and a towel from the ship. Each wave runner has a small storage compartment. Maximum weight per 500 lbs, per wave runner.

LAGOONARIUM – OPEN-AIR AQUARIUM SNORKELLING EXPERIENCE **SS** PFB0B55 • 3h30

Experience Bora Bora's fascinating marine life from up-close during this unique snorkeling safari in an open-air aquarium. Depart the pier in Vaitape aboard an outrigger canoe for a scenic ride that circumnavigates the Bora Bora lagoon (weather permitting). You will then continue on to the Lagoonarium, which offers an abundance of marine life and a beach with a beautiful view of the island. Upon arrival, enjoy an opportunity to swim in separate enclosed areas. During your visit, you will also participate in up-close encounters with marine life, including sharks, rays, jack fish, turtles, parrot fish, and more. Snorkeling begins from the beach in shallow water ranging in depth from 3-10 feet and is suitable for beginners and experienced snorkelers. Your local guides will show you how to carefully approach the marine life during this incredible underwater experience. After your time in the water, you will be served fresh fruit and spend some time relaxing on the beach before heading back to the pier.



Because the outrigger canoes are uncovered, the ride can be extremely sunny or wet from spray or rain. At times transfer is by car and boat. Guests exiting the canoe must use the ladder or the south side and walk in shallow water back to the beach. A small souvenir shop is available on the island, and all purchases are cash only; U.S. dollars or Pacific Francs are accepted here. Changing facilities, a sitting area and basic rest room are also available. Wear reef shoes and a swimsuit under a cover-up, and bring sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses, and a towel from the ship. This tour is recommended for quests in good physical condition.



BY HELICOPTER: FLIGHTSEEING BORA BORA AND TUPAI (30 MINUTES FLIGHT) ISSO

Experience Bora Bora's Island exquisite topography from a unique perspective during this picturesque flight seeing tour. Depart the pier for the brief transfer to the helipad. After boarding your helicopter, you will take off for a **30-minute flight seeing tour over Bora Bora**, the Pearl of the Pacific. You will then head towards north and enjoy a bird's eye view over the famous heart-shaped island, Tupai. Along the way, you can use the headphones to listen to your pilot's commentary as he points out the sights below. Your bird's-eye view of Bora Bora will include spectacular views and photo opportunities of the world's most beautiful lagoon and reefs, along with manta rays and sharks, an adventure some call Heli-snorkeling. You will then circle Mount Otemanu, Bora Bora's highest peak. After you flight you will get back to the pier.

This tour is subject to cancellation with little or no notice due to operational reasons from the operator. A minimum of four guests per flight is required (Private flights for 2&3 passengers can be arranged at a supplement). The helicopter is air-cooled. Due to safety, weight limitations and balance, the pilot will perform seat assignments. Not suitable for scuba divers after dives. Transfers for two flights may be organized at the same time, in which case a waiting time is to be expected.

BORA BORA ISLAND TOUR BY «LE TRUCK» ©© PFB0B58 • 2h30

Explore the island paradise of Bora Bora during this scenic orientation tour via Le truck. For a long time, this picturesque mode of transport has been the emblematic means of transport in Polynesia, especially on the Society Islands. Depart the pier aboard a Le truck. First, you will drive through the district of Fa'anui. Along the way, you will pass by small villages and fields that offer a glimpse into the everyday life of the people of Bora Bora. A brief stop will be made at Fa'anui Bay for photographs of Mounts Otemanu and Pahia. Your drive will continue on to the ancient ceremonial site of Fa'anui Marae, followed by a look at the bunkers constructed by American GIs during WWII. Next, a stop will be made at Mama Edna's to sample such local delicacies as breadfruit, poe mixed with coconut milk (not marinated), taro and tropical fruit. You will also have an opportunity to buy some local, hand-painted pareos. From a lookout point, you will see Mount Otemanu, Bora Bora's highest peak, which stands



as a silent sentinel over the Pearl of the Pacific. You will then pass by Bora Bora's Club Med Village before reaching sandy Matira Beach. A stop will be made here to take in splendid vistas and photo opportunities before driving back to Vaitape.

Finally, you will get back to the pier.

Le truck is an open-air vehicle resembling a windowless bus. Be prepared for a bumpy ride during part of this island tour.

BORA BORA OFF-ROAD ADVENTURE **©SSS** PFB0B59 • 3h30



Embrace Bora Bora's pristine natural beauty in an exhilarating new way during this exciting off-road adventure along the road less travelled. Depart the pier with your driver for an off-road excursion to places only accessible via Land Rover. Your driver will navigate the steep terrain and introduce you to the plants, trees, and lifestyles of Bora Bora. You will drive through the small town of Vaitape on the shore of Pofai Bay, then ascend Pahonu Hill. Here, vou will find expansive views of Bora Bora's natural harbor and Matira Beach. You will then continue on for a second ascent, more off-road adventure, and a visit to the cannons still standing in their original World War II locations. Next, you will travel along Bora Bora's north shore for a visit to the lush valley of Fa'anui. Your journey will conclude with spectacular views and photo opportunities of Fa'anui Bay from a traditional plantation high up in the mountains. Afterwards, you will be returned to the pier.

As this tour involves rough off-road driving and steep ascents and descents, guests with back and/or neck problems and guests with limited mobility are discouraged from participating. The order of stops may vary. Price is per person.

PURE SNORKELLING WITH REEF DISCOVERY © S PFB0B61 • 3h30

The excursion will stop at least three times (depending on the sea conditions, visibility and timing), at different points of the island to **snorkel** in the most preserved coral gardens of the lagoon. You will have an opportunity to see a rich variety of fishes and beautiful coral formations as well as the amazing Manta and Eagle rays. Please note that, sighting of the wild life is not guaranteed. The expert team of naturalist guides snorkel with the guests to show them the fauna and help those who are not confident in the water, explaining during the tour the reef and island's formation and interesting facts about **BoraBora**.

Life vests and snorkeling equipment, mineral water, soft drinks, local juices and beach towels are provided by the operator.





GLASS-BOTTOM BOAT SS PFB0B62 • 1h30

Discover Bora Bora's remarkable undersea beauty without getting wet during this glass-bottom boat adventure on Bora Bora's famous lagoon. Depart the pier in Vaitape aboard a glass-bottom boat to explore Bora Bora's world-famous marine life. Along the way, you will look through large glass windows that open onto a colorful world of parrotfish, butterflv fish, and an abundance of other inhabitants that thrive in the waters of this tropical paradise. A roof will provide you with protection from the sun and eliminate glare, enabling you to take home great photos of your visit. As you journey out across this fabulous lagoon, your guide will inform you about the teeming marine life beneath your feet, as well as the visually-stunning ecosystem that exists above the waterline. These interesting facts will make each discovery all the more interesting and enhance your appreciation of Bora Bora's natural beauty. Before heading back to the pier, a crew member will dive under the boat to attract schools of fish for your viewing by feeding them right under the glass.

AQUASAFARI - UNDERWATER WALK SSS PFB0B63 • 2h

Discover why Bora Bora's spectacular lagoon is considered to be among the most beautiful in the world during this unique underwater adventure. Depart the pier for the brief water-taxi ride to your comfortable motorized dive boat. After embarking the dive boat, your certified diving instructor will explain your safety and diving instructions and help you put on your helmet. Your head will remain dry inside the helmet; you can even wear your glasses as you freely maneuverer about in total security just a few feet below the surface. You will then descend the ladder into the crystal-clear water and commence your 30-minute underwater adventure. As you walk along the sandy bottom past exotic coral formations, you will see an abundance of iridescently colored tropical fish that are gentle enough to feed by hand. Plastic shoes, wet suits, masks, and snorkels will also be available, as there will be time for snorkeling while the other guests take their underwater walk. No swimming or diving experience is required. At the conclusion of your tour, you will return directly to the pier via water taxi.



No swimming or diving experience is required. The helmet, while heavy, is placed on your head as you enter the water and taken off as you exit. You will remain connected to the boat's air supply via an air hose. This tour is not recommended for guests with back and/or neck problems; guests with asthma, heart, and respiratory problems; or guests with limited mobility. Guests will be required to sign a waiver in order to participate on this tour. Minimum age requirement to participate in this excursion is 6 years.

BLUE LAGOON ESCAPADE **SSS** PFB0B64 • 4h • 4 person boat

Experience the very best of **Bora Bora's lagoon** during this scenic and memorable **private boat tour**. Depart the pier on board the sporty 23-foot Jeanneu, 715WA motorized boat. Ride around the island and stop to observe a stingray ballet. Snorkel in the majestic coral gardens. Visit the reef sharks, manta rays and much more. At the conclusion of your cruise, you will be transferred back to the pier.

The tour cost is per boat, which can accommodate up to four guests. Select only one ticket. Wear your swimsuit under a cover up with aqua socks or similar, and bring sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses and a towel plus your snorkel gear from the ship. The boat has a sun top. This tour is recommended for guests in good physical condition. Alcoholic beverages will be served only after water activities are completed. This is not catamaran sail.



SHARKS & STINGRAYS ENCOUNTER **© 9** PFB0B65 • 3h

Explore the exquisite beauty and undersea denizens of Bora Bora's lagoon during this stingray ballet and snorkeling safari aboard a covered snorkeling boat. Depart the pier aboard the snorkeling boat for a cruise by the ancient crater rim of Motu Toopua, then past Motu Tapu. You will then drop anchor on a shallow sandbank to discover the elegant, yet harmless stingrays. Watch in amazement as your guide handfeeds the stingrays as they glide effortlessly around you. If you are willing, your guide will even help you get close enough to touch them. Next, you will continue on for a visit to a pristine coral garden. Upon arrival, you will receive your safety and diving instructions, then have an opportunity to snorkel in depths ranging from 4 to 5 feet. Along the way, admire an abundance of tropical and multi-colored fish, including parrotfish and butterfly fish. At the conclusion of your snorkeling session, you will be transferred back to the pier.



Guests should be comfortable in deep water and wearing snorkeling equipment. Although marine life sightings are frequent, they cannot be guaranteed. This tour is recommended for guests in good physical condition. Guests are encouraged to wear a swimsuit under a cover up, aqua socks or similar, and sunscreen, and bring a hat, sunglasses, and a towel from the ship. Masks, snorkels, and personal buoyancy aid (P.B.A./snorkeling vests) must be brought from the ship.

ATV ADVENTURE IN BORA BORA SSS PFB0B66 • 2h • 2 person ATV



These modern state of the art ATVs will surprise you with their ease of use and ability to conquer any obstacles and still providing you with an exhilarating and comfortable ride. During this guided tour you will ride along the scenic coastal road of mainland of Bora Bora, but the excitement is found during the off-road drive through the tropical forests and jungle of Bora Bora up and down steep paths and trails leading to the lookout points. The spectacular scenic stops across the lagoon and the neighboring islands of Taha'a, Raiatea and Huahine give you breathtaking views and photo opportunities. The route will be adjusted and tailor-made according to the level and abilities of the participants, and generally 2 or 3 view stops are included (these may be: Anau Canon, Povai Antenna, Povai Bay Bunker and Faanui Vallev).

For insurance purposes, each driving participant must present a valid driver's license and be at least 18 years of age. The minimum age to ride as a passenger on this tour is 8 years old. Maximum weight limit per vehicle is 500 pounds. Protective helmets will be provided, and must be worn throughout the riding portion of this tour. There is no storage compartment; guests are encouraged to keep cameras and personal belongings in a backpack. Please wear comfortable clothes, long pants preferably, closed toe shoes, sunglasses. The cost of this tour is per ATV, which can accommodate two average-sized adults. When pre-requesting this tour, please select only one 1 ticket.

CATAMARAN SAIL SS PFB0B67 • 3h

Get on-board a **catamaran** and indulge yourself with a breathtaking cruise in the most renowned **lagoon of Bora Bora**. Thanks to the shallow draft, catamaran will take you to shallow areas, over multiple shades of blues and turquoises of the lagoon. While your crew set up the sails for a magnificent sailing, feel the sea breeze as your eyes discover beauty of the Pearl of the Pacific. As you pass along the lagoon, enjoy the view over Mount Otemanu, Bora Bora's famous mountain and keep an eye open for the underwater life, it is time to jump for a swim. After your swim and snorkeling session, you will continue to enjoy the sail back to the pier.

Bring a swimsuit sunscreen, hat, sunglasses, and a towel from the ship. Bring your snorkeling gear from the ship. The catamaran is fully protected and equipped with two rest room, shaded area, a sound system, cushions, outside and inside fresh water showers, and ladders to get in and out of the water. Kindly note that the use of sails is weather dependent.



SUNSET SAIL BY CATAMARAN SSS PFB0B68 • 2h



Depart the pier on a **catamaran**. Sail around the **lagoon of Bora Bora** and when the time comes, enjoy a beautiful sunset. Don't forget your camera, as the photo opportunities are amazing, get the best views of the highest peak, Mount Otemanu, as the sun sets over the Pacific.

The catamaran is fully protected and equipped with two rest room, shaded area, a sound system, cushions, outside and inside fresh water showers, and ladders to get in and out of the water. Kindly note that the use of sails is weather dependent.

SUNSET BLUE LAGOON ESCAPADE SSS PFB0B69 • 2h • 4 person boat

Indulge your senses with one of the world's most beautiful locales during this unforgettable **sunset cruise in Bora Bora**. Depart the pier aboard a luxury, 23-foot Jeanneau 715WA motorized boat for a private sunset cruise to Bora Bora's idyllic lagoon. Along the way, you will be served a bottle of Champagne and refreshments as you watch the afternoon sun fade on the horizon in a kaleidoscope of brilliant colors. At the conclusion of your cruise, you will be transferred back to the pier.



The cost of this tour is per-boat. When pre-requesting this tour online, only select one ticket. Each boat accommodates up to four guests. This is not a Catamaran Sail. Due to safety reasons, only plastic dishware will be used during your cruise.



SUNSET CRUISE ON OUTRIGGER CANOE ••• PFB0B70 • 2h • 4 person boat

Board your **Polynesian outrigger** cance in Vaitape and start your romantic **sunset cruise** inside the **lagoon of Bora Bora, Pearl of Pacific**. The captain of the cance will play ukulele while you enjoy local fresh fruits and Champagne, soft drinks and local beer watching the sun setting.

Please bring your camera.

