

8 Days/7 Nights

Departs Daily



Fiji Paradise:
Coral Coast, Nadi, or Denarau & Yasawa

Escape to the heart of the South Pacific with a fun and idyllic stay in Fiji. Set your internal clock to "Fiji time" as you unwind amid sleepy villages and unspoiled beaches, thriving coral reefs, and a wide variety of cultural activities to please everyone. Your holiday starts with a couple of nights along the stunning Coral Coast. Discover the beauty of Fiji's interior, going off the beaten path along the Sigatoka River, and learn about the traditional rites and customs with an amazing tour of the Naihehe Cave. Then enjoy romantic nights at the all-inclusive Yasawa Island Resort & Spa; an exclusive retreat located on one of Fiji's secluded islands, with an array of ocean-based activities.

ACCOMMODATIONS

• 2 Nights Coral Coast, Nadi, or Denarau

• 5 Nights Yasawa (Yasawa Island Resort & Spa)

INCLUSIONS

• Arrival and Departure Transfers per city

• Sigatoka River Safari Tour

• Daily Breakfast



ARRIVE CORAL COAST, NADI, OR DENARAU:

Upon arriving at Nadi Airport, meet your driver for a transfer to your hotel in either Coral Coast, Nadi, or Denarau. The remainder of the day is yours to relax or explore on your own. While English is an official language, and most Fijians speak English to a certain level, you will hear *bula* and *vinaka* frequently. *Bula* is the Fijian greeting and *vinaka* means thank you. Two words that will serve you well. For dinner this evening, try some of the exotic dishes of Fiji's Indo-Fijian cuisine.

(Accommodations, Coral Coast, Nadi, or Denarau)



CORAL COAST, NADI, OR DENARAU:

Today, you'll experience an Off-Road Cave Safari; a half day Fijian adventure, for those who wish to take the "Road Less Traveled". You'll be transported aboard an All-Terrain vehicle into the Fiji interior. Your journey of discovery transports you back in time to the ancient days of cannibalism, tribal warfare and you'll see first-hand where many of these battles took place.

Your adventure begins with the crossing of the mighty Sigatoka, Fiji's longest river. There will be many photo opportunities as you travel through jaw dropping hills and rich green fields. Shortly you'll arrive at the bete's or high priest's residence. The priest and his family will warmly welcome you for visiting their part of the world, and female guests are then asked to wear their complimentary safari sulus, provided to them. Your guide will be on hand to explain the rich Fijian traditions, culture and customs, and you'll hear how the kaicolo (mountain people) used ingenious methods to survive.

After the kava ceremony, the priest will lead you to the entrance of the Naihehe Cave, a short 5-10 minutes walk away. Upon reaching the entrance, take note of the vines hanging on the exterior and as you venture into Fiji's largest cave. With only flashlights and lanterns to light up the cave, you'll be left in awe as you realize that you are about to explore one of Fiji's greatest treasures.

The cave is more than 550 feet long and as you go through the initial small opening and into a small cavern, you will soon find yourself in a larger part of the cave, as your guide provides commentary and answers any questions. Bring along a change of clothes as at the end of the tour, as you'll have the opportunity to swim in the nearby fresh water swimming hole before returning to your hotel.

(Breakfast & Accommodations, Coral Coast, Nadi, or Denarau)



YASAWA RESORT & SPA:

Meet your driver for a transfer to Nadi Airport, and your 30 minute flight to Yasawa. You'll have a transfer to the Yasawa Island Resort & Spa. After checking in, relax and familiarize yourself to all the resort's amenities. There are only 18 luxury bungalows, all of which are hidden among the palms. Each bungalow has its own beach with a hammock swinging between two trees and a porch facing the ocean, which are perfect for morning coffee or a glass of champagne at the end of the day. Your stay includes all meals, all day dining menu, room service and private dining options, non-alcoholic beverages, including soft drinks, fruit juice, bottled water, tea and coffee.

(Breakfast, Coral Coast, Nadi, or Denarau, Meals & Accommodations, Yasawa Resort & Spa)



YASAWA RESORT & SPA:

Over the next 4 days, feel your senses come to life, as you unwind in this tranquil setting. You'll have a myriad of choices on how to spend your days. The island is only 18 miles long, so there's plenty of space for both R&R and exploration. All scheduled activities are included in your package*, such as guided nature walks, weekly kava ceremony, weekly Manager's Cocktail Party, sailing, kayaks, stand up paddle boards and more.

If you want to stay in touch with friends and family at home, there's free high speed wireless internet in and around the main bure (main hut), bar, library, and lounge area. Let the expertise of their dive team assist you with dive site choices of the day, taking into consideration, local sea conditions, tides, currents and your dive experience. For those wanting to try scuba diving for the first time, here's the perfect opportunity, as the resort offers complimentary PADI Discover Scuba Diving pool sessions and PADI Open Water Certification courses. In addition, there are weekly 3 hour excursions to the Blue Lagoon caves, which are hidden under the volcanic peak at the southern end of Yasawa Island. The caves were used as one of the settings for the 1980 movie, which starred Brooke Shields and Christopher Atkins. Yasawa Island Resort is surrounded by deserted beaches, ready of you to enjoy a specially prepared private beach picnic. Whether it's an afternoon relaxing on the beach or a romantic getaway, our friendly staff will pack a delightful picnic for you to enjoy. Like all meals at the resort, the private beach picnic is included in your tariff with a choice of 11 private spots. The Baravi Spa draws its name from the Fijian word for beach, and has been carefully constructed in a blend of traditional and contemporary styles, with an ocean-view massage deck perched over the sands in the open air, fanned by sea breezes.

On an island overlooked by the modern world, Yasawa also offers an intimate and authentic cultural experience. With the permission of the chief, guests can visit the nearby village of Bukama where school children offer a welcome in song. Or at the resort, guests might take part in a lovo (Fijian feast), witness an evening Meke (dance ceremony), or sense the full resonance of Fijian voices when the village choir pays a visit on Sunday evenings. They also take great care to ensure guests enjoy their dining experience. Freshly caught seafood and local produce will be available when you experience their local cooking demonstrations. Cooking style is Fijian, featuring traditional South Pacific recipes using all local ingredients, herbs and spices, and you'll be able to return home and recreate your Fijian experience for your friends and family.

*Except spa, fishing and diving expeditions.

(All Meals & Accommodations, Yasawa Resort & Spa)



DEPART YASAWA RESORT & SPA:

After breakfast, you'll have a private transfer from Yasawa to Nadi Airport and onward to your next Avanti destination!

(Breakfast, Yasawa Resort & Spa)

** Itinerary and inclusions are subject to change