



6 days / 5 nights  
Mola Mola and Manta Sightings in Bali  
Wed 5<sup>th</sup> – Mon 10<sup>th</sup> August 2009

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**S\$990 per diver**  
**S\$650 per non-diver**  
**+\$S200 for single-person accommodation supplement**

**Included in the package:**

- airport transfers, and all transfers hotels - dive sites & return
- tanks & weights & guide
- lunch & soft drinks on diving days
- free Nitrox 32% (if certified, may be limited to max. 2 dives/day)
- accommodation twin / double sharing with air-con, attached bathroom with hot water, breakfast

**Excluded:**

- air tickets
- visa fees & airport taxes
- diving equipment
- alcohol
- dinners & any other meals / snacks
- soft drinks in the evenings
- lunch and soft drinks on non-diving days

**Please Note:**

*Take note that your slot will not be confirmed unless a deposit is received.*

## About the Diving

Bali has been LivingSeas favourite diving destination for the past few years, and this is the 3<sup>rd</sup> year that we will be doing our annual National Day pilgrimage.

Come join us as we attempt to catch the magnificent Oceanic Sunfish (Mola Mola) and the Mantas in Nusa Penida and dive the USS Liberty in Tulamben. Macro lovers will totally enjoy the dives in Seraya, Bali's best macro site.

Those who prefer shopping and city life will also get their fill, as each evening we will be travelling to Kuta to enjoy the sights and sounds of Bali life.



## NUSA PENIDA

**Where:** Actually three sister islands - Nusa Penida, Nusa Lembongan, Nusa Ceningan. Dry limestone islands about 20 km off the South East coast of Bali, reached by speedboat in a 45 minute journey from Sanur.

**Highlights:** The healthiest corals in Bali, and home to a huge variety of reef fish. Great for drift diving, and the best place to see Mola Mola & Manta in season. Dramatic above-water scenery.

**Conditions:** Usual temperature around 28°C, but the strong currents and sharp thermoclines can occasionally bring it down to the low 20°. Good visibility. Surface currents & surface swell.

» [Click here for Nusa Penida dive sites map](#)



## SERAYA

**Where:** Two hours by road from Sanur, just a few minutes south of Tulamben.

**Highlights:** Macro subjects

**Conditions:** Dived from the shore. Usually no currents, though the full moon can bring big waves making for a hazardous shore entry.



Discovered within the last 5 years, this site has taken over from Secret Bay as the best macro site in Bali. It's also more conveniently located than Secret Bay and can be dived as a day trip from the resorts in South Bali (Sanur, Kuta, Nusa Dua, Ubud). There is one large dive site directly in front of the resort, and to the right and it will take a number of dives to cover this area.

Within a small area guides can spot Harlequin Shrimps, Frogfish (of various colours), Pipefish, Decorator Crabs, Spider Crabs, Boxer Crabs, Hermit Crabs, Comensal Shrimps, a wide variety of Nudibranchs, Squat Lobsters, juvenile Lionfish, juvenile and adult Morays, Seahorses (Thorny and Common), juvenile Cuttlefish and Dragonet.

There is also less commonly dived healthy reef a few hundred meters from the macro diving area. This reef is best dived by boat because the stronger currents at tidal changes sometimes make this a gentle drift dive.

## TULAMBEN

**Where:** This sleepy village on the North East coast of Bali is reached in a two and a half hour road journey from Sanur. Most of the sites are then beach entry, though for some you will need to take a small local boat for a few minutes.

**Highlights:** The main attraction is the wreck of the USS Liberty, famous for the amazing variety of marine life found there. This is a must-dive site in Bali, and a photographers' paradise. Other sites include a great drop-off, a shallow coral garden, and a deep coral reef. Tulamben is the best place to night dive in Bali and, being on the East coast, you can take an unforgettable sunrise dive.