SHARK & RAY WATCHING BY GLASS BOTTOM BOAT ©© PFB0B71 • 3h

Get acquainted with **sharks** and **rays** in a unique new way during a **glass-bottom boat ride in Bora Bora** and a swim with stingrays. After embarking your glass-bottom boat at the pier, you will depart for a brief cruise. Your guide will then tie the boat to a mooring in about 25 feet of water and try to attract black-tipped sharks. You will observe the dance of these ocean denizens and, if you are lucky, spot some lemon sharks known to frequent the area. Next, you will proceed to a shallower, clear lagoon for a rare opportunity to view graceful stingrays and even swim alongside them. Following your tour, you will be transferred back to the pier.



Underwater viewing takes place through large glass windows. The roof provides protection from the sun and eliminates glare, enhancing photo and video quality. Swimming is not permitted during the first stop with sharks but is highly recommended with the stingrays. Wear your swimsuit under a cover up, and bring biodegradable sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses, and a towel, mask, and snorkel from the ship. Although shark and stingray sightings frequently occur, they cannot be guaranteed.



ROMANTIC ESCAPADE ©®®®

PFBOB72 • 2 Days

This overland must be **prebooked and prepaid at least 60 days prior to your cruise**. Any reservation made after this deadline will be confirmed on-board based on availability. A minimum of participants must be booked in order to operate this tour. 100% Of total cost for cancellations made less than 60 days before departure. Experience the essence of true romance in an overwater bungalow at the InterContinental Bora Bora Resort & Thalasso Spa.

Day 1: Bora Bora

Depart the pier at Vaitape for a ground transfer to the InterContinental Bora Bora Moana Resort, where you will transfer to a water launch to whisk you away to the InterContinental Bora Bora Resort & Thalasso Spa. Upon arrival, you will receive a welcome drink and lei. Then, check in and spend the rest of the day at your leisure.

Day 2: Bora Bora

You will enjoy breakfast delivered by canoe in the morning, before your midday transfer to the ship's tender pier.

Your hotel:

During your stay, you will have access to a wide array of amenities, including the beach, kayaking, canoeing, a swimming pool, and tennis. You will also enjoy a romantic candlelit dinner for two at the Reef restaurant, with Champagne included. The rest of the evening is at leisure. As your bungalow appears to float in the haze above a sparkling blue lagoon. The peaceful sounds of the crystal-clear water lapping around the stilts and distant waves breaking on the shore will round out this intimate natural setting for two in grand style.

Your programme includes:

- · One-night stay in an overwater villa
- VIP Greeting upon arrival, consisting of a welcome drink and lei
- Access to a wide array of fun-filled activities including the beach, kayaking, canoeing, and tennis; one romantic candlelit dinner for two at the Reef restaurant, including one bottle of Champagne
- One breakfast for two delivered by canoe to your villa
- Roundtrip transfers to/from Vaitape pier via the InterContinental Bora Bora Moana Resort

Your program does not include:

Personal expenses and other services not mentioned in the program

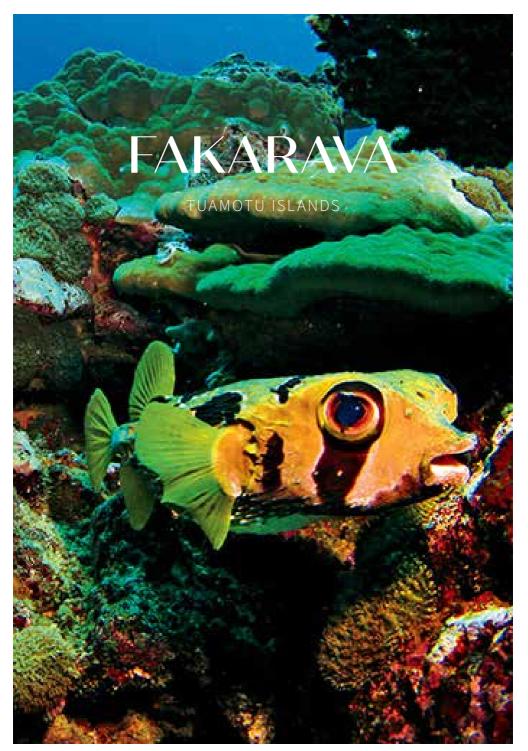
Duration and order of the visits may vary.

BY PLANE: BORA-BORA, TAHA'A AND TUPAI (45 MIN FLIGHTS) SSS PFB0B73 • 2h

Start your adventure by reaching the airport by boat transfer from Vaitape. Right after a safety briefing, it will be time to discover the breathtaking and unforgettable sights our islands have to offer. Bora-Bora, the "Pearl of the Pacific" will unveil the shades of its turquoise lagoon, considered to be one of the most stunning in the world, but also the beauty of the majestic Mont Otemanu. During your tour, you will have the chance to fly over a mosaic made of splendid overwater bungalows, the Matira point, the remains from the World War II or the motu Tapu, among so many others. After a few minutes flying over the ocean, you will be able to perceive a wonder of nature: Tupai, the heart-shaped atoll. Continue with the flight over the Vanilla Island of Taha'a and the amazing motus circling the lagoon like a string of pearls. But as all good things come to an end, it will be time for you to go back to the Bora-Bora airport where a boat will take you back to Vaitape.



Depending on the weather conditions the boat ride to and from Vaitape pier may be bumpy. Not recommended for guests with limited mobility, pregnant women or guests with back or neck problems.



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FAKARAVA PINNACLE SNORKEL ©© PFFAV50• 3h30



Experience the abundant marine life for which Fakarava is famous during this memorable **snorkelling adventure**. Board your Zodiac[®] (or similar boat) for a 30-minute ride (each way) to the north pass in the lagoon. Your guide will give you safety instructions and information about the site before you enter the water from the boat. You will then start your snorkelling experience around the coral head, where you will discover a wide variety of species. Fish common to the area include sharks and tropical fish, including groupers, parrot fish, triggerfish, and others. Following your tour, you will be transferred back to the ship.

This deepwater activity is recommended only for experienced, strong swimmers in good physical condition who are comfortable wearing snorkelling equipment. Life vests will be available on the boat if needed. Although marine life is widely present in this region, sightings cannot be guaranteed, and tickets are nonrefundable should sightings not occur. For your own safety and to help us preserve the environment, do not touch or step on the coral reef while snorkelling.

ATV GUIDED TOUR SSS PFFAV51 • 1h30 • 2 person ATV

Depart from the pier of Rotoava Village for a guided tour of the **northern part of the island by ATV**. Pass by the airport on the way to the North Pass and visit the small ancestral temple, Teinoka. Along the way, you will also visit the old sea cucumber oven.

For insurance purposes, each driving participant must present credit card details and a valid driver's license and be at least 18 years of age. The minimum age to ride as a passenger on this tour is 6 years old. During the tour, one bottle of water per person is offered. After the tour, guests will be offered a beverage of beer or juice per person. When prerequesting this tour, please select only one ticket.

HALF DAY TO TEHATEA BEACH SSS PFFAV52 • 3h30

Depart the ship by small local boats across the beautiful **UNESCO biosphere reserve of Fakarava** to the white sand beach of Teahatea just after the Garuae Pass. The boat is (8 m) 50 long, special for excursions. It is equipped with all safety equipment and with a covered top and sides. The boat ride takes approximately 30 minutes depending on the weather conditions. You will have 2-2 ½ hours of free time to relax on the beach, enjoy a swim in the crystal clear lagoon or go snorkelling. Iced coconuts will be offered to you directly on the white sand beach and refreshments (fresh fruit juices, ice tea, and water) will be served. You can relax and enjoy the tranquillity of this heavenly site.



The boat ride maybe bumpy and rough depending on the sea conditions. No facilities are available on the beaches: no rest room, nor beach chairs or umbrellas. Bring your snorkelling gear, provided by the ship, along with a towel and sun protection: sunscreen, sunhat and sunglasses. The excursion is weather dependant, and the beach may be substituted with a different one.

WAVERUNNER & SNORKELLING SSS

PFFAV53 • 1h30 • 2 person jetski

Depart from Rotoava village for a short drive to the Wave runner Base. Commence your tour with a safety briefing, then continue your guided tour with a ride along the scenic coast, you will start your adventure and discover the Fakarava lagoon with your waver runner. During your tour, you will have the opportunity to snorkel and one of the stops will be a visit to the black pearl shell lines. At the end of the tour, you will be transferred to Rotoava to embark your ship.



One bottle of water per person is offered. Bring your snorkel gear from the ship. Operation of this tour is dependent upon weather and water conditions. This tour is priced per-waverunner, which will accommodate two average-sized adults (weight limit 500 lbs). When prerequesting this tour, please select only one ticket.

FULL DAY TOUR TO SOUTH PASS WITH SNORKELLING ©©©©

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From the Rotoava village, you will discover the Fakarava South Pass and Tetamanu by boat, starting with a shorttransfer to the pier. The first stop will be at a Pension (guest house) where you will have the opportunity to snorkel in deep water and see an impressive array of marine life, including turtles and sharks. A buffet style lunch will be served including fresh fish; raw fish, grilled fish, rice, and coconut bread. Beverages are available for purchase. Continue your adventure to the famous Pink Sands and briefly stop to take in the beauty of the place. Your tour will conclude with a cruise back to the northern part of the island and to Rotoava Village.

The long boat ride from and to the South Pass can be bumpy depending on the weather and sea conditions. Not recommended for guests with back or neck problems or susceptible to seasickness. Please bring your snorkel gear, beach towel and cash from the ship.

E-BIKE TOUR OF ROTOAVA & THE NORTH SHORE ©©

PFFAV55 • 2h



View the village of Rotoava on a beautiful scenic **guided tour by e-bike**. Explore the surrounding area which includes viewing the Topaka lighthouse, airport, and Catholic Church. Cycle inside the verdant coconut grove, along the ocean side of the island; the overall distance is approximately 15 km.

The level is easy to moderate and pedalling is required! E-bike is a bike with electric assistance. The tour includes one bottle of water and complimentary use of a helmet.

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HAPATONI DISCOVERY SSS PFHPT50 • 3h30

Discover the charm of the Marquesan wilderness on a visit to the island of **Tahuata**, accompanied by your onboard lecturer in anthropology and archaeology. Boarding an all-terrain vehicle in the village of **Hapatoni**, you will make your way to the village of **Vaitahu**, where you will learn about the island's history during a visit the small museum located at city hall. You will also visit the old church en route to a spectacular scenic lookout, where you will be surrounded by magnificent mountain peaks piercing the sky. Continue your exploration of the stunning landscape and quaint villages of **Tahuata** during this introduction to the beauty that is so characteristic of the Marquesas.

As this tour involves travel over uneven terrain, it is not recommended for guests with back and/or neck problems. This tour involves very little walking. Guests are encouraged to wear insect repellent to ward off small beach mosquitoes (nonos). Each vehicle will accommodate four guests. Although the drivers used are the best available, they are not guides, and their command of English is poor. Your patience and understanding are greatly appreciated.



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ISLAND TOUR BY WAVE RUNNER SSS PFHUH50 • 2h • 2 person jetski



Experience Huahine's wild beauty in an exciting new way during this fun-filled wave runner adventure. Depart the pier and transfer to the launching point in Fare, Huahine's main village. After your guide gives you safety and riding instructions, you will enjoy a wave runner ride of about an hour in the lagoon, admiring Huahine's magnificent landscape from the perspective of the water. You will also have time to stop for a swim before returning to the wave runner launching point for your transfer back to the pier.

Operation of this tour is dependent upon weather and water conditions. This tour is priced per wave-runner, which will accommodate two average-sized adults (maximum weight of 500lbs total). When requesting online, please select only one ticket per wave runner. Participants must wear the life jacket provided, remain in line, and follow thirty yards behind the wave runner in front of them. The minimum age for participating in this tour is 15 years old to drive and 5 years old to ride as a passenger (depending on weather conditions). Guests are encouraged to wear a swimsuit under a cover-up, sunscreen, and sunglasses, and to bring a towel from the ship. Each wave runner has a small storage compartment.

ISLAND TOUR & SNORKELLING (PER BOAT) SSS PFHUH51 • 3h • 4 person boat

Experience the beauty of **Huahine** from above and below the water during this **snorkeling and cruise adventure**. Depart the pier by private boat and discover the beauty of Huahine as you cruise around the island. Along the way, you will stop to visit a **black pearl farm** and learn about the creation and the beauty of these famous Tahitian gems. You will then continue your cruise to a **beautiful coral garden**, where you will don your snorkeling equipment and enter the water for up-close views of the amazing and colorful marine life that frequents the reef. Enjoy refreshments on your ride back to the pier.

The cost of this tour is per boat, which can accommodate up to four guests. When requesting online, please select only one ticket per boat. Guests are encouraged to wear a swimsuit under a cover up, sunscreen, a hat, and sunglasses, and to bring a towel from the ship. Snorkeling equipment, fins, and life vests are available at the ship's on-board watersports marina.



ATV TOUR OF HUAHINE NUI SSS PFHUH52 • 3h30 • 2 person ATV

Transfer from the pier to Fare Maeva for an easy test drive on the ATV quads. Then start the exciting island exploration by discovering the coast of the Motu Maeva with its white sandy beaches, Marae Manunue (an ancient Polynesian temple). Stop for a refreshing coconut drink at chez 'Nini' before continuing for some snorkeling at the Sofitel Heiva's beach. Afterwards the tour will take you past Fare Potee and Marae Rauhuru and the ancient Fish Traps in Lake Fauna Nui, and then onto the Sacred Eels at Faie before stopping at Belvedere for photo-opportunity of the Maroe Bay and the ship.

The cost of this tour is per ATV, which can accommodate two average-sized adults. The tour is easy to moderate and the drive is partially off-road driving and partially on paved roads. Not recommended for pregnant women, guests suffering from back & neck problems and children under 5 years old. Driving license is mandatory and drivers must be a minimum of 18 years old. Please bring snorkel gear, beach towel, bottled water, sunglasses from the ship. Please wear your swim wear under clothing.



LAGOON CRUISE & SNORKELING SSS PFHUH53 • 3h



Experience **Huahine's** beautiful lagoon and landscapes on this **boat cruise and snorkeling** excursion. Depart the pier by **outrigger cance** (motorized). Upon arrival to the snorkeling spot you will receive safety and snorkeling instructions before entering the water with abundant fish, coral and marine life. Sample coconuts, fresh season fruits and refreshments. Transfer back to the pier.

