



Water Sports Activities & Excursion Weekly Schedules

Monday

Catamaran Snorkeling Trip	09:30 to 11:30
Guided Snorkel – House reef	14:00 to 15:00
Sunset Cruise	16:30 to 18:30
Night Snorkel	18:30 to 19:30

Tuesday

Aquarium Snorkel	10:00 to 12:00
Local Island Cultural Tour	14:00 to 16:00
Sunset Fishing	17:30 to 20:00
Night Diving – House Reef	18:00 to 19:30

Wednesday

Guided Snorkel – House reef	14:00 to 15:00
Catamaran Snorkeling Trip	14:30 to 16:30
Parasailing	15:00 to 16:00
Sunset Cruise	16:30 to 18:30
Marine Talk presentation – Faru bar	18:30 to 19:00

Thursday

Turtle Expedition Snorkel	10:00 to 12:00
Local Island Cultural Excursion	14:00 to 16:00
Sunset Fishing	17:30 to 20:00
Night Diving – House Reef	18:00 to 19:30

Friday

Catamaran Snorkeling Trip	09:30 to 11:30
Guided Snorkel – House reef	14:00 to 15:00
Sunset Cruise	16:30 to 18:30
Night Snorkel	18:30 to 19:30

Saturday

Game Fishing	06:00 to 10:00
Aquarium Snorkel	10:00 to 12:00
Sunset Fishing	17:30 to 20:00
Night Diving – House Reef	18:00 to 19:30

Sunday

2 Tank Dive	08:30 to 12:30
Parasailing	10:00 to 11:00
Sunset Fishing	17:30 to 20:00

To book your activities & excursions, please contact the Marine Sports Centre Extn 3 or your Guest Relation Officer. We would appreciate if you informed your intention in advance, to avoid disappointment.

Please ensure your bookings are made prior to these times to avoid disappointment:

Snorkelling	17:00 the day before
Local Island Cultural Excursion	17:00 the day before
Sunset Fishing	12:00 on the day of trip
Sunset Cruise	12:00 on the day of trip
Parasailing	16:00 the day before



Water Sports and Excursion Information

Cocoa Island by COMO offers a wide range of amazing experiences. We would like you to enjoy all the activities on offer in, on or under the water so kindly read the following information.

General

Cocoa Island by COMO Marine Sports Centre hours are from 8:00 to 18:00.

We will stop renting kayaks, windsurfing boards, SUPs and catamarans after 17:30, as sunset is very short in the tropics, and we want to ensure you are back from your fun and activities prior to this.

All activities are taken at the guests' risk. The Marine Sports Centre holds no responsibility whatsoever for property damage or personal injury, which may occur to the guest during such activities.

Snorkeling Equipment

We offer complimentary usage of snorkeling equipment during your stay with us, so that you may enjoy the amazing marine environment. These are available from the Marine Sports Centre. When snorkeling, be aware of currents in the water and practice safe swimming by wearing a life jacket, even if you are a capable swimmer. You should always ensure someone knows where you are snorkeling, and your return time. We provide detailed briefing on safety and snorkeling location upon issuing of snorkeling equipment.

Environmental Awareness

We would ask you to be aware of the reef, and marine creatures preserving and protecting them while you enjoy the amazing experience and colour of the underwater world. Always snorkel horizontally, never kicking or standing on the coral reef. Please refrain from collecting or touching shells and marine creatures, as some are highly venomous. Explore the house reef with our guides by joining the complimentary snorkel twice a week, and learn as you enjoy the snorkel experience.

Marine Life Presentation

Spend an evening listening to informative talks on Wednesday at Faru Bar, where marine life, environmental and marine ecosystem topics will be presented. You can ask questions, or just talk about your findings during your time around the island – be it shells, fish, birds or other island creatures – they are happy to assist with identification and how it interacts with the rest of the ecosystem. Our Marine Sports Centre team are available to answer any questions you may have during your stay.

Time: 18:30 to 19:00 on Wednesday

Marine Life Reference Information

In the Marine Sports Centre are a range of fish and coral identification books so you can make the post cards home all the more informative. The staff can also suggest some interesting local snorkeling sites for you to explore.

