



VARIETY CRUISES

PRIVATE SHIP PREBOOKED SHORE EXCURSIONS

TAHITI, SOCIETY ISLANDS

On board M/S PANORAMA II



From Papeete Port to Papeete Port, Tahiti

Day 1 | Papeete port, Tahiti, Society Islands

Day 2 | Bora Bora, Society Islands OVERNIGHT

Day 3 | Bora Bora – Huahine, Society Islands OVERNIGHT

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Day 5 | Taha, Society Islands, OVERNIGHT

Day 6 | Raiatea, Tuamotu Islands, Society

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Day 2 and d3|Bora Bora, Society Islands

BORA BORA Mountain 4WD Safari HALF DAY MORNING TOUR– Duration: 3H30 Price per person 105 Euros

Get in a 4WD vehicle to discover the wild interior of BoraBora, its WW2 remaining cannons and bunkers not forgetting the spectacular panoramic views over the lagoon's blue shadings. Discover the rich historic past and archaeological treasures of Bora Bora, unknown sites reachable via private roads only, such as the private marae Hau Puni surrounded by an arboretum and medicinal plants. A unique tour to learn more about Bora Bora unknown cultural sites and history aboard a very comfortable 4WD. Marae Hau Puni: made of several platforms, this huge property is surrounded by an arboretum and medicinal plants. Ancient objects were found on site during the restoration. Cannons and bunkers dating from World War II located on the top of a hill, guns are facing Bora Bora's unique pass. This is also a great viewpoint on Vaitape pier and Bora Bora's lagoon. *Our land tours (Hiking, 4WD vehicles, ATV or similar) may include rough off-road driving/climbing and steep ascents and descents. It is therefore not recommended to pregnant women, persons suffering from motion sickness, vertigo, bad back or joints, excess weight.*

BORA BORA BY LE TRUCK – HALF DAY AFTERNOON TOUR - DURATION 2H30 Price per person 38 Euros

A local, open-air truck with individual cushioned bucket seats takes you on a leisurely guided tour. Your guide will share with you the daily life of the Tahitians, in particular these of Bora Bora. Witness how the popular “pareo” is made, learn about “tupa” crabs, taste locally grown fruits and hear about relics left behind by the U.S. military.

SHARK & RAY SNORKELLING & LAGOON EXPLORATION BOAT TOUR HALF DAY MORNING DURATION 4H00 Price per person: 89 Euros

In the comfort of a covered motorized boat, you depart from Vaitape pier for a scenic lagoon and reef exploration cruise with many photo opportunities of Bora Bora's famous multicolored turquoise lagoon & green jagged mountain peaks. A brief stop is made at an ideal shallow spot in the lagoon to view schools of sting-rays with black tip reef sharks. Your local guide will introduce you to these gentle creatures and guests are free to join the guide in the lagoon or watch in comfort from the boat. Then discover the most beautiful coral reef garden of the isle and enjoy the breathtaking underwater world: multicolor clams, shoals and colorful fishes and corals. Tour requires a good physical condition. Reef shoes are recommended.

Day 4| Huahine, Society Islands

Sacred Sites & Legendary Places: 4WD TOUR INCL. MOTU LUNCH: Maeva Village, the Faie FULL DAY – Duration: 7HRS Price per person: 105 Euros per person

Set off on an educational exploration of the island and learn all about Polynesian geology, botany, anthropology, archaeology, sociology, economy, history and traditions. Your driver-guide and will share his knowledge, experience and passion for this beautiful island with such a rich culture. Village of Maeva: Huahine is renowned for its village of Maeva, where all district chiefs once lived side by side and worshiped their ancestors at their respective marae. Marae are places including stone structures set aside for religious rites and ceremonies. 200 archaeological stone structures have survived centuries of natural destruction. These structures lie within yards of one another along the

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shore of Lake Fauna Nui and on the sacred and scenic Matairea Hill. Visit the museum with your guide and learn about the arrival of the first navigators in Polynesia. The village of Maeva is also sheltering the remains of stone fish traps unique in French Polynesia. There are still fishermen using stone traps in the village. Your return route will take you through the village of Faie for a visit with the giant blue-eyed eels, and then up the mountain to the Belvedere Lookout where you will have a wonderful photo opportunity of the beautiful Bay of Maroe. Head to a Motu where delicious lunch will be served.