The tour is recommended for experienced snorkeler who are comfortable entering the lagoon directly from the boat, and snorkeling in deep water where currents are common. Snorkeling equipment, fins and life vests are available at the Marina from the ship. The boat capacity depends on the group size.

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MOTU PICNIC SSS PFHUH54•6h

Your boat will pick you up from the pier for a brief ride to a **snorkeling spot** in the beautiful lagoon of **Huahine**. Here you will have ample time to enjoy snorkeling in crystal clear waters with tropical fish. Next your boat ride will continue to the private Motu Murimahora. Delicious lunch (including water, tropical juices and beer) will be accompanied by a local music entertainment on the motu. Afterwards there will be free time to enjoy this peaceful and picturesque *motu*.

Please bring your snorkel equipment, beach towel, sunscreen and sunglasses from the ship.

CULTURAL HIGHLIGHTS OF HUAHINE SS PFHUH55+3h

Explore one of the most picture sque and geographically diverse of the Society Islands during this scenic tour of Huahine. Depart the pier for a ride by coach to Fare, Huahine's main village. Enjoy a leisurely guided stroll around the village, then visit a vanilla plantation, where you will observe the process of drying vanilla and learn different ways to cook with this ubiquitous spice. Then, proceed to Maeva, one of Polynesian's most important archaeological sites. Upon arrival, you will discover some well-preserved marae, or ancient Polynesian temples. You will also see fish traps that were built centuries ago and are still in use today. Your next visit will be to Faie, home of the famous blueeyed eels that populate a stream running through the village. You will even watch as your guide feeds these enormous eels. Your tour concludes with a stop at Huahine's Belvedere Point for spectacular views and photo opportunities. Then, re-board your coach for the return ride to the pier.

If you wish to purchase vanilla during your tour, please bring U.S. dollars or French Pacific francs, as these are the only currencies that will be accepted.





This excursion includes access to the swimming pool, the beach, and the hotel museum; kayaking and snorkeling equipment; a two-course lunch (appetizer and entrée, or entrée and dessert); and a bottle of water and a drink per person (a glass of house wine, a local beer on tap, or a soft drink).

DAY AT THE BEACH SSS PFHUH56 • 6h

Located close to the village of Fare and an ancient archaeological site, the Maitai Lapita Village Hotel on the island of Huahine enjoys an exceptional location. Bask on the magnificent white-sand beach that borders the lagoon, or enjoy excellent snorkeling in the lagoon's crystal-clear waters. Or enjoy ocean views from the restaurant, bar, and pool. Stretching from the beach inland, the property is arranged around a freshwater lake dotted with water lilies and surrounded by tropical plants with fragrant, multicolored native flowers. This site has contributed enormously to the heritage of French Polynesia, so do not Miss the hotel's museum. And if you are here at sunset, enjoy spectacular panoramic views of the islands of Raiatea, Taha'a, and Bora Bora

HUAHINE EXPLORATION BY 4WD & BOAT SS PFHUH57 • 3h30

Visit archaeological sites, sacred blue-eyed eels, a black pearl farm, and an easy 40-minute snorkel on this land and sea tour of Huahine. Your tour will depart the pier by off road vehicle and cross the bridge to Huahine Nui (big Huahine). Head around the majestic bay where the m/s Paul Gauguin is anchored, then ascend the island's steepest road for a spectacular panoramic view over Maroe Bay and take a photo with the ship in the background. After, a stop will be made to feed the sacred giant blueeved eels that live in the stream running through the village of Faie. Continue your adventure along the lake Fauna Nui to Maeva, the most extensive archaeological site in the Pacific. Here, you will see stone temples and ancient fish traps still in use today restored by archaeologists. Afterwards, take a short Polynesian outrigger canoe trip to visit «Huahine Pearl Farm and Pottery», where you will learn the secrets of the black pearl and see their unique blue pottery made with a glaze found at the bottom of the lagoon while pearl farming. The pottery is available for purchase, and refreshments will be served at the pearl farm. Cruise the lagoon for a short trip on a regular boat and a snorkel stop to Motu Te Tiare. Enjoy the turquoise lagoon and tropical fish with

your experienced local guide. Return to the pier with spectacular views of the island.

The snorkeling stop is for all levels of experience, and people can start in shallow water to go as far out as comfortable. Please note: the tour has limited capacity and can start in reverse order, with the boat and snorkel stop first. Guests may choose their starting preference (Jeep or boat) depending on availability. Rest room are available at the Pearl Farm marina.





HUAHINE SAFARI EXPEDITION **SS** PFHUH58+3h30

Discover the beauty of Huahine on this 4x4 tour of the islands. Depart the pier by off-road vehicle for the drive to Huahine Nui. Visit the village of Faie, and its famed blue-eyed eels. Next, you will take a short outrigger trip to visit «Huahine Pearl Farm and Pottery», where they will share with you the secrets of the black pearl and you will have a chance to purchase their famous blue pottery made from a glaze found at the bottom of the lagoon while pearl farming. Continue on to Maeva, the island's most important marae. Drive along Lake Fauna Nui before arriving in Fare. Free time will be made available for you to explore. Return drive to the pier.

Although the off-road vehicle will remain on the main road for most of the drive, this tour also involves travel over non-paved roads with steep ascents and descents. This tour is not recommended for guests with back and/or neck problems, guests who suffer from vertigo or motion sickness, or guests with limited mobility. Order of visits may be reversed and itinerary amended depending on weather conditions.

HUAHINE ITI BY 4X4 SS PFHUH59 • 3h30

The island equivalent to the Garden of Eden. Huahine Iti is an immense tropical jungle thriving with coconut plantations, vanilla orchids, banana groves, breadfruit trees and watermelon fields. Beyond its lush landscapes and bright blooms, Huahine is also a culturally preserved sanctuary with sacred temples hidden throughout dense vegetation. This tranguil paradise will seduce you with her white sand beaches of Avea Bay, coral islets dotting an azure blue lagoon and luxurious mountains covered with magnificent foliage making her an idyllic garden paradise. It is covered with plantations and a wealth of beautiful plants, fruits and flowers and is also home to one of the most amazing white sand beaches in French Polynesia. During this 4x4 tour you will be introduced to Huahine Iti, the more sensual and smaller of Huahine's two islands. There will be numerous stops along the way for panoramic views across the island, the bays and the surrounding lagoon and motus of Topati's and Murimahora. Visits to a vanilla and tropical fruit plantation and to the Marae Anini are included. A brief stop at a beach in Avea Bay is included for a dip in the lagoon and for refreshments (choice of soda, fruit juice or beer). Continue the tour 'off-road' into the Parea Valley for a drive over bumpy road through lush jungle before returning to the pier in Maroe.



Although the off-road vehicle will remain on the main road for most of the drive, this tour also involves travel over rough nonpaved roads. This tour is not recommended for guests with back and/or neck problems or guests with limited mobility. Order of visits may be reversed and itinerary amended depending on weather conditions. Please bring cash as there will be an opportunity to buy vanilla and additional refreshments on the beach. Please wear/bring your swimwear and beach towel should you wish to have a swim at the beach.

SACRED SITES & LEGENDARY PLACES **SSS** PFHUH60 • 4h

Your spectacular excursion starts with a friendly introduction from your expert anthropologist/ archaeologist guide, who has first-hand experience working on the sites you will visit. Boarding «Le Truck», French Polynesia's famous local style bus, you will depart from Maroe Village on the small island of Huahine Iti, crossing the bridge to Huahine Nui, or 'big island'. Here you will drive past lush green valleys and turquoise lagoon through the capital town of Fare, where Captain James Cook sojourned on his visits to the island. Your first stop is Maeva village, considered to be one of French Polynesia's most important archaeological areas and home to the largest pre-historic habitation site in Polynesia. During your walk through the village, you will explore the archaeological sites along the lake shore and the Fare Pote'e Museum. You will learn about Polynesian origins and migrations, traditional society, religion, botany, European explorers and get a first-hand look at various traditional tools, handicrafts and artifacts. You will continue on to Mata'ire'a hill, just above the Village of Maeva and home to more than 200 stone structures, including marae, agricultural terraces, house foundations, fortification walls and burial platforms. Your next stop, via «Le Truck», is a local family run vanilla plantation where you will have the opportunity to purchase various vanilla products. Continuing on, you will stop to see and learn about the 500 year old fish traps that thanks to restoration work are used again today by the people of Maeva Village. Your return journey to port, will take you through the village of Faie where your guide will feed the island's giant blue-eyed eels that swim in the stream, before enjoying a photo-stop at the Belvedere Lookout, for panoramic views of Huahine Iti and beautiful Maroe Bay.



This tour involves some slight uphill walking. Guests are encouraged to wear comfortable walking shoes, sunscreen, a hat and sunglasses. The order of sites visited may vary. Please bring some cash along with you, as you may have the opportunity to purchase some authentic Tahitian vanilla during this tour.

HUAHINE ITI BY E-BIKE SS PFHUH61•4h

This tour involves some slight uphill walking. Guests are encouraged to wear comfortable walking shoes, sunscreen, a hat and sunglasses. The order of sites visited may vary. Please bring some cash along with you, as you may have the opportunity to purchase some authentic Tahitian vanilla during this tour.

This activity requires good level of fitness, and is not suitable for people with limited mobility.

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Unless otherwise stated, price estimates quoted in US dollars are per person prices. Prices and availability are subject to change. Please note that excursions involving scuba diving are not available for pre-booking, and must be booked on board with the Dive Desk.

BY PLANE: SCENIC FLIGHT AND PILOT LESSON MOOREA & TETIAROA (60 MINUTES FLIGHT) ©©©© PFM0053 • 2h • 3 person flight

Take control of your Cessna 172 plane, together with a professional instructor and experience an amazing hour scenic flight over Moorea and Tetiaroa. No prior flight experience is required to fully enjoy this unique Flight Initiation Tour. Your tour starts with a drive from the pier to the local Airport - Temae, where your air plane is waiting. After a brief lesson on how to control the plane, your dream will finally come true: pilot your own plane. View from above the beautiful Cooks and Opunohu Bays, Mount Rotui and the crater area. Continue south and see the less developed part of the island. During your flight you might also spot dolphins, sharks and stingrays in the crystal clear waters of the lagoon. Lying just 30 miles North of Moorea, Tetiaroa is the breathtakingly beautiful atoll comprised of a dozen idyllic islands surrounding a spectacular lagoon. Fly over the graceful atoll and spot The Brando, an exquisite private resort as well as the pristine natural landscape hosting many



different types of birds, coral and marine life. Finally, you will land back at Temae Airport where your transfer will return you to the pier. Don't forget to ask your instructor to do a horizontal 360 degrees turn and experience the increase in gravity.

Only one guest pilots the plane from the start to the end of the flight as no seats exchange is allowed. The maximum number of guests per flight is 3 (1 instructor, 1 pilot (guest) and 2 passengers), the maximum combined weight per group is 210Kg/460 lbs. Minimum age not required, however to fly the plane, the children have to be accompanied by an adult and be able to reach the plane pedals. Booking deadline is 4 days before the date of the flight. The transfer from the pier to the airport and back depends on the number of guests attending the flight and is not included in the tour price. Transfer cost is 30\$ per person round trip. Not recommended for pregnant women, guests with heart problems and no diving allowed 24 hours before the flight.



The order of sites visited may vary. Limited restroom stops. This tour is not recommended for guests who suffer from motion sickness. The guides commentary features information pertaining to daily living in Moorea; but does not include historical, cultural, or political facts or details.

ISLAND DRIVE & BELVEDERE PFM0056 • 3h

Explore Moorea's exquisite beauty and day-to-day Polynesian lifestyle during this scenic orientation drive around the island. Depart the pier for a scenic and relaxing drive around Moorea. The distance around this idyllic island is approximately 38 miles (62 kilometers), and your ride offers many spectacular sites and photo opportunities. You will ride past pineapple fields and visit an ancient Tahitian stone temple, or marae, en route to Belvedere. At the summit, take in magnificent views of Cook's Bay, Opunohu Bay, and Mt. Rotui. Your ride continues on through the village of Papetoai and past the nearby tombs of the first missionaries. Your coach will return to the pier via the other side of the island. Along the way, you will pass through the districts of Haapiti and Afareitu, then make a photo stop at the Ia Ora lookout point before arriving at the pier. And enjoy your guide's commentary about the daily lives of the Polynesian island residents all along the way.

DOLPHIN WATCHING EXPEDITION SSS PFM0057 • 3h30

Join American marine biologist Dr. Michael Poole, a dolphin specialist in French Polynesia since 1987, or his assistant for this combination eco-tour and research expedition focusing on wild, free-ranging dolphins. Depart the pier aboard a covered boat for the scenic ride to Moorea's reef. Spinner dolphins and rough-tooth dolphins can be seen around Moorea, with spinner dolphins regularly swimming inside the lagoon. Most often you will see schools of acrobatic spinner dolphins, while listening to informative commentary about their remarkable life and society at sea. Dolphins are found on 95% of the tours, but the engaging narrative and sheer magnificence of Moorea's coastline will ensure a rewarding time in any event. While viewing Moorea's dramatic beauty from the sea, you will also learn about French Polynesian's geology. Following your tour and time permitting, you may have an opportunity to go swimming or snorkeling at a coral garden directly from the boat before returning to the pier.



This tour is not a swim with the dolphins program, it is sometimes possible to snorkel near the dolphins. Wear a swimsuit under a cover-up, and bring sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses, and a towel from the ship. Operation of this tour is subject to guide availability.

WHALE WATCHING EXPEDITION ©©©© PFM0058 • 3h30

From July through October **humpback whales** come to **Moorea's** waters to rest, mate, give birth, and nurse their calves. Dr. Michael Poole's team will take you on this exciting and educational boat-based eco-tour where you can observe humpback whales in their natural environment, the ocean. If conditions are favorable (a calm sea; calm whale behavior) and participants who are strong snorkeler, then you may also snorkel in the water to observe the whales. You can also bask in the dramatic beauty of Moorea and learn about its geology. Whales are found during 95% of these tours, and you may also see schools of dolphins. The primary objective will be to find and observe humpback whales, and if possible, to slip into the water to observe them underwater. Getting into the water is not obligatory or always possible, so people who simply want to observe whales from the boat are also welcome In February 2019 Dr. Poole and his research and conservation efforts on humpback whales were featured on Animal Planet and ABC TV. His team operates with the utmost respect in the presence of these incredible giants. A guarantee cannot be given that whales will be found nor that it will be possible to get into the water, but the team will do their best.

