



Tawali
Leisure and Dive Resort
MILNE BAY, PAPUA NEW GUINEA



Discover Milne Bay . . .
Experience Tawali . . .



Welcome to Tawali

◆ TRANQUILITY

Located in the tranquil and secluded waters of Milne Bay, Alotau is perhaps Papua New Guinea's best kept secret - Tawali Resort.

This premier leisure and dive destination is located on a volcanic bluff overlooking the clear protected waters of Milne Bay and promises travelers a unique location to dive, relax and enjoy the unspoiled wonders of this magnificent part of the world.

Accessible only by boat, this unique region of Papua New Guinea offers an experience full of exotic culture and breathtaking sites where the worries of the world fade and the magic of nature unfolds.

This intimate resort is ideal for snorkeling, scuba diving, deep sea fishing and for the energetic take advantage of the guided treks to skull caves, the waterfalls or even visit a nearby fishing village and share stories with the locals.

Tawali offers guests a private retreat in which to enjoy the surrounding rain forest and the abundant sea life.



Constructed by local craftsmen, the bungalow style accommodation is designed to blend comfort the natural environment and provide comfort amongst the traditional carved totems and woodwork that can be seen throughout the resort.

Covered walkways connect guest bungalows, which are complete with private balconies overlooking Hoiia Bay. The air-conditioned bungalows are spacious with two queen beds and rosewood interiors that included desks, closet and lounge areas. Each room has coffee making facilities. Bathrooms are modern, completely tiled and have solar heated water.

"The Tawali location was hard to beat and the staying was even better, Handmade, local styled lodging with picture perfect lookouts of the bay were only improved by a large pod of dolphins jumping each morning." Sharon Miller, Dive Utah.





relaxation



For our conference guests we offer spacious lodge facilities catering for up to 50-100 guests in a relaxing and focused atmosphere.

We continue to spoil our guest as our creative chefs bring their own unique flavors and recipes to the table.

Using local ingredients where possible including fruits and vegetables we take great pride in the freshness and variety of the foods we serve.

Explore the wonders



Local Culture - Skull caves, bat caves, orchids, birds, and dugout canoes are just a few of the experiences. Immerse yourself in the culture of Papua New Guinea by exploring all that Tawali has to offer. All activities are scheduled daily with experienced local guides.



DIVING MILNE BAY - The diving from Tawali resort is both amazing and convenient with the best diving off Milne Bay just minutes away. Dive over 60 sites comprising of reefs, WWII wrecks, drop offs and sites exclusive to Tawali which include a Manta Cleaning Station and Tania's Reef which is a large coral mount over 140 ft to just 8 ft from the surface.



experience



Dive around the full circumference of the reef and witness spectacular coral, exotic fish life, giant clams and turtles. **Our Dive shop is fully equipped to service all guest, which includes Nitrox, gear hire and dive courses. Lessons are provided by PADI certified instructors.**

◆ ACTIVITIES

1. SKULL CAVES AND WATERFALLS TOUR

Duration: 2 hours Tour (10 minutes by boat going to the Village and 15 minutes rain forest walk)

Descriptions: The skull caves are one of the most breath-taking tourist attractions in Milne & Tawali. Where you can find the small and big skull caves of the local inhabitants of the past. This historical cave has stalactites and stalagmites that can make you impressed. As pleasant ending to your trip, you will be taken to Waterfalls behind the local Village. Where the fast flowing water is fresh with a good temperature and you can be able to enjoy a nice cool swim.

2. BIRD WATCHING

Duration: 3 hours (15 minutes boat ride going to Wagohuhu Village and 30 minutes rain forest hike).

Descriptions: As dawn awakes for this 30 minutes hike up a hill, standing under the dense forest and waiting for the beautiful Birds of Paradise to come out and dance to attract their female partners. During this time also, you will notice different other species of birds as well.

3. BOI-BOI WAGA ISLAND EXPERIENCE

Duration: Half day or Whole day trip (40 minutes boat ride).

Descriptions: Tropical Island situated in Eastern tip of

main Peninsula. Best for picnics and relaxation because of its soft white sand. This Island is best for Snorkeling and Scuba Diving because it's filled with variety of marine life. Guest can experience the uninhabited Island for 30 minutes walk around the white sandy beach.

4. SNORKELING TOUR (CORAL GARDEN)

Duration: 1-2 hours (10 minutes boat ride)

Descriptions: This is one of the best site for snorkeling and diving because of its pristine reefs. And you will be able to catch a glimpse of different species of the beautiful sea.

5. FISHING COASTAL AREA WITH GEAR

Duration: 2 hours, half-day or whole day trip.

Descriptions: This type of fishing was a normal trolling in deep waters. Can catch Marline, tuna and mackerel. While fishing, you will be able to see dolphins swimming in the bay.

