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NORTH ATOLLS -BAA/LHAVIJANI

Port of embarkation: Malé Port of disembarkation: Malé

MANTA SPECIAL BAA-LHAVIJIANI

3 dives per day including 1 night dive per week for a total of 17 dives

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Guests who do not practice scuba diving, on a daily basis two of the following activities are guaranteed: snorkeling, descent on a sand bank, visiting desert and inhabited islands, bottom fishing or trolling in addition to the other rental services available on board such as jet ski, slide and inflatable pool. These activities can be chosen based on what the atolls touched along the way have to offer, the weather conditions and the sea currents.

Day 1:

Welcome on board and subsequent dive check **Day 2:**

Dive at Dharavandhoo Thila, breakfast, chance to **snorkel in Hanifaru Bay** (additional charge applies – This is a relatively small bay on an uninhabited island that has become world famous as a wonderful place for whale shark experiences than with manta rays) or dive in Dhonfanu Thila, lunch, dive in Bodu Gaa

Day 3:

Dive in Huravalhi Kandu, breakfast, dive in Kuredhoo Express, lunch, dive on the Felivar wreck

Day 4:

Dive Lotta Faru Wall, Breakfast, Dive Inguraidhoo Thila Mantas, Lunch, Dive Kottafaru Thila

Day 5:

Dive in Neyo Kan Manthie (Raa), breakfast, dive in Beriyan Dhekunu Thila, lunch, dive in Kuda Thila. Barbecue dinner on the beach

Day 6:

Anga Thila Dive, Breakfast, Nelivaru Thila Dive, Lunch, Dharavandhoo Thila Dive

Day 7:

Dive at Tiger Point in Hulumale, breakfast

Day 8:

Disembarkation in the morning and transfer to the airport for the return flight to Italy.

NB: To ensure the safety of all guests on board and the crew, in the event of adverse weather and sea conditions, the itinerary described above can be changed at any time by the captain of the boat and the Boat Manager. Ari Atoli. Shallow and very easy dive which could turn into a very exciting dive as it is known as the best location in the Maldives for spot the largest fish in the world. Whale sharks can be seen swimming along the reef all year round. Most boats look for them from the surface. Once spotted, divers enter the water, descend and start swimming with them. The code of conduct for whale shark encounters must be followed and is always discussed during the briefing.

VAAVU ATOLL

Miyaru Kandu

One of the canal dives not to be missed. The site is characterized by a strong current and the list of possible encounters is impressive. Mainly gray reef sharks but also whitetip reef sharks, sea eagles, napoleons and tuna are quite common and with visibility reaching 40 meters during the northeast monsoon, it can be the highlight of the trip. The outgoing current offers worse visibility but the sharks are still there. The site is not recommended for beginners, a negative entry is often required. Most of the time is spent at depths of 26-30 meters, so it is highly recommended that you check the air and no-decompression time often.

Miyaru Kandu

Located on the south side of Alimatha Island, it is considered to be one of the best night dives in the Maldives, often being a victim of its success and resulting in overcrowding with divers. Every night there is a show performed by a large number of nurse sharks, stingrays and huge jackfish. The maximum depth will not exceed 15 meters and most of the time you will be kneeling on a sandy bottom waiting for the sharks to approach. Definitely not to be missed.

MEEMU ATOLL

Muli Corner

The reef is known for hosting many sharks during inbound currents, but also welcomes manta rays at a large cleaning station during outbound current. It is often recommended to enter the water with the BCD empty and not to waste time on the surface, especially with strong currents.

THAA ATOLL

Whaleshark point

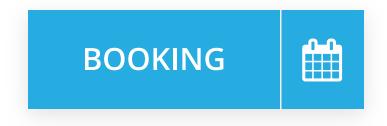
There is no specific place where diving would warrant encountering a whale shark, but the common practice is to use a strong light in the evening on the back deck of the boat to attract zooplankton which will attract whale sharks in their turn. scuba divers with the shark on the back of the boat are rather not recommended as the bubbles could disperse the mass of the plankton. The best experience is to grab a mask, fins and gently enter the water on the side of the boat, so as not to scare the whale shark and then enjoy the view while snorkeling. Sometimes the whale shark will stay for hours. Instructions given by dive guides must be followed and a code of conduct must be followed by all snorkelers to enjoy the moment to the fullest.

SUVADIVA

Suvadiva Atoll is the largest and deepest in the Maldives, reaching up to -80 meters. Numerous desert islands emerge, covered with thousands of palm trees and surrounded by large white beaches. The sea beds are real coral gardens visible in very shallow water. Inside live a myriad of colorful fish and minnows of all sizes. Almost all of the dives take place in the ocean passes or along the corners of the pass, where the currents attract the large pelagics. You will be able to swim alongside dozens of gray and white tip sharks and, sometimes, hammer, fox or tiger sharks. The whale shark instead makes its appearance in the moonlight, under the stern, to eat the plankton attracted by the boat's lights. Encounters with rays, eagles, turtles, dolphins are common.

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