Participation is limited to 12 people maximum. Wear a swimsuit under a cover-up, and bring sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses, and a towel and snorkel gear from the ship.

OCEAN ADDICT WHALE EXPEDITION IN PFM0059 • 3h30

From July through October humpback whales come to Moorea's waters to rest, mate, give birth, and nurse their calves. Observe humpback whales in their natural environment, the ocean. If conditions are favorable (a calm sea; calm whale behavior) and participants who are strong snorkeler, then you may also snorkel in the water to observe the whales. Whales are found during 95% of these tours, and you may also see schools of dolphins. The primary objective will be to find and observe humpback whales, and if possible, to slip into the water to observe them underwater. Getting into the water is not mandatory or always possible, so people who simply want to observe whales from the boat are also welcome. Guarantee cannot be given that whales will be found nor that it will be possible to get into the water, but the team will do their best.

Participation is limited to 7 people maximum. Wear a swimsuit under a cover-up, and bring sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses, and a towel and snorkel gear from the ship.

LAGOON & OCEAN TOUR SSS PFM0060 • 3h30

Discover the marine riches of the island on a tour dedicated to the research and observation of **dolphins** and **sharks** in **Moorea**. You will have an opportunity to slip into the water and swim with these graceful and curious animals and realize that man and these predators can live in harmony. Some dolphins are visible in the passes, at the entrance of the bays, others in the open ocean. On the other side of the barrier reef on the oceanic drop you can evolve with Gray sharks, lemon sharks and turtles always supervised by your guides. Refreshments will be available during the tour.

Wear a swimsuit under a cover-up, and bring sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses, and a towel and snorkel gear from the ship. Participation is limited to 6 guests maximum.

FAST PACED BELVEDERE BY E-BIKE SS PFM0061 • 2h

Challenge yourself on this very active and fast paced **guided tour** to the Belvedere lookout point. You will start your tour by getting acquainted with your Moustache **Mountain E-Bike**. The bikes are easy to use with multiple gears that allow you to fully enjoy the roads of Moorea. In addition, the electric motor will assist you when pedaling and the different settings will make even the less active guests feel like they can win Le Tour de France. Your tour will make one additional stop at the Agricultural High school where you can purchase refreshments and taste the local made jam. If your group is faster than average, an additional stop will be made at the archaeological site located near the road leading to Belvedere.

Cette activité exige une bonne condition physique et ne convient pas aux personnes à mobilité réduite.



SLOW PACED BELVEDERE & PINEAPPLE VALLEY BY E-BIKE © PFM0062 • 3h30

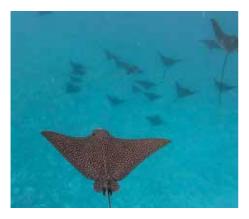
Enjoy a slow-paced **bicycle** guided tour to Belvedere and the Pineapple Valley. Your guide will commence the tour by giving you an introductory course on how to use the simple **E-bike settings**. Choose the setting that fit your fitness level, from no assistance to Turbo and off you go visiting the beautiful Pineapple Island. At every stop the guide will provide you with a multitude of details about the sites and their history. Visit Cooks and Opunohu bays, stop at the Marae (archaeological sites) and Belvedere Lookout point. Pedal through the pineapple plantations and stop for a jam tasting at the Agricultural High school. Your e-motor assisted mountain bike will make it really easy to complete the tour and even the less active guest will feel like Le Tour de France winner.

This activity requires good level of fitness and is not suitable for people with limited mobility.



LAGOON DISCOVERY WITH SNORKELING ©©©

PFMOO63 • 3h30



This tour is recommended for guests in good physical condition. Guests must be comfortable wearing the snorkeling equipment provided for this tour. The snorkeling locations selected may vary depending upon lagoon conditions that include current and visibility. Wear a swimsuit under a cover up, and bring sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses and a towel as well as your snorkel gear from the ship. Experience the beauty of Cook's and Opunohu Bays from above and below the water during this snorkeling and beach adventure aboard a modern covered **boat**. Depart the pier aboard a comfortable and modern boat featuring covered areas designed to protect you from the direct rays of the sun. As you cruise along these majestic bays, your captain will inform you about the legends, geography, and flora and fauna of Moorea. Next, you will continue on to a gorgeous sandy islet surrounded by transparent turquoise waters that are shallow enough to walk comfortably in the sea. Upon arrival, you will have a rare opportunity to feed the awaiting rays; they will gracefully glide around you in exchange for a piece of fish. Your tour will conclude with a stop at another uninhabited islet nearby. Here, you will be served refreshments and have an opportunity to explore the beach and swim. You will also be invited to go snorkeling in water 6-10 feet (2-3 meters) deep. Snorkeling is performed in the shallow waters off the boat, providing an excellent opportunity for both experienced snorkeler and beginners. The boat's ladders extend deep into the water, making it easy to embark and disembark the craft. Following your visit, you will be transferred back to the pier.

WAVE RUNNER ADVENTURE **SSS** PFM0064 • 2h • 2 person jetski

Experience Moorea's idyllic coastal beauty in an exciting new way during this **fun-filled wave runner adventure**. Depart the pier for the boat transfer to the wave runner center. Upon arrival, you will receive your safety and simple operating instructions from your guide, then embark your wave runner and begin your ride. Led by your guide, you will cruise either along the west coast of Moorea or through the spectacular Opunohu Bay or Cook's Bay. Along the way, a stop will be made at Motu Ono for an opportunity to feed elegant and graceful rays as they swim around you in the shallow water. Fresh fruit and beverages will then be served on the motu. Following your visit, you will be transferred to the wave runner center, then back to the pier.



This tour is priced per wave runner, which can accommodate two average-sized adults, maximum weight per wave runner is 500 lbs. Please select only one ticket for 2 guests. You will be required to wear a lifejacket during the ride, remain in line and follow no closer than 30-yards behind your guide. There is a small storage compartment on board the wave runner. The total wave runner ride is approximately 45-50 minutes. The minimum age to drive is 16 years and minimum 10 years to be accompanied by an adult. This tour is recommended for guests in good physical condition. Guests with back and/or neck problems are discouraged to participate on this tour.

TRAILS OF THE ANCIENTS TREK ©©© PFM0065•4h

Do not Miss this fun, informative, and **interactive visit** to a relatively little visited side of Tahiti, as on-board lecturer archaeologist Mark Eddowes leads a unique cultural tour of the upland rain forest of Opunohu valley. Mark Eddowes has worked clearing, mapping, excavating and restoring archaeological sites in the Opunohu valley since the 1980s. He works particularly on the life of the ancient Tahitians in this natural environment, studying their ancient habitation sites, agricultural terrace complexes, stone tool workshops, and ancient temples or marae. The recognized expert on the marae of the Society Islands, Mark will share with you his research results into the history of the



temples, the rituals practice there, and the warrior chiefs associated with them. You will also learn about the uses in ancient times of the flora and tree species of the island for canoe manufacture, medicinal uses, and the sculpture of ti'i (tiki figures) and traditional house manufacture. Also, on the itinerary of this tour are the landing site of Captain James Cook in 1777, the Opunohu agricultural school, and Belvedere lookout point. Then, follow shady trails within the forest, between the ancient archaeological sites. Your transport will be on the traditional Le Truck, providing vista views and spectacular scenery along the way.

The forest trails are all downhill but can be slick after rain, and tree roots sometimes cross the trails. Insect repellent is provided. Bamboo staffs are provided to give stability if needed. A second Tahitian guide is always at the back of the line for any additional aid during the trek. Bring some money, as purchases (organic vanilla, native jam preserves, and real vanilla ice cream!) can be bought at the agricultural school. A small bottle of water is also recommended for the trek. Not recommended for people with heart disease, lung disease, or muscle, joint, or balance problems. Total length of the tour is 4 hours, 2 of which are spent walking the miles through the forest. On Sundays, the Agricultural School is closed.

AITO OFF-ROAD SAFARI © © PFM0066 • 3h30

Explore the volcanic crater from which Moorea was created during this scenic, off-road island safari via offroad vehicle. Depart the pier in an off-road vehicle for a journey inside the volcanic crater from which Moorea was created. En route, you will discover the heart of a huge **pineapple plantation** inside the island's deepest valley. Moorea, Polynesian's Green Garden, is renowned for its Agricultural School, which receives students from all the outer islands. A stop will be made here to sample some homemade iam. Ice cream and local fruit juices will also be available for purchase. Your guide will then drive you across a large plantation filled with vanilla, bananas, grapefruit, and oranges, and will acquaint you with the island's diverse flora and fauna. Next, you will continue to an open-air temple, or marae. After a stop to learn about the Polynesian culture, you will ascend to the top of Belvedere lookout for spectacular vistas over Cook's and Opunohu Bays. You will then descend that mountain and proceed to Magic Mountain, where a little path surrounded by grapefruit, lemon, and orange trees opens up to a panoramic view stretching across Opunohu Bay, the lagoon, and the sea. Your tour will conclude with a stop at the Fruit Juice Factory and Distillery of Moorea

AQUABLUE - UNDERWATER WALK

PFMOO67 • 3h30

Explore Moorea's splendid marine life in a unique new way during this underwater walking and snorkeling adventure. Depart the pier for the drive to the Intercontinental Moorea Resort & Spa. Upon arrival. you will meet your instructor, then be outfitted with your wet suit and water shoes before embarking on a 10-minute boat ride inside the majestic lagoon of Moorea. The crew will anchor the boat off the coast of Motu Fareone or inside the lagoon in Papetoai (depending on sea and weather conditions). Your certified diving instructor will explain your safety and diving instructions, help you put on your helmet, and assist you with descending the ladder into the crystalclear water. You will then commence your 30-minute underwater adventure at a depth of 12 feet. Along the way, you will see an abundance of fish that include triggerfish, butterfly fish, groupers, and parrotfish, swimming amid beautiful coral heads. Stingrays are also plentiful at this dive spot. While your guide feeds them, you will be able to take a closer look at these



to sample their liquors. Following your visit, you will re-board the off-road vehicle for your return ride to the pier.

This tour involves very bumpy roads, steep ascents and descents, and a short but steep hike to the viewpoint on the mountain. This tour is not recommended for guests with back and/or neck problems, guests who suffer from vertigo or motion sickness, or guests with limited mobility. The itinerary may be modified depending on weather conditions. Please wear comfortable walking shoes, insect repellent, a hat, and sunglasses. Guests are asked to remain seated in the vehicle, as standing can be dangerous. Must be a minimum of 8 years old to participate.



unusual ocean denizens. Following your tour, you will be returned to the pier.

This does not require any prior scuba or snorkeling experience beyond being comfortable on and in the water. Guests will spend approximately 30 minutes underwater. The helmet, while heavy, is placed on your head as you enter the water and taken off as you exit. You will remain connected to the boat's air supply via an air hose. This tour is not recommended for guests with back and/or neck problems, or guests with asthma. Due to tour operator's insurance requirements, guests must sign a waiver before enjoying this tour. Please wear a swimsuit under a coverup with reef or water shoes (no flip-flop sandals), sunscreen, and bring a towel from the ship.



SUNSET SAIL SSS PFM0068 • 1h30

Discover the scenic magnificence of **Moorea during a memorable sunset cruise**. Depart the pier aboard a luxurious catamaran, and set sail to Moorea's north coast for a visit to two of French Polynesian's most beautiful bays, Cook's and Opunohu. Enjoy the breathtaking views and photo opportunities of Moorea. You will be served a cocktail or a glass of wine while sitting back and taking in the beauty of your surroundings. Following the sunset cruise, you will return to the pier.

Participants will be required to take off their shoes prior to boarding the catamaran. The boat captain may decide to restrict outside sailing and modify the itinerary depending on prevailing weather conditions, winds, and currents. Kindly note that the use of sails is weather dependent.

CAPTURE MOOREA – PHOTO ADVENTURE SSS PFM0070+4h



A maximum of seven guests will be permitted on this tour, which will be adapted to the weather forecast and the light of the day. As this tour involves travel over bumpy surfaces, guests with back and or neck problems, guests with limited mobility, and guests who utilize a wheelchair are discouraged from participating. Wear comfortable clothing, and bring sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses, and a camera. If you love photography, then do not miss this unique and exclusive half-day guided photo tour of Moorea with accomplished professional photographer Renaud Fayada. Depart the pier aboard a private, offroad vehicle, accompanied by Renaud, who will offer photographic tips and interesting information about the island throughout the tour. Begin with a drive to the interior of the island, along large pineapple fields and past sub-tropical forests dotted with ancient archaeological sites. En route, a stop will be made at Belvedere lookout point for spectacular views and photo opportunities of Rotui, a beautiful mountain separating Cook's Bay and the pristine Opunohu Bay. Next, you will ride along the coastal road to the island's west coast, where you will take in expansive views of lush green vegetation, beautifully manicured gardens, a turquoise blue lagoon, and the Pacific Ocean's endless horizon. Weather permitting, you will see sites that include the famed Magic Mountain, which overlooks the northern part of the island and offers spectacular aerial views of the barrier reef. Highlight of this photo adventure will include visits to off-road locations in the island's interior. You will also visit the Papetoai fishing village and the interior of the crater.

CATAMARAN SAIL SS PFM0071 • 4h

Explore Moorea's beauty from above and below the water during this relaxing sailing and snorkeling excursion aboard a catamaran. Depart the pier aboard the beautiful, 43-foot catamaran, and sail to Moorea's northern coast, then on to a pair of French Polynesian's most beautiful bays: Cook's and Opunohu. En route, you can sit back and relax, or savor a fruit juice under the canopy astern. Upon reaching Opunohu Bay, the captain will drop anchor in the clear blue waters of the lagoon. After receiving your safety and snorkeling instructions, you will have the chance to discover the underwater tiki place and the marine life residing there, including coral formations and reef fish. Afterwards, you will set sail toward Cook's Bay before returning to your ship. The well-equipped catamaran offers facilities that include a rest room and shower, and a shaded area with comfortable seats.



Entry into and out of the water is by a vertical ladder, aft of the catamaran. Sailing time and itinerary is subject to wind and current conditions. You will be required to remove your shoes upon boarding the vessel. Wear a swimsuit under a cover-up, and bring sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses and a towel from the ship. Bring also your snorkel gear from the ship. The itinerary may change subject to wind and weather conditions. Kindly note that the use of sails is weather dependent.