**Conditions:** No currents here, or very mild. Black volcanic sand. Usually very calm flat surface though full moon, especially after the New Year or in late summer, can bring in big waves. Temperatures generally around 27° or 28°. Suitable for all levels.



# Brief Itinerary

## Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> August 09

- Day 1 – Travel to Bali, overnight in Sanur at the Sindhumertha Suites

## Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> August 09

- Day 2 - 6am breakfast, depart 7am, bus journey to Tulamben
- 3 day dives & 1 night dive Tulamben
- Overnight at Paradise Resort Tulamben

## Friday 7<sup>th</sup> August 09

- Day 3 – 3 day dives at Seraya
- Bus journey back to Sanur

## Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> August 09

- Day 4 – 3 day dives at Nusa Penida, Manta and Mola dive sites
- Overnight in Sanur

## Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> August 09

- Day 5 – 3 day dives at Nusa Penida, Manta and Mola dive sites
- Overnight in Sanur

## Monday 10<sup>th</sup> August 09

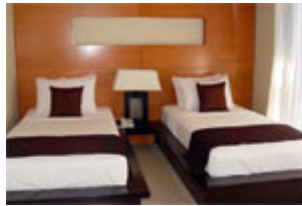
- Day 7 - Return to Singapore

\*Trip itinerary subject to changes due to weather conditions.

# About the Accommodations

## Accommodation In Sanur – Puri Sindhu Mertha Suites

Puri Sindhu Mertha Suite is perfectly located in the heart of the most luxurious and exclusive area of Sanur. It offers simple modern minimalist suites with a touch of Balinese décor and a family suite with fully equipped kitchen, dining room and living room. It's a place of harmony for your total comfort at affordable price.



A modern minimalist concept room with a blend of timeless Balinese feels. Great ambience for a very stylish life style which encourage a energetic mood.

### *Facilities*

- Air-conditioned rooms
- Flat screen television
- Mini fridge
- IDD telephone line
- Sunken bathtub with hot water
- In-room safety deposit box
- Swimming pool
- Laundry service
- Tour service, car & motor bike rental
- Shuttle bus for Sanur area
- On call massage and other beauty treatment services
- Business centre

<http://sindhumertha.com/sindhu-mertha-suite.html>

### **Accomodation in Tulamben – Paradise Tulamben**

All rooms are elegantly designed, with modern facilities, air conditioned, private bathrooms with shower and tub, hot and cold water, color television withsatellite reception, international direct dial telephone from the room.

Individual controlled air conditioned, refrigerator ( in Suite Room, Deluxe Room, and Superior Room ). Kingzise or twin beds are available.

Room Facilities :

Swimming Pool, Bar & Restaurant, Internet Café

<http://www.paradise-tulamben.com/>



# Flight Details

From Zuji.com Website (as of 1<sup>st</sup> February 2009)

## Departure

Wed 05 Aug 09 - GARUDA INDONESIA GA0841

19:15 – Depart Singapore (SIN) : 21:50 – Arrive Bali (DPS)

Economy - Direct flight - Total travel time: 02 hrs 35 mins

## Return

Mon 10 Aug 09 - GARUDA INDONESIA GA0840

15:50 – Depart Bali (DPS) : 18:20 – Arrive Singapore (SIN)

Economy - Direct flight - Total travel time: 02 hrs 30 mins

**Price per adult inclusive of SGD 130.00 taxes and fees: SGD 435.49**

## **Terms and Conditions:**

- All dive trips arranged by Nan Cheng Zhan Travel Pte Ltd. License number TA 652.
- Bookings must be made by 1<sup>st</sup> April 2009 with S\$300 non-refundable deposit. Full payment to be made by 15<sup>th</sup> July 2009.
- Bookings accepted on proof of air-ticket reservations for stipulated dates, no change of dates for travel is allowed.
- 50% charge applicable for any cancellations after confirmation. Full charge applicable 1 week before departure.
- Additional travel insurance recommended upon booking in case of last minute cancellations.
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