

## SIPADAN-MABUL RESORT

**(MABUL WATER BUNGALOW: Valid from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2020 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2021)**

**MABUL WATER BUNGALOW** is a floating dive-resort wholly owned by Sipadan-Mabul Resort (**Sabah**) Sdn. Bhd. (**SMART**), is situated at Mabul Island overlooking the world-known Sipadan Island which is 15-minutes away by speedboat.

These wooden-type bungalows (**built up size 17X17ft**) has fifteen (**16**) units (**12XDouble Bed & 4XTwin Bedded**) entirely built over water with stilts offer sheer comfort. Each bungalow exquisitely furnished with contemporary furniture and décor, equipped with remote control air-conditioner, ceiling fan, private bathroom-hot/cold shower and toilet, spacious private balcony offer panoramic vistas of blue sea, selected satellite TV channels, mini bar, coffee/tea maker, hair dryer and in- room safety box. Facilities includes a large and airy restaurant for dining, a souvenirs shop selling variety of t-shirts, accessories and gifts, a business center with internet service, a dive center and an office taking care all the guests registration, billings and an underwater video and health spa outlets. Free WIFI Internet Access is available in the room. Please request the password at the front desk.

### MABUL WATER BUNGALOW (General Package Rates)

DAYS / NIGHTS	PRICE PER DIVER (TWIN SHARE) <b>MYR</b>	PRICE NON DIVER (TWIN SHARE) <b>MYR</b>	NET PER CHILD (4-11 YEARS OLD) <b>MYR</b>
<b>2 Days/1 Night</b>	3870	2349	1,275
<b>3 Days/2 Nights</b>	4834	3025	1,663
<b>4 Days/3 Nights</b>	5715	3631	1,966
<b>5 Days/4 Nights</b>	6773	4423	2,462
<b>Extra Day/Night</b>	1280	1032	567

### SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

To add surcharge 50% on top of the above prices for single occupancy of a 2-bed bungalow. This must be booked well in advance.

### DOMESTIC AIRTICKET BY MALAYSIA AIRLINES / AIR ASIA

We can arrange and advise airfare upon request.

### DIVE PACKAGE INCLUDES

- \* Transfer between: Tawau - Semporna Jetty – Mabul Water Bungalows - Tawau by van and speedboat
- \* Bungalow type accommodation on twin-sharing basis with attached bathroom and the facilities of hot shower and the comfort of air-conditioning
- \* All food and hot beverage while at the resort (**excluding alcoholic, fruit juice and carbonated soft drinks**)
- \* 3 boat combinations dives per day with divemaster either on Mabul, Kapalai or nearby Island (**except on arrival and departure day**)
- \* Unlimited jetty diving from Mabul's House Reef with buddy
- \* Use of tanks with air, weights and weight belt

## **FACILITIES**

- Resort: Sipadan-Mabul Resort and Mabul Water Bungalow are located at the southern tip of Pulau Mabul overlooking Sipadan. We are accorded as 4-Stars Resort by The Ministry of Tourism Malaysia and we are member of PADI 5-Star Dive Resort and NAUI PRO GOLD Dive Resort.
- Electrical outlet is 220 Volt AC, 50 cycles using three rectangular prongs similar to British plugs. Electricity power supply 24 hours a day.
- A vinyl swimming pool measuring 41-ft X 21 ft with a 6-ft deep end. A 4-6 persons Jacuzzi Whirlpool Spas. A large dining hall/bar area is used for meals, socializing, dancing and staff shows. Coconut drink, juices, carbonated soft drinks, beer and wine can be purchased at the resort bar and jetty bar. A small sundry shop sells a range of T-shirts, batteries, toiletries, souvenirs and etc.
- An office takes care of the registration and billing; it is equipped with a Telephone/Fax for communications with the mainland. Free WIFI access is available in the room. Please request the password at the front desk.
- A Technical Diving Center (SMART-Tec) offers various services such as Nitrox Air and Certification Courses.

Our 150-member staff a-waits to make your dive holiday safe, easy and fun

## **HOW TO GET THERE**

- First, you take a short 45 minutes Malaysia Airlines domestic flight from Kota Kinabalu to Tawau then you will be met and transferred to Semporna Jetty (Harbor) by van (appro. 1-hour drive) and finally, you will be transferred to Mabul Resort by speedboat (appro. 40 minutes boatride).
- Boats: We have fifteen (15) custom-built fiberglass dive boats and three (3) half-cabin passenger/transport boats. These dive boats can carry 10 divers each and get to any of the island dive sites in 15 minutes or more. Each boat goes out three times a day with a boatman and divemaster.
- Diving: We have daily boat going to the dive sites, which is about 15 to 30 minutes boat ride. Dive sites and diving schedule will be arranged at the discretion of the resort management. All diving at Sipadan Island is subject to entry permit approval.
- The UNLIMITED JETTY DIVING mentioned in the inclusion are dives from Mabul's House Reef and includes night diving (without divemaster and boat). Tanks, weights and weight belt are provided; all other equipment must be brought by the diver or rented. These dives must be arranged in advance.
- Most diving is a combination of wall and drift diving. We have eight Bauer Compressors, 400 units Aluminum 3000 psi/80 cubic foot tanks with American style 'K' valves and 100 units with DIN valve, 35 sets of diving equipment for rental. It is advisable to bring own adapter / converter (220/110v) for charging for strobes, camera and lights.

**For further details, please refer to our 'Conditions for Diving' information sheet. THE**

## **ISLANDS: SIPADAN, MABUL & KAPALAI**

SIPADAN is the small island where you can dive and snorkel. It is a 15-30 minutes boat ride south of Mabul. Sipadan is the tip of a mountain with steep underwater walls all around it. These walls drop to 300m on the Mabul side of the island and 600m on south side.

Diving on Sipadan is all drift diving, divers drop in and cruise with the current along the walls. This combination of deep walls and ocean currents provides the ideal environment for pelagic such as sharks and large schools of jacks and barracuda

## **SPECIAL RULES FOR PROTECTING TURTLES:**

\* Divers and snorkelers are to refrain from touching, teasing and restraining turtles under water because turtles are air breathers and can be drowned if panicked or cornered. Anyone riding or restraining turtles will sit out the next dive.

Note: The time restricted by the Government for Diving at Sipadan Island is from 6am to 6pm.

MABUL in contrast to Sipadan is a continuation of the Borneo landmass rather than the top of an underwater mountain. Because of this, Mabul has more gradually sloping walls around it that bottom out at about 30m. The attractions on Mabul are of the smaller variety such as lobster, crocodile fish, moray and garden eels. This makes it an ideal location for macro-photo opportunities.

If you walk around the east of the island at night, be sure to take a flashlight and watch for sea snakes on the beach or amongst the palm trees.

KAPALAI lies to the east of Mabul about 10 minutes away. It used to be a vegetated island much like Mabul but erosion has turned it into a small sandbar that just breaks the surface of the water. This is an area that we are exploring for new dive sites. Like Mabul it is an excellent location for macro-photography and is specially abundant in the rare finds of diving such as mandarin fish, stonefish, leaf fish, pipefish, lionfish, frogfish, cuttlefish, eels, and more.

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