MOOREA BY CATAJETS **SSSS**

PFMOO73 • 2h • 2 person Catajet

Get an up-close look at Tahiti's idyllic beauty from above and below sea level during this catajet and snorkeling adventure in Moorea. Depart the pier for the boat transfer to the base. Upon arrival, you will receive your safety and riding instructions from your guide, then embark your two-seat catajet for a 1.5hour ride in an idyllic lagoon on Moorea. Led by your guide at an easy speed, you will take in panoramic views of the East Coast and Cook and Opunohu Bays, or the West Coast (weather permitting). Next, a stop will be made for **snorkeling** in the shallow waters. After putting on your mask, fins and snorkel, you will explore the beauty of the tropical fish and coral formations. Your adventure will continue with a stop on a sand bar, where you will have an opportunity to play with stingrays. Following refreshments, you will return to the catajet base, then be transferred back to the pier.



This tour is recommended for guests in good physical condition. This tour is not recommended for guests with neck or back problems, or guests with limited mobility. Each catajet is equipped with a fabric Birnini roaf, and a small cooler. Please wear your swimsuit under a cover-up, sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses, and bring snorkeling equipment and a towel from the ship. Since there is no dry compartment, waterproof cameras are recommended. Lifejackets are mandatory. This is a guided tour, and participants are required to follow their guide and instructions. The minimum age to drive a catajet is 16 years old; children participating on this tour must be accompanied by a parent. All participants must be able to swim independently.

BBQ ON MOTU & SNORKELING SSS PFM0074+5h



Your boat will take you through the beautiful waters of Cook's and Opunohu Bays whilst enjoying the scenery of the north coast of Moorea. Arrive at the Stingray spot for a moment to **swim** with these graceful and elegant creatures. From here you will continue to the private motu where a **BBQ lunch** awaits you. Water, beer, sodas and soft drinks available with lunch. You will also see the preparation of Poisson Cru with Coconut Milk as well as demonstrations of Coconuts and Pareo tying. There will be time to swim, snorkel and enjoy the island.

Please bring your snorkel equipment, beach towel, sunscreen and sunglasses from the ship. Sun chairs are available on the motu and plenty of shade is provided by the trees. Rest room facilities on the motu.

ATV GUIDED TOUR ©©©

PFMOO75 • 3h • 2 person ATV

Moorea's spectacular valleys, bays, and vistas are yours to discover during this guided ATV tour through the island. Depart the pier in Cook's Bay for the brief transfer via minivan to the Hilton Moorea Lagoon & Spa, where the ATVs are based. Upon arrival, you will receive your safety and riding instructions. Then, begin your ATV ride. Your guide will lead you along the road to Belvedere lookout for magnificent views and photo opportunities over Cook's Bay, Opunohu Bay, and Mt. Rotui. You will also venture across the valley, through a river, and past pineapple fields, and stop at an ancient open-air temple, or marae, to learn about the Polynesian culture. Afterwards, you will continue on to the Moorea Agricultural School, then ride across this large plantation and down to the Paopao Valley. From here, you will take the main road en route to the Fruit Juice Factory, where you will enjoy a brief stop. Then, ride back to the Hilton Lagoon & Spa. Upon arrival, you will re-board your minivan for the return ride to the pier.

For insurance purposes, each driving participant must present credit card details and a valid driver's license and be at least 18 years of age. The minimum age to ride as a passenger on this tour is 6 years old. Protective helmets will be provided, and must be worn throughout the riding portion of this tour. There is no storage compartment; guests are encouraged to keep cameras and personal belongings in a backpack. The cost of this tour is per ATV, which can accommodate two average-sized adults. When pre-requesting this tour, please select only one ticket.



MOOREA DOLPHIN CENTER ©©©© PFM0076 • 1h

Depart the pier via minivan or motorized boat for a short scenic ride to **Moorea Dolphin Center**. For more than 20 years, Moorea Dolphin Center has offered unique interactive and educational programs allowing the guests to learn about marine mammals and better understand their ecosystem. You will learn about these beautiful creatures and have the chance to interact with them supervised by professional animal trainers. Guests will have an opportunity to meet and interact with the dolphins in shallow water and will learn about the beautiful and fragile lagoon habitat. The Manea Program (dolphin encounter) has been created in collaboration with marine biologists and veterinarians in order to ensure the dolphins' well-being.

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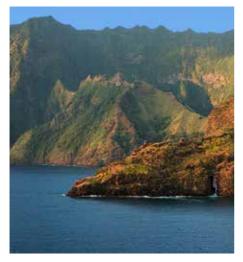
PFOMO50	OMOA PETROGLYPHS WALK	3h	66
PFOMO51	SCENIC DRIVE TO HANAVAVE	3h30	66

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OMOA PETROGLYPHS WALK © PF0M050 • 3h



Set in a luscious native forest within a picturesque valley is an ancient ceremonial site where Marguesans prayed to their gods to provide abundant water for their crops. Trekking up to the site you will pass an old chief's paepae upon which is a small tiki carved in the famous ke'etu stone of the islands. Ascending inland you will see a number of sites whose functions will be explained to you by your on-board lecturer in anthropology and archaeology, Mark Eddowes. Finally, you will arrive on the crest of a ridge featuring important petroglyphs, or rock art. The images depict anthropomorphic images of men, concentric circle eyes of magical tikis and even an ancient sailing canoe. However, the most impressive petroglyph and one of the largest in the Marguesas is that of the famous paoa, which looks like a huge tuna fish, carved into the rock. See also the grinding, polishing and sharpening stones used in ancestral working of adzes and other tools. Enjoy the magnificent scenery surrounding the site as sharp mountain peaks pierce the sky. This excursion provides a wonderful chance to visit the interior of Fatu Hiva's beautiful Omoa Vallev.

The hike is medium to difficult and involves uphill walking in hot and humid conditions. Participants should be physically fit, carry a bottle of water and wear a hat. Sturdy footwear appropriate to trekking is recommended.

SCENIC DRIVE TO HANAVAVE © PFOM051 • 3h30

Fatu Hiva, the most remote island of the inhabited Marquesan islands offers green and lush vegetation with sheer, rocky landscapes. There are only two villages on the island connected by one road (17 km). The scenic 4x4 ride from Omoa to Hanavave offers numerous photo opportunities over dramatic landscapes, coastline and deep gorges and valleys. On arrival in Hanavave you will have some free time to stretch your legs and explore the village and take more photos of one of the most picturesque locations in the Marquesas, the iconic Bay of Virgins. The bay was named by Catholic missionaries, who said that the phallic shaped stone outcrops were formed as veiled virgins.



As this tour involves rough off-road driving, it is not recommended for guests with back and/or neck problems, who suffer from motion sickness or vertigo or women who are pregnant. This tour involves very little walking. Guests are encouraged to wear insect repellant to ward off the small beach mosquitoes (nonos). Each vehicle will accommodate four guests. The drivers are not guides, and their command of the English language is very limited.

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GLASS-BOTTOM BOAT SS PFRGI50 • 1h30



Get acquainted with the coral gardens and tropical fish of Rangiroa during this **scenic glass-bottom boat tour**. Depart the pier aboard a glass-bottom boat, then slowly float over the huge coral heads that cluster in shallow areas inside the Tiputa Channel. Along the way, you will see a colourful world full of parrot fish, butterfly fish, and surgeon fish through the large windows. You may also encounter black-tipped sharks, and catch a glimpse of the majestic Napoleon fish. During the tour, your Polynesian boat crew will attract the fish directly under the glass panels to make it easy for you to observe and photography them. A cover will provide protection from the sun and eliminate glare, enabling you to take home great photographs. Following your tour, you will be transferred back to the pier.

This is not a snorkelling tour. This tour takes place at Motu Nui Nui. Marine life is widely present in this region; however, sightings cannot be guaranteed and tickets are nonrefundable should a sighting not occur. The Tuamotu's are very remote islands. Although the guides used are the best available, they are not certified and their command of English may be very poor. Your patience and understanding is greatly appreciated.

BLACK PEARL FARM PFRGI51 • 1h30

Explore Rangiroa's black pearl industry and learn about pearl cultivation during this memorable visit to the Black Pearl Farm. Depart the pier for a ride along Rangiroa's main road, past the airport and on to the Black Pearl Farm. Most pearl farms are smallsized, and the number of workers at this farm is guite representative of the farms in this region. Upon arrival at the farm, the staff will give you a brief lecture about the farming and production of black pearls. You will learn about the chronology and evolution of the industry, and how oysters are selected, grown, and then grafted for production. Following the lecture, you will proceed to the work sheds where oysters are sorted and cleaned, and watch a grafter at work as he skilfully plies his trade. Following your visit, you will reboard your minivan for the return ride to the pier.

This tour is for guests who are interested in learning about pearl cultivation. The Tuamotus are very remote islands. Although the guides used are the best available, they are not certified, and their command of English may be very poor. Your patience and understanding are greatly appreciated.



SNORKELLING RANGIROA'S

"AQUARIUM" SS PFRGI52 • 1h30

Rangiroa's spectacular and diverse marine life is yours to discover during this scenic and memorable ride in the Tuamotu Islands. Depart the pier via local boat for the ride to Motu Nui Nui, a natural, **openwater aquarium** renowned for its marine life. Upon arrival, you will receive your safety instructions, then enter the water to explore your surroundings. Along the way, you will observe an abundance of colourful fish and coral and marine life. Your guide will offer assistance in the water and throughout the tour. During the tour, you will also have an opportunity to hand-feed the fish. Following your **snorkelling session**, you will be transferred back to the pier.



This tour is recommended for guests who are in good physical condition and used to snorkelling in deep water and strong currents. The Tuamotus are very remote islands. Although the guides used are the best available, they are not certified, and their command of English may be very poor, thus, narration will be very limited tonon-existent. Your patience and understanding are greatly appreciated. Please wear a swimsuit under a cover-up, sunscreen, a hat, and sunglasses, and bring a bottle of water and a towel from the ship.



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CKRAR52	RARO SAFARI BY 4WD	3h	888
CKRAR53	PA «SON OF RAROTONGA»	3h	666
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RAROTONGA CIRCLE ISLAND TOUR SSS CKRAR50 • 3h30



Depart the pier for an orientation ride around the island, an excellent way to see the island. Along the way, you will visit such sites as **Ngatangiia Harbor**, the departure point of the Polynesian Migration to New Zealand in 1350 AD, and a historical back road built in 1050 AD called the **Road of Toi**, or Ara Metua. Visit Muri Lagoon, where you will enjoy light refreshments and a cultural show, then continue on past ceremonial sites that include **Arai Te Tonga**, several historical buildings, the library, the museum, and fruit and vegetable plantations. This tour provides guests with an excellent orientation to the island of Rarotong and is recommended for all visitors who want an appreciation of the island and its culture and history. Following your tour, you will be returned to the pier.

TAKITUMU CONSERVATION TOUR SSS CKRAR51 • 3h30

Nature and bird lovers especially will relish this unique opportunity to explore Rarotonga's exotic bird and plant species during a memorable island conservation tour. Depart the pier for the transfer to the Conservation Centre. Upon arrival, you will begin your guided walking tour. Along the way, you will learn about conservation efforts involving the flycatcher, or kakerori, an indigenous bird found only on Rarotonga. Over the years, the bird's numbers have dwindled as a result of an increase in natural predators. Your visit, along with the visits of many hundreds of others, will provide the landowners with the funds needed to conduct research into various means of preserving and promoting this rare species of bird. The conservation area is also a tropical rain forest featuring many types of medicinal plants, and you will hear about the many local uses for such herbal remedies. Following your walking tour, you will be returned to the ship.

This tour involves 2 hours of walking over uneven terrain and is recommended for guests in good physical condition. Transfer to and from the conservation site will be in air-cooled buses. The tour will start from the gate, and there will be places to rest along the way. There are no rest room stops on this tour. All proceeds from this tour will go toward the Conservation Centre.





As this tour involves travel over bumpy surfaces, guests with back and/or neck problems and guests with limited mobility are discouraged from participating. Seating on the trucks is very basic. Sunscreen, a hat, and sunglasses are recommended.

RARO SAFARI BY 4WD SSS CKRAR52 • 3h

Explore **Rarotonga's** pristine natural beauty in an exciting way during this **off-road tour** of the island's stunning lagoons, valleys, and inland villages. Depart the pier in an off-road, open-top safari truck for a drive to Rarotonga's back roads and valleys. Along the way, you will be privy to sights and sounds regular visitors to the island would not typically have an opportunity to experience. You will learn how traditional Cook Islanders live, and your guide will provide you with an informative commentary on the various traditional uses of local flora and fauna. Following your tour, you will be returned to the pier.

PA «SON OF RAROTONGA» SSS CKRAR53 • 3h

Discover the wisdom of Pa, one of the Cook Islands best known traditional healers, during this informative guided nature trek. Depart the pier for the drive to the interior of the island. Upon arrival, you will join your guide on a trek along an ancient pathway used by Pa's ancestors before the missionaries arrived. Along the way, your guide will share Pa's in-depth knowledge of medicinal plants and of the culture and history of these islands. He will also provide demonstrations of the preparation of various traditional medicines and their applications. Bottled water and seasonal fruit will be served at Pa's residence. Following your visit, you will be transferred back to the pier.



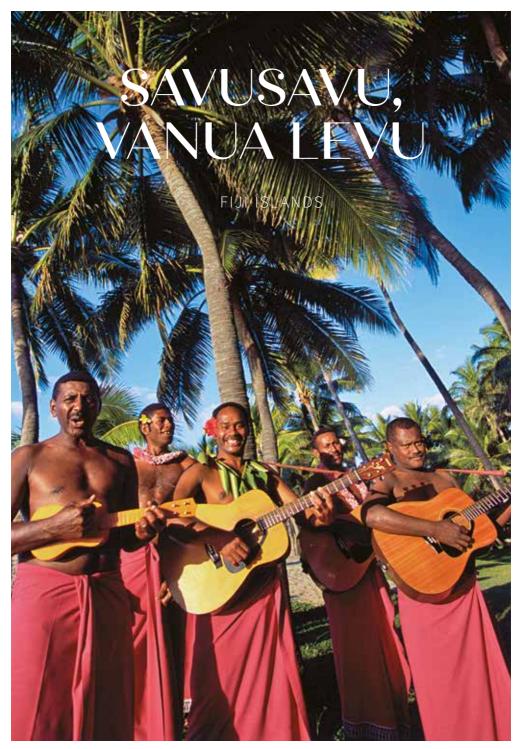
This tour is recommended for guests in good physical condition. Guests with limited mobility or guests who utilize a wheelchair will not be permitted on this tour. Wear sturdy, closed-toe shoes, and bring sunscreen, a hat, and sunglasses.