Day 5 | Taha'a, Society Islands

TAHA'A HALF DAY (AFTERNOON) DISCOVERY LAND TOUR - Duration: 4HRS
Price per person: 69 Euros

Begin with a minivan tour through the island of Taha'a to visit of a pearl farm, a vanilla plantation, a rum factory. Discover the black pearl and the vanilla culture, two precious treasures of Tahaa. On the way, your guide will show you the different fruit plants and flowers that grows on this beautiful rich island. From the graft to the pearl collection, you will learn how to get this precious black pearl. Discover how to the vanilla grows and how to get those beans which perfume is so sweet. You'll stop at a beautiful viewpoint and learn the traditional uses of local plants and trees. Sample various local fruits and learn tamure -- typical Tahitian dancing.

Day 6 | Raiatea, Society Islands

A) HIGHLIGHTS OF RAIATEA - MARAE TAPUTAPUATEA BUS TOUR
HALF DAY MORNING TOUR- Duration: 3H30
Price per person: 66 Euros

Meet your guide for an informative & intimate tour by minibus. Drive towards the south of Raiatea. Enjoy a panoramic drive through the main town of Uturoa -- the cultural and administrative center of Raiatea. Shortly after leaving town, you will see Mount Temehani -- endemic home to the Tiare Apetahi. This extremely rare flower grows nowhere else on earth. An amazing fact about this flower is that each morning, when the sun touches the flower, the petals open with a slight crackling sound. From the bus, take in the view of the lagoon that is home to some pearl farms. Your scenic drive will pass the coastline and give you a glimpse of Polynesian daily life. Raiatea is a very green island, and your guide will point out flowers and fruits along the way. Our highlight stop is at the main ancient Marae (open-air temple) of Taputapuatea, recently became a UNESCO protected site -- your guide will cover the origins & history of this famous land mark.

B) KAYAK THE FAAROA RIVER
HALF DAY AFTERNOON TOUR- Duration: 3H30
Price per person: 60 Euros

Discover the pristine natural beauty of Raiatea along the same route as New Zealand's Maori settlers during this unique kayak adventure on the Faaroa River. Departing the pier, you'll drive directly to the Faaroa River -- the only navigable river in French Polynesia. Upon arrival, listen to safety instructions and take your equipment; then, hop into your kayak. Led by your guide, you will paddle gently along the river, beginning in the fjord-like inlet of Raiatea known as the Faaroa Gorge. Continue up the scenic Faaroa River, where the steep riverbanks are clad in lush jungle foliage and

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are home to a diverse range of bird species. Wild hibiscus (purau) trees are found along the sheer cliffs at the edge of the rain forest.

Notes: This active tour includes approximately 1¾ hours of paddling. Participants must know how to swim and be in good physical condition. Pregnant women and guests with neck or back problems are not allowed to participate. Wear your swimsuit under your clothing; bring a towel, biodegradable sunscreen, insect repellent and a hat. Kayaks are doubles and will be shared. Minimum age is 12 years. Maximum weight is 260 lbs. You will be required to follow the guide and wear your lifejacket (provided). A waterproof bag will be available on the kayak to store your small items.

Day 7 | Moorea, Society Islands OVERNIGHT

A) NATURE & CULTURE IN MOOREA BY JEEP OR VAN HALF DAY MORNING TOUR– Duration: 3H30

Price per person: 65 Euros

Discover the beauty of Moorea Island during this half day tour. Your guide will gladly share with you her wide knowledge on the history of Moorea: the peculiar relief of the island, its formation, the name of its mountains, while taking you to the famous sightseeing point Le Belvédère overlooking Cook and Opunohu's bays, the volcano crater and the plateau de la Bounty. You will pass through the pineapple fields and vanilla plantations, discover the tropical fruits of the agricultural school and will taste their exquisite flavor at the fruit juice factory. Your guide will explain their medicinal properties and their use by Polynesians in everyday life. Many ancient remains such as altars, religious temples, and old habitat platforms are still visible today, and your guide will share insight on their role in the ancient Polynesian society.

B) SNORKEL SAFARI HALF DAY AFTERNOON TOUR– Duration: 3H

Price per person: 79 Euros

Board a comfortable boat with a cover to protect you from the direct rays of the sun and travel along a colorful lagoon. The boat will take you near a gorgeous sandy islet surrounded by transparent turquoise waters.

You will be able to enjoy time for snorkeling and even glide with stingrays and sharks in clear waters. Before heading back to the pier, refreshment will be served.

Prices are NET, estimated at this stage and are subject to change in case of a major increase in site entrances, vehicle charges or other governmental taxes. Our excursions are exclusively run for our Variety cruises guests. A minimum of 15 guests is required for above operation and prices.

*The tours are subject to changes due to site restorations, weather, heavy traffic or other conditions. Should sites or museums be closed on our visiting days, alternative visits will be offered instead. The tours are quite active and require good physical condition. Due to slippery sites we recommend comfortable shoes, sun tan lotion, a hat and water. **Tips** for the local guides and drivers are not included.*

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