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SNORKELLING EXCURSIONS

Aquarium Snorkel Excursion

Enjoy the vibrant coral colours found while guided around the reef. The untouched reefs, schools of fish and marine life are amazing.

Time: 10:00 to 12:00 on Tuesday and Saturday
Price per person: US\$55 /2 hours (minimum 1 guest)
Inclusion: Snorkeling equipments, water , soft drinks

Turtle Expedition

Head to one of the turtle rich reefs where encounters with turtles are a highlight. The Guide will also give you some interesting facts and antidotes prior to heading out to start the expedition.

Time: 10:00 to 12:00 on Thursday
Price per person: US\$65 /2 hours
Inclusion: Snorkeling equipments, water , soft drinks

Night Snorkel

See the Cocoa Island nightlife - coral reef style. Explore and find the shy creatures only seen at night. Small numbers ensure a comfortable experience, and a highlight of a holiday. Torches will be provided.

Time: 18:30 to 19:30 on Monday and Friday
Price per person: US\$75 /1 hour
Inclusion: Snorkeling equipments, water , torches

UV Fluoro Night Snorkel

Cocoa Island's 70s disco underwater. Using special torches and lenses for your mask to see the radical colours that corals emit, making the coral reef a disco dance floor. UV special fluoro torches will be provided.

Price per person: US\$80/ 1 hour

Catamaran Snorkeling Trip

Two hours spent sailing and snorkeling in the Maldives ocean, is an ideal for couples, who enjoy a private experience. The Captain will help guests sail out to the ideal snorkeling site, where you will be free to slip into the water to enjoy the wide variety of fish.

Time: 09:30 to 11:30 on Monday, Wednesday and Friday
Price: US\$140 /2 hours
Inclusion: Snorkeling equipments, water



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Sunset Cruise

Leaving Cocoa Island shortly before sunset we travel across the waters of South Male atoll, with the possible sighting of dolphins, an exciting encounter you will never forget. Prior to heading out, our guide will give you a short informational briefing about these amazing mammals. Seeing these wild local dolphins in their real environment while they are migrating in pods of sometimes 10-30 animals through our atoll is an amazing experience. Watch their aerobatic jumping out of the water or them bow riding along our boat. After that you can enjoy the beautiful sunset while sipping wine or champagne with a gourmet canapé platter while heading back to Cocoa Island.

Time:	16:30 to 18:30 on Monday , Wednesday and Friday
Price per person:	US\$125 /2 hours
Price per child:	US\$62.5 /2 hours (age from 12 years old to below)
Inclusion:	Champagne, wine, beer, water, soft drinks and antipasto

Local Island Cultural Excursion

Join the 2 hour cultural excursion to the local island of Guraidhoo, where time slows, being relative to the rising and sinking of the sun. See how island life has existed for hundreds of years. Stroll the streets while your guide points out the features of the island, then return to enjoy local short eats where you may find a few children kicking the ball around the coconut trees prior to returning to Cocoa Island.

Time:	14:00 to 16:00 on Tuesday and Thursday
Price per person:	US\$100 /2 hours (minimum 1 guest)
Price per child:	US\$50 /2 hours (age from 12 years old to below)
Inclusion:	Water , soft drinks

Boat Charter

Private boat charters can be tailored to meet your particular waterborne interests. Please note that if you like to visit any nearby resort from Cocoa Island, we need to seek advanced permission prior to confirming.

Price per hour:	US\$250 /1 hour (maximum 10 guests)
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Half Day Charter

Price per trip:	US\$1000 /4 hours (maximum 10 guests)
Inclusions:	snorkeling equipment, beer, soft drinks, water and fruits

Full Day Charter

Price per trip:	US\$1500 /8 hours (maximum 10 guests)
Inclusions:	snorkeling equipment, beer , soft drinks, water and fruits

**A selection of picnic basket is available for you to choose from our menu (not included in charter rate)*



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Whale Shark Expedition / Picnic

Travel across to Ari atoll via speedboat, where we look for the largest shark of the ocean, with the prospect to snorkel with the totally harmless marine creature. It's majestic grace through the water is unforgettable, but don't forget to bring an underwater camera. Relax & enjoy a picnic lunch on a uninhabited island to re energize between expeditions looking for whale sharks.