MURI LAGOON CRUISE ©®®

CKRAR54 • 3h

Rarotonga's spectacular tropical beauty and marine life are yours to discover during this scenic and memorable cruise on the Muri Lagoon. Depart the pier for the transfer to the **Muri, Rarotonga's inner lagoon**. Upon arrival, you will embark a glass-bottom boat and begin your cruise. Along the way, you will observe a myriad of colorful coral and fish. More adventurous guests will have an opportunity to go snorkeling among the schools of tropical fish. The fish are extremely tame and used to swimmers, and will take food from your hand. Following your cruise, you will be transferred back to the ship.

Wear your swimsuit under a cover-up, and bring sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses, and a towel from the ship. The boat is covered and features a water-access ladder. There are no rest room facilities on the boat. Snorkeling equipment will be provided.



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FJSVU50	SAVUSAVU SIGHTSEEING	4h	999
FJSVU51	NAKAWAGA WATERFALL & RAINFOREST	3h	888
FJSVU52	WAISALE RAINFOREST & RESERVE	3h30	999
FJSVU53	NUKUBALAVU VILLAGE TOUR	3h	888
FJSVU54	SNORKELLING TOUR	2h	888

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SAVUSAVU SIGHTSEEING SS FJSVU50 • 4h



Your first stop on this tour will be just outside of town at the **factory of Copra Millers** of Fiji - the leading manufacturer of coconut oil in Fiji. Witness the processing of **Virgin coconut** oil which is extracted from the coconut flesh with the minimal amount of processing i.e. no high heat or pressure and no harsh chemical solvents, bleaching agents, etc. The oil is completely unrefined to ensure it retains all the natural goodness of the coconut itself. There is a huge demand for coconut oil overseas. Malaysia and Taiwan are Fiji's biggest markets. Re-board the coach and enjoy a leisurely scenic drive along the coastal picturesque Hibiscus Highway. En route, pass the renowned Namale Resort (owned by Anthony Robbins - motivational guru) and Oneva Estate, once a prosperous copra plantation which has now been developed into a residential subdivision and is home to many expatriate retirees. Pass coastal beaches and old coconut plantations before arriving at Vatudamu Community Hall for entertainment and refreshments by the local people. Retrace your journey and return to Savusavu Town to visit the bubbling hot springs where locals cook their food wrapped in little cloth bundles or sacks. Return to the Copra Shed Marina to board the tender for transport back to the ship.

Recommended dress code shorts/skirts and Polo or T-shirts, something cool. Bring along your cameras and Currency for those who may want to shop or purchase souvenirs. Includes fresh tropical fruit and bottled water.

NAKAWAGA WATERFALL & RAINFOREST SSU51 • 3h

Your day begins with a 40-to-50-minute drive along the cross island road to **Nakawaqa Rainforest** located on the northeastern part of Savusavu town. Guests are welcomed on arrival by the villagers and escorted to the waterfall following trails in the rainforest. Normally 30 minutes trek in the forest from and to the waterfall. Choose one of the three pools to **have a dip or refreshing swim**. Wainiliku Creek is surrounded by 200 acres of virgin tropical rainforest with huge indigenous trees and other species. The walk to the falls is under the shade of the forest canopy. Return to the waiting area for fruit refreshments and browse amongst the local village handicrafts before boarding the bus to return to Savusavu.



Recommended dress code shorts/skirts and Polo or T-shirts, towel and swimsuit. Bring along your cameras and cash (local) for those who may want to shop or purchase souvenirs. Includes fresh tropical fruit and bottled water. Please note the weather condition can change the activity level of the tour. If affected by rain, the trail may become slippery and the tour is recommended for guests with good physical condition.

WAISALE RAINFOREST & RESERVE SSS 5130

The Waisali Reserve is one of the few remaining unexploited forests in Fiji and is the natural habitat for the native Fijian hardwood – some of the trees being over 100 years old. On the two-hour forest trail engulfed by majestic trees you may be fortunate to see or hear the red breasted musk parrot or the beautiful orange dove – both endemic and rare bird species. The quiet serene is disturbed only by the occasional sound of the barking pigeon and moving stream water. Take time to rest in the bur beside the rock pool which is home to finish species, eel, prawn and freshwater snails. The reserve fresh water fauna are unique so the pool is kept undisturbed and is not suitable for swimming. This tour involves uphill walking so good walking shoes are recommended.

Guests are encouraged to wear a hat, sunglasses, sun screen and comfortable walking shoes for this tour. Please bring bottled water from the ship. Includes fresh tropical fruit and bottled water. This tour is not recommended for guests with heart conditions, as this tour includes strenuous uphill and downhill walking.

NUKUBALAVU VILLAGE TOUR SSS FJSVU53 • 3h

Experience the day-to-day life of Fijian people during a memorable visit to an authentic Fijian village. Journey along the scenic coast road to visit Nukubalavu Village, home of the paramount chief of Savusavu. Guests will be greeted by the village elders and invited to witness and participate in a kava ceremony where the powdered kava is mixed with water and presented by a'bilo' (coconut cup) to those who wish to taste this ceremonial drink. Following the ceremony the guide will take guests on a tour of the village to experience the warmth of the native Fijians. Guests may mingle with villagers and their children to learn more about their culture and witness traditional art craftwork. Finished craft work will be available for purchase, and guests are also invited to taste a traditional Fijian fresh green coconut juice before boarding the bus to return to the ship.



Guests are kindly asked to dress conservatively and mindfully of the Fijian culture, by avoiding wearing vests, skimpy tops, swim wear, short pants for ladies, and hats during the village tour. Please bring bottled water from the ship.

SNORKELLING TOUR 888

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At the edge of the reef which runs out from Savusavu Bay is a Lighthouse, which gives its name to the famed **snorkelling site**. Board either the «Island Fever» or the «Island Paradise» and take an enjoyable fast and scenic ride along the inside of the Bay to snorkel amongst beautiful coral and tropical fish in crystalclear turquoise waters. Savusavu is home to some of the most vibrant and colourful coral in Fiji. There are numerous plate corals, soft spaghetti corals and fish, fish, fish... myriads of black and white sergeant fish as well as clown fish, orange and purple anthias, trumpet fish, pale green damsel fish, humpbacked wrasse and Maori wrasse. The scene takes on the appearance of a tropical aquarium as abundant small fish dart in and out of the striking coral. Giant clams, grouper and parrotfish are also commonly seen in and around the coral formations. Sea turtles frequent the Lighthouse so it is always a treat to see one or two. Occasionally a friendly white-tip reef shark will be seen.

Please bring your snorkel gear, beach towel and bottled water from the ship. Please wear your swim wear under your clothes as there are no changing facilities on the boat.



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FJSUV51	ZIPLINE	5h	888
FJSUV52	MOLITUVA VILLAGE	3h	888
FJSUV53	UPRISING BEACH RESORT	6h	888
FJSUV54	COLO-1-SUVA TREK TOUR & WATERFALL	3h	88
FJSUV55	SNORKELLING IN BEQA LAGOON	4h	888

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FIJI'S CULTURE & HERITAGE TOUR SSS FJSUV50 • 4h



Tour involves moderate walking. Recommended dress code is shorts/skirts and a Polo or T-shirts, something cool. Bring along your camera for photos and some change for a stop at the Fiji Museum handicraft shop. There is one rest room stop during the tour. Visit Fiji's capital city, Suva - centre of commerce and the seat of government. This guided drive tour will take you to see various iconic sites such as the President's Residence and nearby Albert Park (where Kingsford Smith landed his small aircraft on his epic flight from the United States to Australia in 1928) as well as Thurston Botanical Gardens. During the tour you will also see The Borron House (home of Fiji's greatest statesman Ratu Sukuna and for use only by foreign dignitaries). You will also have the opportunity to visit the Fiji Museum. Bilo Battery Historical Site and World War II Heritage Site is also included in the tour on 12 April only. During World War II, the guns at Bilopeninsula lent a degree of comfort to the people in a time of uncertainty and fears of news of the Japanese invasion flashed across the Pacific. The guns once pointed out from the side of Bilopeninsula like twin fingers of death, down to the Bay of islands in Lamiand across Suva harbour to the capital. They were placed there to guard the passage in the reef leading to Suva harbour.

ZIPLINE SSS FJSUV51 • 5h

Depart from Suva port for a 20-minute drive to Pacific Harbour and arrive at the zipline. In the heart of the tropical rainforest, just minutes from Pacific Harbour, Fiji's 'Adventure Capital', lies ZIP FJJ's private ecoreserve - a biological paradise. The guides help you use special equipment and techniques to experience this amazing wilderness from a unique perspective. Feel the rush of adrenaline as you WHOOSH over eight ziplines high above the forest floor and the Wainadoi River valley. Enjoy a classic 'canopy tour' with stunning views and thrilling rides while you experience the area's distinctive flora and fauna and local culture accompanied by English-speaking native guides. At this end of the activity, you will get back to your coach to join your ship.



Wear comfortable clothing you don't mind getting a little dirty or wet and that will not interfere with the adjustment of the harness or helmet. Closed-toe sport shoes provide the best protection for your feet, however strap-on sandals are acceptable. Bring your camera, bottled water and insect repellent with you to the tour site. As it rains periodically throughout the day, you may want to bring a lightweight poncho or jacket or a change of clothing. Please bring a hair tie if you have long hair. Participants must be reasonably fit, weigh less than 135 kg (300 pounds), be at least 5 years of age and have a torso length of at least 45 cm (18 inches). Children under legal age (18) must be accompanied by an adult. The tour is not recommended for persons with asthma, balance problems, epilepsy, heart problems, some disabilities, back, neck or shoulder problems or those who are pregnant.

MOLITUVA VILLAGE SSS FJSVU52 • 3h

Molituva is an old village fort that was the dwelling place of one of Fiji's most fiercest and feared warriors. Touring the ruins of this great fort one could envisage the lives of these greater fighters. The dug out moats still visible and to walk the maze of tracks build by the warriors is indeed an experience that is not easily forgotten. The Molituva tour takes you back in time and you can feel the eerie feeling as if you were there in those primitive days when witnessing the strewn old pottery, stone axes and traded steel axes dated back to the 13th century. On arrival, you will be met and greeted with a serenade, then you will be informed on the village protocol that needs to be observed. Fully dressed warriors and traditionally dressed women escort you to the Village hall, where you can observe the different activities performed such as husking and scraping coconuts, weaving baskets and mats... Observe a traditional sevusevu ceremony as well as the traditional meke and re-enactment of tribal wars by warriors as they invade the village arena. Farewell songs will escort you back to your coaches. On your way back to the pier, enjoy a panoramic drive through town, passing by the President's Residence, Mormon Temple and various official residences of foreign consulates.

Wear cool clothing, such as shorts/skirt and a polo or T-shirt. Bring your camera and some change for souvenirs.

UPRISING BEACH RESORT SSV 53.6h

Head to Uprising Beach Resort, for a day of relaxation and fun, at this truly beach front resort. A buffet Luncheon set right on the beach, serving international flavour and all time Fijian Favourites. There are 2 full service bars, one right at the waters edge. For those lookingfor a bit of activity, the resort provides snorkelling safaris into Beqa Lagoon, 1/2hour Jet Ski Hire Rentals, Massages at extra cost. A fresh water swimming pool, or enjoy the perfect sand beach, suitable for swimming at both low and high tides. The day begins with a free activity of Coconut Carnival (includes explanation of the Multi Use of Coconut Tree e.g. basket weaving, hat weaving, coconut husking & Fijian dish - Kokoda cooking demo), Kava tasting demo, beach volleyball, touch rugby and beach soccer and free use of kayaks. The Activities team are here to ensure you enjoy as much or as little as you please.

Wear comfortable flat-soled shoes, clothing suited to the weather conditions, a hat, sunscreen and bottled water. At the end of the tour, optional shopping is available in Suva town before returning to the pier. The drive takes approximately. One hour, one way.

COLO-I-SUVA TREK TOUR & WATERFALL SS FJSUV54•3h



Located 20 minutes from the city, **Colo-i-Suva is a national park** that boasts a crystal-clear river set in serene and peaceful surroundings amidst a spectacular rainforest making this a perfect spot for a moderate trek followed by a cool dip in the waterfall. The weather is much cooler than Suva City with temperatures falling to as low as ten degrees at altitudes of 120-180 meters accompanied by frequent rainfalls. The air is clean and crisp with only the calls of local bird life penetrating the atmosphere. At the end of the hike, you will get back to Savu and join your ship.

Wear comfortable flat-soled shoes, clothing suited to the weather conditions, a hat, sunscreen and bottled water. At the end of the tour, optional shopping is available in Suva town before returning to the pier.

SNORKELLING IN BEQA LAGOON **SSS**

FJSUV55•4h

Beqa Lagoon tour is an exhilarating high-speed adventure and coral reef tour that will take in the magnificent reefs that surround Beqa Lagoon and its islands. You could see many varieties of marine life and fish species from reef, bull and tiger sharks, stingrays, barracudas, groupers, wrasses, parrot fish, giant trevally, moray eels and turtles that inhabit the reef areas. You will be amazed at the vivid and contrasting colour combinations of the smaller reef fish and the stunning beauty that our coral reefs and Beqa Lagoon has to offer. You will be driven from the pier to the Pearl Resort (approximately 1-hour drive) where you will board a boat to join the Beqa Lagoon.



Please bring your snorkel gear and towel from the ship. Wear your swimsuit underneath your clothes. The boat ride to may be bumpy and rough depending on the sea conditions. Waivers will be required from each guest.

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PFTAH51	CATAMARAN SAIL	3h30	888
PFTAH52	SNORKEL & BLACK PEARL FARM ADVENTURE	3h30	888
PFTAH53	TAHA'A CULTURAL TOUR	3h30	88
PFTAH54	WAVE RUNNER & SNORKELLING ADVENTURE	2h	0000
PFTAH57	CORAL GARDEN DRIFT SNORKELLING	3h30	888

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EXPLORATION OF TAHA'A SS PFTAH50 • 3h30



Explore Taha'a's exquisite topography, ancient culture, and local economy during this scenic and memorable off-road tour. Depart the pier in an offroad vehicle for the ride across one of Taha'a's highest mountains. Along the way, your guide will point out sights of interest, and a stop will be made at a scenic viewpoint to learn about the traditional uses of local plants and trees. The island of Taha'a is often called Vanilla Island, and you will learn about this fragrant spice while visiting a small family plantation. Afterwards, you will visit a small black pearl farm to learn how these treasures are cultivated and harvested. These small cottage industries represent a large part of this small island's economic structure. During the return drive along the east coast of the island, your guide will entertain you with tales of island life and lore. Upon returning to the ship, a tender service to the Paul Gauguin's private island, Motu Mahana will be available throughout the day.