6. FISHING OUTER REEF AREA WITH GEAR

Duration: 20 minutes boat ride. Fishing for 2 hours, Half day or whole day trip.

Descriptions: Many chances to catch coral trout, yellow fin, tunas, mackerel, trevally, barracuda and rainbow runners.

7. VILLAGE WALK

Duration: 2 hours.

Descriptions: Experience the village cultures, traditions and their lifestyles. You will be able to have a chat with the locals along the way.

8. RAINFOREST HIKE

Duration: 2 hours forest experience.

Descriptions: Enjoy seeing different kinds of wild animals such as birds, spiders, pigs and dogs.

9. TRADITIONAL DANCE

Duration: 1-hour show

Descriptions: The Local people from nearby Villages show their traditional song and dance. Which they represent legends, warriors, wild animals and clan dance. And it can also tell how they lived their traditional lifestyle in the past.

10. CANOE MAKING & BASKET WEAVING

Duration: 1 hour to 2 hours

Descriptions: Basically, the Villagers show the bush materials and demonstrates how this traditional thing are done.

11. TRADITIONAL COOKING

Duration: 30 minutes- 1 hour

Descriptions: Demonstrating the native way of cooking local foods by using the traditional clay pot which is still used to this day.

12. DEI-DEI HOT SPRING

Duration: 12 hours (Whole Day) – 5 hours travel by boat and 20 minutes' walk.

Descriptions: The mysterious hot springs of Deidei is a popular tourist hot spot. An adventurous site, Deidei hot springs can offer a lot, from its scenic view to its amazing boiling pools, and varies activities to carry out while on vacation including steam-cooking and warm bathing, memorable experiences.

13. SAMARAI / EBUMA ISLAND

Duration: Whole day trip – 6 hours in total travel by boat.

Description: Visit the historical Island that once the capital town and Called Pearl of the Pacific. Another 1 minute boat ride, from Samarai Island, lies the quiet Island Ebuma. You will be welcomed by the white sandy beach and the swaying of the coconut trees.

14. DOBU ISLAND, ESA'ALA TOUR

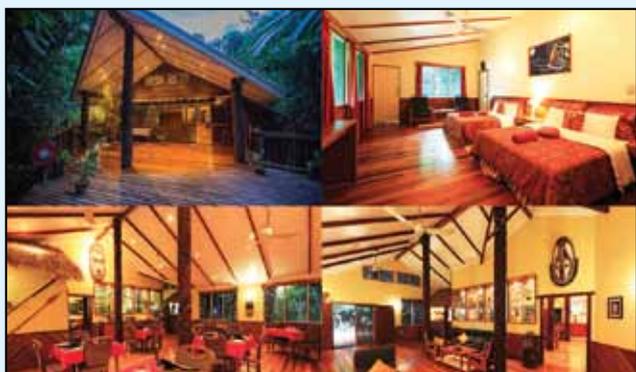
Duration: Whole day trip.

Description: Famous for their war Canoes and Goldie's birds of Paradise. Another 30 minutes boat ride from Esa'ala District is Dobu Island. The Island is shaped as an extinct volcano which erupted centuries ago. This Island also has pride to offer their bubble bath where you can enjoy swimming for your relaxation.

15. SEWA BAY TOUR

Duration: Whole Day Trip

Description: The gorgeous still bay of Sewa is a famous tourist destination. It's all green, with large rainforest canopies that remain a natural habitat. Nature walk & tracking are very refreshing trips that takes you through the woods and up the ghost mountain. Cruising through the still bay brings you to meet the locals. Take a panoramic view of the bay. Sewa Bay's islands are pristine with hidden sandy beaches, rocky points, and off-shore reefs reaching out to the blue lagoons. Your visit to Sewa Bay will surely earn an authentic experience.



Stay in Comfort

◆ ACCOMMODATION

Packages including airport transfers can be customized to suit both divers and non-divers with your choice of 16 x Bungalow or 1 x villa, 2 x double standard or 3x standard style accommodation including full bathroom amenities, fridge, tea and coffee facilities and fresh still water daily.



All rooms are designed for your privacy with magnificent **Sea Views** or **Rainforest View** and our chefs and staff will provide you with 3 buffet meals each day along with a fully licensed bar.



LOWER DECK



MAIN DECK

Spirit of Niugini

Guest will find complete facilities for the serious and discerning divers ranging from roomy dive decks to an easily accessible dive-platform to delicious catering and dining.

With accommodation for 12 passengers in 6 staterooms, each room is fitted with standard queen or twin size beds, carpeted and tastefully furnished.

Facilities include private head and shower, wardrobe and plenty of storage space.

The vessels is crewed by experience local and international staff and her operations managed by people with extensive experience in cruise ship and hotel management who, are themselves dedicated divers.

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