Time: 09:00 to 17:00
Private: US\$1500 /8 hours (maximum 6 guests)
**A selection of picnic basket is available for you to choose from our menu (not included in charter rate)*
**Suitable weather & sea conditions are required due to inter atoll travel*

Sunset Fishing

Head out to enjoy the spectacular sunset and put your luck and skill to the test with a spot of night reef fishing, the way Maldivian fisherman have done for centuries. All hand lines and bait will be provided and your fish caught can be prepared for you for the following days lunch.

Time: 17:30 to 20:00 on Tuesday, Thursday , Saturday and Sunday
Price per person: US\$75 /2 ½ hours
Price per child: US\$37.5 /2 hours (age from 12 years old to below)
Inclusion: Fishing bait, beer, water and soft drinks

**We practice responsible fisheries in Cocoa Island , where we are allowed to keep maximum of one fish per person or three fishes per couple. Once you have reached your quota, you may continue to fish using the "catch and release" method. The size of the fish to keep has to be more than 10 inches or 25.5cm long. Anything of this size or below has to be released back to the ocean."*

Parasailing

Fly high over the islands & lagoons surrounding Cocoa Island, providing an amazing spectacle, and great photo opportunity.

Time: 15:00 to 16:00 on Wednesday
10:00 to 11:00 on Sunday
Price per person: US\$120 / flight (minimum 2 guest)
** approx 15mins from launch to landing*
Inclusion: Water

Settlement

For your convenience, any charges relating to these activities will be charged to your room account under the heading of "Water Sports" and can be settled on your departure from the resort.

We hope you will enjoy your water experiences.



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Sports & Game Fishing Information

Fishing has traditionally been carried out from every inhabited island of the Maldives, with fish being an integral part of the Maldivian diet, it is also their livelihood and their heritage. Head out on to the sea, and put your skills to the test with help & knowledge of our Maldivian Crew on board.

Fishing Tour Options

Half day Charter

4 hours between:	Morning	06:00	12:00
	Afternoon	14:00	18:00

Full day Charter

8 hours:		06:00	18:00
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Fishing trips can be arranged outside these times upon request.

Fishing Boat & Equipment

Boat Specifications

Boat Name : Sara Coco
Length : 9m
Width : 2.8m
Engines : 2 x 250 hp
Cruising Speed : 26 knots
Amenities on board : Toilet & Ice box

Game Fishing

We use some of the best equipment, with tried and tested lures for the local conditions to help improve your luck.

Game Fishing Equipment Specifications

Rods , Penn International 15 , 24 kgs.
Reel, Penn International II, 2 speed reels.
50SW
30SW
Line , tournament 24kg monofilament.
Hooks, Mustad stainless steel Game hooks.
Lures, a selection of locally proven skirted and bibbed lures.

The crew will select lures to be used, based on a number the following factors: Water visibility, action of the lure, colour of the lure, light conditions, time of day, current and season.



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Sports Fishing

Working the reefs that adorn the atolls, large reef fish such as Giant & Blue fin Trevally, Red snapper and Dog tooth Tuna are the prize catches in both Jigging and Casting. Experience the thrill or frustration of fighting a true champion of the reef, but don't always expect to be a winner.

Sports Fishing Equipment Specifications

Rods , Penn GT Slammer.

Reel, Fin Nor Ahab 20 reels , with 50 – 80lb braid line .

Lures , selection of poppers to entice all

Sports & Game Fishing Rates

Price per Morning: US\$1050 /4 hours (maximum 4 persons)

Price per Afternoon: US\$1000 /4 hours (maximum 4 persons)

Price per Full Day: US\$1500 /8 hours (maximum 4 persons)

Charter extension US\$150 per hour (subject to availability).

**A selection of picnic basket is available for you to choose from our menu (not included in charter rate) **

Inclusions:

Tour inclusive full fishing equipment & lures

Full fishing guidance and coaching by our professional guide on board.

All fishing charters inclusive of beer , soft drinks & water.