This tour involves travel over very rough roads, with steep ascents and descents. This tour is not recommended for guests with back and/or neck problems, guests who suffer from motion sickness or vertigo, or guests with limited mobility. The itinerary may be modified depending on weather conditions. Guests must remain seated in the vehicle, as standing can be dangerous.

CATAMARAN SAIL SS PFTAH51 • 3h30

Get on-board a luxurious catamaran and indulge yourself with a breathtaking cruise in the amazing waters of Taha'a Lagoon. Thanks to the shallow draft, Catamaran will take you to shallow areas, over multiple shades of blues and turquoises of the lagoon. While your crew sets up the sails for a magnificent sailing, feel the sea breeze as your eyes discover beauty of the Vanilla Island. During your sail, fresh fruits and juice will be served and your Tahitian hostess will help you better understand the Polynesian culture. Arrive at the coral garden and start your snorkeling adventure. After your snorkel, sail back to the pier. Ship's tender will return you to the ship where you can catch a tender to Motu Mahana and the Beach BBQ. Kindly note that the use of sails is weather dependent.



The snorkeling stop may be relocated depending on weather conditions. Please bring a swimsuit, hat and sunglasses and bring snorkeling equipment and a towel from the ship. The catamaran is fully protected and equipped with two rest room, shaded area, a sound system, cushions, outside and inside fresh water showers, and ladders to get in and out of the water. Kindly note that the use of sails is weather dependent.



The snorkeling stop may be relocated depending on weather conditions. Some of the canoes may not be covered, and sunscreen is strongly suggested. Please wear a swimsuit under a cover-up, hat, sunglasses and bring snorkeling equipment and a towel from the ship. This tour ends at our private islet, Motu Mahana, where lunch, water activities and snorkeling is available. Guests should be comfortable wearing snorkeling equipment, and able to cope with occasional currents. Morning tour departures will conclude at the beach.

SNORKEL & BLACK PEARL FARM ADVENTURE **SSS** PFTAH52 • 3h30

Explore Tahiti's most unique and sought-after treasures during this canoeing and snorkeling adventure and a visit to the Black Pearl Farm. Depart the pier aboard a motorized outrigger canoe for the 10-minute ride to Poerani, a black pearl farm. The vanilla industry is the island's most important business, followed closely by the production of black pearls. At the black pearl farm, you will learn all about the most beautiful jewel of French Polynesia: the magnificent black pearl. This informative stop will help you understand the value of these lustrous jewels in these islands - and around the world. Continue on to a small motu for an opportunity to **snorkel** in its crystal-clear water. This motu is located close to a pass where experienced snorkeler can observe the drop-off of the reef. Don your snorkeling gear and enter the water, where you will see wonderful underwater fauna and a myriad of tropical fish swimming around you. Following your snorkeling session, you will embark the canoe for the return ride to the Motu Mahana for Paul Gauguin's Beach BBQ.

TAHA'A CULTURAL TOUR SS PFTAH53 • 3h30

After a brief tender boat ride to the pier, you will be met by your local guide and «Le Truck». You will start exploring this scenic island, known as the Vanilla Island, by first visiting a **Vanilla Plantation**. You will have a brief tour of the grounds of the plantation and a presentation into farming and cultivation of this precious spice. Afterwards you will continue your guided tour and you will learn about the history, the legends and present-day life of Taha'a. There will be a number of photo stops along the route. Your final stop will be at the 'Motu Pearl Village' where you will find out all about the creation of the **Tahitian Black Pearl** and enjoy refreshments and local fruits in season. After the visit you will be transferred by boat directly to Motu Mahana.



The itinerary may be modified depending on weather conditions. Rest room facilities at the Motu Pearl Village. Please have local currency with you for any purchases.

WAVE RUNNER & SNORKELLING

ADVENTURE SSS PFTAH54 • 2h • 2 person jetski

Start your tour with a short introduction on how to drive your **wave runner**. After, your guide will take you for a ride around the north eastern side of Taha'a's lagoon. Stop for explanations on the way to your snorkeling stop. The Wave runner has a spacious compartment where you can store your snorkeling gear. You will stop at one of the most beautiful coral gardens and have one of the most memorable snorkeling experiences during your cruise. Bring your snorkel gear from the ship. Tour Ends at Motu Mahana.



CORAL GARDEN DRIFT SNORKELLING ©©© PFTAH57 • 3h30



Depart the ship by covered motorized **boat** for a 15-minute ride along the west coast of Taha'a. Upon arrival, you will disembark the boat for a guided walk across an uninhabited islet, or motu, located just off the coast. After reaching the other side of the motu, you will commence your snorkeling session. Your guide will lead you as the current carries you through the shallow lagoon on the way back to the boat. The drift can be moderate to strenuous depending on the strength of the current. The drift is done in a single line with one snorkeling guide leading the 12-snorkeler spaced 10 feet apart and one snorkeling guide closing up on the group. This area abounds with a spectacular variety of tropical fish and amazing coral. Upon returning to the boat, refreshments and additional snorkeling time will be made available before you are transferred back to Motu Mahana.

This tour is only recommended for experienced snorkeler that are extremely comfortable in the water. Novice/beginner snorkeler are strongly encouraged to snorkel on the Motu. Please wear a swimsuit under a cover-up with reef shoes, sunscreen, a hat, sunglasses and bring snorkeling equipment and a towel from the ship.

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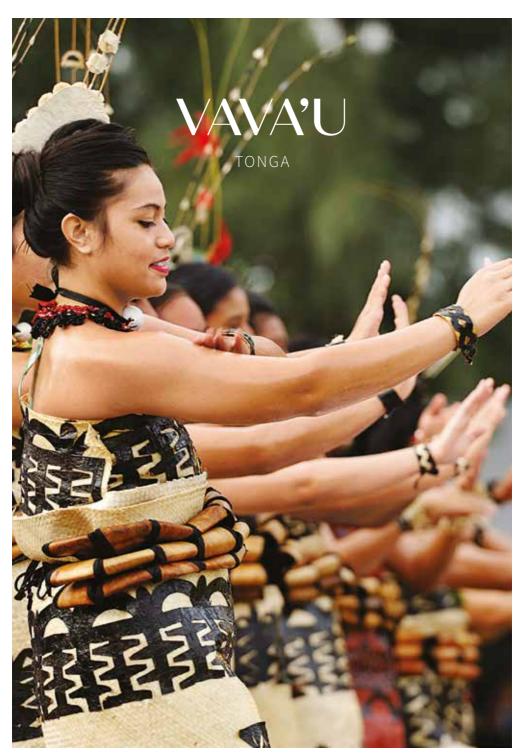


VISIT OF TAIPIVALVALLEY ©© PFTAI50 • 4h

Nuku Hiva's spectacular beauty is yours to discover during this off-road adventure in the Taipivai Valley. Depart the pier for the ride to the Taipivai Valley, one of the richest archaeological sites in the Marquesas Islands. The Taipivai Valley is a location made famous by the American writer and former sailor, Herman Melville (1819-1891). who deserted his ship and hid in this valley. Captured by indigenous natives, he lived in the Taipivai Valley for three weeks, a period during which he observed their way of life. This experience was the inspiration for his first novel. On the way to the Taipivai Valley, you will ride through the island's interior along a steep trail lined with lush flora and vegetation, then traverse exquisite mountain terrain. Along the way, you will enjoy many opportunities to take magnificent photographs, as you stop several times to take in spectacular vistas of the coastline, bays, and valleys. At one particular stop, you will see your ship anchored in the Bay of Taihoae. Next, you will drive through Taipivai's small agricultural villages, then proceed to a long stretch of beach at the end of the village. Here, you will stop again to admire splendid vistas of the valley and surrounding mountains. Following your visit, you will re-board your off-road vehicle for the return ride to the pier.

As this tour involves travel over rough, uneven terrain, it is not recommended for quests with back and/or neck problems. The tour involves very little walkina. Guests are encouraged to wear insect repellant or coconut oil for the skin (monoi) to ward off small beach mosquitoes (nonos). Pricing listed is per person. Space is limited to a maximum of 4 guests per vehicle. It is recommended that families and friends wishing to ride together contact the Travel Concierge Desk aboard ship in order to be assigned the same vehicle. Although the drivers used are the best available, they are not quides, and their command of English is poor. Your patience and understanding are greatly appreciated.





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BEACH COMBING & SNORKELLING TOUR SS TONEI50 • 3h30

From Halaevalu wharf, you will be travelling in non-air-conditioned 'island style' minivans to the beautiful **Tongan Beach Resort** via the township of Neiafu and through some picturesque little villages and past a Vanilla Plantation, an important source of income for the island. You will have approximately **two hours of free time to relax in the sun, swim and snorkel**. There are limited number of sun chairs and umbrellas available on the beach. The beach is part sand and part rocky. Resort services and activities are available at an additional cost. At the end of the tour, you will be transferred to the pier.

Bring your snorkelling equipment from the ship, swimsuit, towel and reef/water shoes to wear while swimming as there's coral underfoot. Insect repellent is also recommended.

SWALLOW CAVE & ISLAND GETAWAY SS TONEI51 • 4h

Vava'u's big island is set in a cluster of nearly 40 smaller islands. The only harbour providing access to Neiafu is considered one of the most picturesque in the Pacific. Your tour will consist of a boat cruise that winds through the harbour to the island of Kapa. The main attraction of Kapa Island is beautiful Swallow's Cave which perforates a cliff at its northern end. The cave is in fact inhabited not by swallows but by hundreds of swift lets that flit about in the dim light and nest in the darkness of the cave's upper reaches. You can only view the swallow cave from outside from your boat unless weather permits you to swim into the cave. Afterwards you will continue to Falevai Mui Houma Beach. With its crystal blue waters and perfect beach, it is one of the most exquisite places on Vava'u Island. You will have time to enjoy a swim in the warm, clear ocean or simply relax on the white, sandy beach.



Those guests wishing to swim, please bring your swimsuit, cover-up and reef shoes to wear while swimming. Also recommended: snorkel equipment, insect repellent, towel, sun protection and bottled water. The tour is not recommended for guests in wheelchairs. Guests must be in good physical condition. There is no bar, restaurant, sun chairs etc., available on the island. Tour may be cancelled due to weather conditions.

POLYNESIAN CULTURAL TOUR SS TONEI52 • 3h30

Board an island bus at Halaevalu Wharf and proceed to Eneio Botanical Garden. This tour offers a truly interactive experience which allows you to **relive Polynesian yesterday and experience native lifestyles** through guided, on-site, live demonstration and gentle strolling tours amongst the lush tropical paradise of the stunning and only Botanical Garden in Tonga. You will be fascinated with the various demonstrations which includes the making of clothing from bark, along with the creation of jewellery and mats from pandanus leaves, the making of milk and products from coconuts, the making of beverages from plant roots, the production of essence from vanilla beans, and juice from nour fruits. This guided tour highlights the owner's efforts in conservation and preservation of different plant species since 1972, and is the only opportunity to discover the splendid collection of plants, mature trees and flowering shrubs in this garden. Return to Halaevalu Wharf via Tailulu College, Pouono Cemetery and the Catholic Cathedral Church for your last scenic view and photo-stop.

Transportation is by non-air-conditioned island bus/minivan without PA systems or microphones. Some roads are unpaved and rutted; the ride can be bumpy. We recommend bringing insect repellent, comfortable flat-soled shoes, sunglasses, a hat, a small bottle of water and clothing suited to weather conditions.

ENE'IO TONGAN FEAST SS TONEI53 • 4h

Get to see Vava'u with its natural and beautiful adornments in the west side of the island. You will travel through township to Tailulu College which is a scenic spot to view Mount Talau, some of the scattered islands, Port of Refuge. The Island Feast with Cultural Floorshow consists of a variety of local foods, international cuisines, local desserts and seasonal fruits highlighted by a group of locals performing traditional songs and dances. The lunch menu offers simple island foods, such as roast suckling pig, chicken, fish, lu pulu (corned beef cooked with young taro leaves and coconut cream), taro, kumara (Tongan sweet potatoes), and seasonal tropical fruits: papaya, watermelon, pineapple, and bananas. Transportation is by non-air-conditioned island bus and minivan which are not equipped with PA systems. Some roads are unpaved and rutted; the ride may be bumpy.



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FAQ – QUESTIONS & ANSWERS ON LE PAUL GAUGUIN EXCURSIONS

Q: How do I choose my diving excursion/ tour?

A: Before your cruise, carefully read the descriptions of all excursions and choose the ones that interest you most, especially those at your diving level. During your cruise, the excursion manager will keep you informed of any program updates. The Dive Desk will answer all your questions about diving.

Q: Can I participate in more than one excursion/tour per port visited?

A: Yes. If you would like to participate in several excursions on the same day, make your preferences known on the booking form. The Excursion Desk will recommend the best departure times, with an interval of at least 30min between each excursion. Please feel free to indicate your order of preference. Many tours have a limited number of participants, or multiple departure times throughout the day.

NOTE:

- Excursion duration times do not take transit into account.

- Depending on the excursions chosen, it may not be possible to do two on the same day.

- If you organize a port trip yourself, or decide to leave an organized excursion, we won't be able to know what you're doing or where you are. It's imperative to allow sufficient time to return to the ship before its departure.

Q: Will I miss any meals if I take an excursion/tour?

A: During a stopover, meal times are adjusted according to the outings and returns of excursions and diving trips. Some excursions

may not be compatible with regular meal times. If that's the case, room service is still an option.

Q: Are tours canceled due to bad weather?

A: Local providers carefully monitor the weather. If the conditions do not meet all the security criteria, tours may be canceled. If a provider cancels an excursion due to weather, you'll be fully refunded.

Q: Do the excursions go on in the event of rain?

A: Even though we all prefer outings in good weather, it sometimes rains in French Polynesia. Tours are not canceled in the event of rain, and tickets are non-refundable if hosts prefer not to participate. Reimbursement of excursion tickets is only possible if the tour operator is the cause for cancellation, because the conditions do not meet all the safety criteria.

