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Mataking Island DIVING

LAND TOURS ONLY

Destination:

Mataking, **S A B A H**

Code: FIT-MATAKING

Accommodation:

Mataking Island Resort

Highlights:

Dive at
Mataking/Pandanan/Bohayan
/Kelapuan/Timba Timba/Pom Pom

Minimum 4 persons

(Single occupancy rates available upon request)

Validity: Till 31st December 2010

3D2N Dive Package Include:

- Return land/boat transfer Tawau Airport-Semporna Jetty-Mataking Island
- 2Nights Chalet accommodation on standard twin-sharing basis with attached bathroom/hot shower/air-conditioning with private sundeck/balcony
- Complimentary use of Jacuzzi
- Full board & beverages while at the resort (exclude: alcoholic, juice or carbonated soft drinks)
- 3 boat combinations dives per day with dive master (except on day of arrival/departure)
- Unlimited shore buddy dives without guide.
- Use of tanks with air, weights and weight belt

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Rates and Tour information's are correct at the time of publishing/printing and are subject to changes without prior notice; please confirm all details at the time of booking.

Kindly note that it is the passenger's responsibility to Reconfirm & Recheck flight departure times at least three (3) days before departure to ensure flight timings are correct.

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Mataking Island actually consists of two islands separated only during high tide by a long sand bank and is a 40 minutes ride east of Semporna. It is on Mataking Besar that you will find the only resort, The Reef Dive Resort. Apart from the resort and a small police station the islands is covered by jungle as you take a stroll along the beaches shorelines towards the sandbar to Mataking Kecil. The main island is larger than Sipadan and is privately owned. It is made famous in 1998 when it was filmed crew for the "Robinson" TV series.

With its sparkling white sand, mesmerizing crystal clear turquoise waters, Mataking beckons. Get your gears and suit up; get yourself ready for another exciting adventure of exploring life "Under The Sea". Explore up to over 30 or more dive sites around the island and its surrounding islands of Pandanan, Timba-timba, the Tun Sakaran Marine or Bohaydulong, Bohayan, Kalapuan, Baturua and Mantabuan. The marine life close to Kalapuan shore is just as magnificent as those found in the deep end. Divers can experience a combination of slope and wall diving which offers exhilarating macro as well as pelagic sea creatures in one place alone.

So enjoy the spectacle of marine life forms while diving. Look out for the "Orang Utan" crab which can occasionally be spotted at Mataking's Reef. The house reef literally lights up in the night with many amazingly, beautiful sea creatures swimming around close enough for photographers to catch them in their natural environment. This unspoiled and living color of hard & soft coral decorations offers special highlight for underwater photography.

Mataking Island offers everyone a wonderful and spectacular time on its island, be it a diver or non-diver. It is picturesque with excellent facilities and complimented with friendly services at all times, making your stay at Mataking memorable.

3Days 2Nights: Rates quoted in Brunei Dollars per person:

Island	Destination	Diver	Non-Diver	Extension Nights	
				Diver	Non-Diver
Mataking	Tawau	\$ 830	\$ 695	\$ 296	\$ 230

Remarks:

Divers must have at least 5-6 hours to decompress before their flight arrival/departure.

Non-Diver Package Includes:

Transfer between Tawau-Semporna Jetty -Tawau by van/boat

Chalet accommodation on standard twin-sharing basis with attached bathroom/hot shower/ air-conditioning.

Full board & beverages while at the resort (exclude: alcoholic, juice or carbonated soft drinks)

Dive Package Excludes:

Air tickets : Brunei / Kota Kinabalu / Brunei : B\$162 per person Adult

Airport Taxes/ Insurance / Fuel Surcharges : B\$ 37 per person Adult

Air tickets : Kota Kinabalu / Tawau / Kota Kinabalu : B\$227 per person Adult

Airport Taxes/ Insurance / Fuel Surcharges : B\$ 22 per person Adult

Hotel accommodation w/breakfast in KK Twin Share from **B\$110** per person

Hotel accommodation in Tawau /Semporna Twin Share **from B\$82** per person

Visa fees into Malaysia

Tipping

Other personal expenses

Alcoholic beverage, canned or Juice drinks

Please check for boat transfer timings to Matakating Island as it may differ from time to time this will be advised upon reservation.

BOAT SCHEDULE FOR ISLAND:

Semporna Jetty Depart	Matakating Island Arrive	Matakating Island Depart	Semporna Jetty Arrive
0930	1030	1100	1200
1600	1700	1400	1500

IMPORTANT NOTE:

- Guests who are unable to make it for the last boat schedule at 1600hrs due to any unforeseen circumstances will be required to put up for a night at Tawau / Semporna on own arrangement.
- Guest will be picked up from hotel early next morning at 0700hrs for onward journey to Semporna jetty to follow 0930 boat transfer into Matakating Island
- We recommend that Guest follow flights that can connect to our daily **REGULAR** boat schedule to minimize waiting time at the airport.
- Irregular boat arrangements will be subjected to a substantial group booking or relevant justification. Please refer to our Travel Consultant for confirmation.
- Local boat departures are subject to flight arrival times, weather conditions, group size and / or unforeseen irregularity.
- In the event due to insufficient number of guests to fill up our boat/ coach, we may need to rearrange the above transportation time table.
- Upon arrival, guests are required to sign an affirmation and liability release letter for the benefit of all parties.
- We reserve the final discretion on who may or may not do any type of diving we offer based on divers shown abilities, experience etc. If a diver is or becomes physically incapacitated by injuries, illness, intoxication, hangovers etc, we reserve the right to stop this person from diving.
- **The said timetable is accurate at the time of printing. However, schedules are subject to changes without prior notice and travelers are therefore advised to check with our Travel Consultant on the latest information regarding the most suitable schedule as we cannot be held responsible for any delay, cancellation, missed flight or missed connection.**

CANCELLATION / CHANGES OF BOAT SCHEDULE

- In the event of encountering bad weather condition or unforeseen circumstances this may render a cancellation of last boat transfer into the island for reasons of safety or commercial.
- All relevant food and lodging costs for the overnight stay will be arranged and absorbed by **our handling company in Sabah** in lieu of the cost staying in Matakating Island. There will be **NO** further claims or refunds for any incidental circumstances.