Q: How will I know if an excursion is unavailable because it's full?

A: Requests will be processed in order of receipt. If the excursion of your choice is not available, your name will be added to a waiting list, and you will receive instructions with your tickets. Please contact the Tour Desk immediately if you have not received your tickets, or if you will not be able to participate in the booked tour. Due to limitations in transport or other vessels in the port, most tours have a limited number of participants. The Tour Desk can offer other similar tours if your first choice is not available. If you would like to go on a diving trip, please consult the Dive Desk.

Q: How do I pay for my excursions/tours?

A: The excursions/tours will be billed to your account on board the ship, and added to the final bill of your expenses.

Q: Can I cancel a purchased excursion?

A: If you would like to cancel an excursion, please bring your tickets to the Tour Desk before the closing date. The closing dates will be displayed on board, on the reservation forms. If you cancel an excursion or private tour after the closing date, you'll be charged a cancellation fee. Unused excursion tickets are not refundable.

Q: Are there any age restrictions?

A: Unless specified in the tour description, there is no minimum age for children accompanied by a parent or responsible adult. Unaccompanied children must be at least 18 years old. Some excursions offer reduced prices for children.

Q: Are there any other factors that may affect the excursions?

A: *Le Paul Gauguin* vessel reserves the right to cancel an excursion, limit its number of participants or modify its parameters, for any excursion/tour where the vessel deems it preferable for the comfort or safety of some participants.

Q: Is snorkeling equipment provided for snorkeling trips?

A: No. Please equip yourself with snorkeling equipment (mask, snorkel, fins, bag) at *Le Paul Gauguin* Marina before the excursion, or bring your own equipment. Some tour operators offer a limited number of masks and snorkels, but generally do not have fins. Please note that

with the current pandemic context, snorkeling equipment can no longer be loaned to the marina. We recommend that you bring your own equipment or purchase some on board the ship before your excursions.

Q: Is scuba gear provided for scuba diving trips?

A: Yes, you'll be provided with all the necessary equipment: bottle, mask, snorkel, fins, wetsuit (shorty), Stab, regulator, manometer, depth gauge and weights.

Q: Can I snorkel without taking an excursion?

A: Yes, you can snorkel from our private beaches. Remember to pick up your snorkeling equipment at *Le Paul Gauguin* Marina before heading to the beach. When snorkeling is not permitted, you can go to the Marina for kayaking or paddle boarding.

SCUBA DIVING COURSES

We offer courses for beginners and advanced divers. Try scuba diving for the first time with the Discovery Program, or sign up for a training program near you before completing your training during your cruise. All the dive trips organized by *Le Paul Gauguin* are guided by a certified professional instructor, and include all necessary equipment: bottle, mask, snorkel, fins, wetsuit (shorty), Stab, regulator, manometer, depth gauge and weights.

ALREADY CERTIFIED | If you're already a certified diver, please make yourself known to the Marina Manager at the Dive Office on the first day of the cruise. PAUL GAUGUIN Cruises have PADI certification and we recognize divers from all international certification agencies. We look forward to offering you superb dives with *Le Paul Gauquin* in the waters of French Polynesia.

NOT CERTIFIED | If you're not yet a certified diver but have always dreamed of being one, take this opportunity to learn to dive in the waters of French Polynesia. Try scuba diving for the first time with the Discovery program. The Discovery Diving program is a simple, safe and rewarding experience for all participants. Most of those who enter the world of diving for the first time will want to return. You can find out more at the Dive Desk, where you can sign up for courses or certified dives.

PREREQUISITES | All guests wishing to dive from Le Paul Gauguin must provide proof of certification and a dive log, or register for a diving course. If you would like to participate, you'll need to complete a divingspecific medical form on board the vessel, as well as a disclaimer. This medical form must be completed and validated before any dive. We reserve the right to ask divers who have not dived for more than twelve months and cannot provide proof of a certified abseil course since their last dive, to kindly participate in the on-board course prior to diving in open water. This refresher course costs \$30. Divers with a Junior Diver certification may not be able to participate in all dives due to the limitations of this certification. The minimum age to participate in a diving program is 10 years old, and children must be accompanied by a parent at all times.

RESTRICTIONS | For safety reasons, participants must be in good physical condition and not extremely overweight. In some situations, diving is a tough sport. Your respiratory and circulatory systems should be healthy. All respiratory organs must be in good health. People with vascular disease, a cold or shortness of breath, epilepsy, with a serious medical problem or under the influence of alcohol or other drugs should not dive. If you have asthma, heart disease or any other medical condition, or if you take medication regularly, you should consult your doctor and an instructor before participating in a dive. Women who are pregnant or want to become pregnant should not dive.

PLEASE NOTE: All diving courses have a minimum and maximum number of participants per instructor. If the number of participants exceeds this limit, dives may be provided by a contractor. Diving certifications will only be awarded if all the necessary skills are acquired. Depending on one's progress, it may be necessary to participate in additional training in order to achieve certification. For more information on diving and diving lessons, visit www.padi.com.

DIVING: THEORETICAL DISCOVERY AND SWIMMING POOL • PARTS I & 2 • Course of

about 2 hours

Come and experience the wonder of diving with us in the underwater world! Accompanied by a team of experienced instructors, you're sure to make some incredible memories. Even if you've never done scuba diving before, you can learn the basics in 2 hours. You just need to be comfortable in deep water. We limit the number of participants per group in order to support each person as best as possible. You do not have to purchase a scuba diving trip after the in-pool theory course. The price is separated between the theoretical course in the swimming pool and for each dive.

The program includes:

• A theoretical course followed by a practical course in safety in the ship's swimming pool or another safe environment in shallow water • All necessary equipment

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PADI OPEN WATER DIVING COURSE •

Course of approximately 35 hours

Obtain the full certification to become a PADI Open Water Diver, with sufficient knowledge to dive independently in pairs, under the supervision of a professional, to a depth of 18 meters. This course requires a minimum of 4 participants, and is not available for all cruises.

The program includes:

• Five theory modules and a final written exam (approximately one hour per module) • Five sessions in the pool (approximately one hour per session in the pool) • Four dives in the ocean (approximately two hours per dive) • All necessary equipment • A logbook, as well as certification fees. • The final written exam. In addition to the time durations indicated above, take into account the personal study time you'll need to prepare for the exams. This course takes time, and it's a commitment. Please note that passengers participating in this program will have less time to explore the islands and go on excursions.

SPONSORED DIVING COURSE, IN OPEN WATER • Course of approximately 10 hours

One of the best ways to learn to dive is to plan a sponsored open water diving course. Within the six months before your cruise, visit a PADI dive center near you, and sign up for an open water diving course. Ask your instructor for a sponsorship program with a theoretical diving course and pool session. You can then dive in the warm waters of French Polynesia from *Le Paul Gauguin*. You must bring the sponsorship form on the ship to verify that you've completed the theory and swimming pool parts in the last 6 months. You'll need to bring your Open Water Dive Log and PADI Dive Log on the vessel. You can also buy these notebooks on board.

The program includes:

• Pool skills review • Four dives in the ocean • All necessary equipment

ADVANCED DIVING COURSE • Course of

approximately 15 hours

Improve your diving skills with this program. You'll train specifically for deep water diving, navigation, as well as three of the following skills: naturalist, fish identification, change of stages, search and retrieve, night dive, control. To register for this course, you must already be a certified Open Water Diver. This course requires a minimum of 4 participants, and is not available on all cruises.

The program includes:

• Five theoretical modules (approximately one hour per module)

• Five ocean dives (approximately two hours per dive)

• All necessary equipment, including diving torch, whistle, compass and slate

- Open water dives log
- Certification fees

You'll need to bring your PADI Dive Log on the vessel. You can also buy it on board.

PADI CERTIFICATE OF SPECIALIZATION IN DEEP WATER DIVING • Course of

approximately 2 hours

We offer this specialization certificate to guests who already have their Advanced Open Water Diver certification, and who wish to participate in dives in the Marquesas Islands. In accordance with the diving regulations in force in French Polynesia, divers must be certified Advanced Open Water Divers with a Deep Water Specialization Certificate if the diving depth exceeds 20 meters.

FAQ COURSES & CERTIFICATION

R: Q: How do I register for a diving course?

A: Course registration must be done at the Diving Desk, on board the vessel. These programs cannot be booked before the start of the cruise.

Q: How long does it take to become a certified diver?

A: PADI courses are based on your performance; you earn your certification when you show that you've mastered the necessary skills and knowledge. As some learn faster than others, length of time may vary. For example, the PADI Open Water Diving course can be done in five to six sessions, spread over a duration of 3 days to 6 weeks.

Q: What's the minimum age for a diving certification?

A: The minimum age to be certified as a Junior Open Water Diver is 10 years old. 10 and 11 year old Junior Open Water Divers must dive with a parent, certified supervisor or PADI Professional, to a depth of 12 meters. 12-14 year olds must dive with a certified adult. At the age of 15, Junior Certification becomes Open Water Diver Certification.

Q: Do you have to be an excellent swimmer to be certified as an open water diver?

A: No. You have to know how to swim, and be comfortable in the water. You should be able to swim for about 200 meters without stopping, regardless of the weather and type of swim, or 300 meters with a mask, fins and a snorkel. You should also be able to swim in place/float for 10 minutes.

Q: My ears hurt when I dive to the bottom of a swimming pool. Will my ears hurt when diving too?

A: Your ears hurt from the pressure of the water on your eardrums. In scuba diving lessons, you'ill learn simple techniques for balancing your ears with surrounding pressure, much like what you do on an airplane when landing.

Q: I wear contacts. Is that a problem?

A: No. Wearing soft lenses is not a problem when diving. If you wear hard lenses, take gas-permeable lenses for diving. Please consult your eye doctor

for more information. Another option would be to incorporate prescribed lenses into your mask. For more information on this, contact a PADI Professional.

Q: How long do you have to wait to get on a plane after diving?

A: The medical diving community offers the following recommendations before you fly, depending on whether you're using the RDP, another chart, or a dive computer: For dives without a decompression limit:

- Single dive It's recommended to wait 12 hours before boarding a plane
- Repeated dives and/or over several days It's recommended to wait 18 hours before boarding a plane

Dives requiring decompression stops - It's recommended to wait 18 hours

Despite the decompression charts, on-board computers and advice not to fly, decompression sickness can occur. These instructions represent the best chances known to date for avoiding these accidents and providing safe dives for virtually all divers. In the event of special circumstances or particular physical conditions, decompression sickness can sometimes occur despite these recommendations.

Q: I'm already a PADI Certified Diver, but have lost my certification card. Can I get another one, and how long will it take?

A: You can have a lost card replaced at a PADI dive center near you, or you can visit the "Replace my card" section at www.PADI.com. Replacing a certification card takes around two weeks, so if you dive before that ask your PADI dive centers to contact PADI. PADI will then send your certification information directly to you. If you were certified after 1984 by PADI Asia-Pacific, PADI Americas, PADI Canada, PADI International or PADI Europe, we'll be able to verify your status online, for a small fee.

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PRICES AND ITINERARIES

Excursion prices, programmes and itineraries are published approximately 60 days before the start of the cruise via the pre-booking form (sent with your voyage documents). The excursion prices, programmes and itineraries indicated in this brochure are provided for indicative purposes only and may be altered without prior notice.

INCLUDED

- The equipment specified in the description
- Registration fees (where applicable)
- Meals, refreshments and snacks, if specified in the Description

NOT INCLUDED

- Food and/or drinks (unless specified in the description)
- All equipment NOT specified in the description
- Any expenses incurred by returning to the ship separately from the group or before the end of the excursion

The meals served during the excursions are simple, basic meals and should not be expected to compare with the standards onboard the ship.

REGISTRATION

These excursions are available on all departures. They will be available for pre-booking approximately 60 days prior to your departure and up to 7 days prior to your cruise departure. On board PONANT ships, if your cruise is eligible, you'll be informed by email and will be able to contact us for pre-brooking. To ensure better processing, please choose a single prebooking contact and do not submit multiple requests at the same time. Requests will be processed in order of receipt. Then, you can book your excursions directly on board with the excursion desk up to 48 hours before the excursion departs. When you get on board, you'll find your pre-booked excursion tickets in your cabin. Many excursions have a limited number of participants, but every effort will be made to meet your request. If an excursion is not available, you'll be placed on a waiting list. Once on board, we encourage you to contact the Tour Desk to check the status of your registration. However, in the case of a maximum number of participants reached, PONANT reserves the right to no longer accept your registration. Please attend the briefings organized on board by the Tour Desk for an overview of the excursions offered. Unless stated otherwise in the brochure, diving lessons cannot be booked before the cruise.To register for a diving course, visit the Dive Desk on board

CANCELLATIONS AND REFUNDS

The deadline date for cancelling excursions is indicated on the excursion ticket. Once this date has passed, excursions cannot be cancelled or refunded. Unused tickets and voluntary cancellations due to adverse weather conditions are not refundable. Depending on the terms of their travel insurance, passengers may be able to request a refund payment from their insurer if the request is accompanied by a medical certificate.

PAYMENT

Unless otherwise indicated in the cruise programme, excursions are sold and paid onboard, in US dollars.

DEPARTURE TIMES

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RESPONSIBILITY

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CANCELLED EXCURSIONS

In case of cancellation of an excursion for technical reasons or force majeure, or due to a failure to reach the minimum number of participants, the customer will not be billed, but nor will they be entitled to claim any compensation or damages. PONANT reserves the right to cancel an excursion, to limit the number of participants taking part in it or to make changes to it if PONANT or its tour operator judges this to be the preferable option for the comfort or the safety of participants. Excursions are subject to a minimum number of participants and PONANT reserves the right to cancel an excursion due to an insufficient number of people taking part.

GUIDES

You will be accompanied on excursions by local guides who will be able to provide information and answer your questions.

PERSONS WITH REDUCED MOBILITY

The excursions are undertaken using equipment not specifically adapted for persons with reduced mobility.

TIPS

The giving of tips for various services provided during an excursion or a diving trip is a personal matter left to your own discretion. In certain countries, local guides will often expect a small tip if you are satisfied with the services provided. Where meals are included in the excursion, tips will also be included in the excursion price.

SHOPPING

Some coastal excursions have time set aside for shopping specified in the description. Others may provide time for shopping at the end of the excursion. Some shops and street vendors do not accept payments by card. If you plan to make any purchases, please ensure you have cash with you. The only currencies accepted are US dollars and CFP Francs.

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