WILD POLYNESIAN ESCAPE:
BORA BORA TO TAHITI

ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ORION
7 DAYS/4 NIGHTS  |  MAY 9-14, 2023
Polynesia: A world unto itself where it’s clear that this was one of the last places on Earth to be settled by humans; where vibrant turquoise waters give way to white sand beaches and rugged cliffs cloaked in greenery; where schools of colorful fish, pods of dolphins, and squadrons of manta rays dance together in the ocean; and where a deep respect for the region’s rich history and culture is reflected in local traditions and customs. You’ll get to experience it all and more when you join us on our exciting adventure.

- Explore stunning landscapes like Bora Bora’s verdant Mount Otemanu, jutting 2,400 feet above crystalline waters, and Makatea’s steep cliffs, which drop straight to deserted beaches.
- View an underwater paradise when you dive and snorkel with giant manta rays, green sea turtles, black-tipped reef sharks, and enormous schools of fish.
- Swim into an otherworldly grotto on Makatea and float in a hidden cave surrounded by stalagmites and stalactites.
- Dive into Polynesian history and culture at sites including Marae Taputapuatea, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
**YOUR ITINERARY**

**MAY 9-14, 2023**

**DAYS 1 & 2**

**Depart U.S./Papeete, Tahiti, French Polynesia/Bora Bora/Embark**
Depart the U.S. on an overnight flight to Tahiti. Arrive in the early morning on Day 2 and take a short charter flight to Bora Bora where you'll embark National Geographic Orion. While in port, take some time to freshen up and settle into your cabin. This afternoon, choose to go ashore and explore Bora Bora's main town or join us for a snorkel in the island's crystal clear lagoon. (Day 2: B,L,D)

**DAY 3**

**Ra’iatea/Taha’a**
Encircled by a single fringing reef, and sharing a common lagoon, Ra’iatea and Taha’a are islands well worth exploring. One of the most important cultural sites in the Polynesian world, Marae Taputapuatea was a center for Polynesian seafarers and the location from which they set out for Rapa Nui (Easter Island), Hawai’i and New Zealand. Our afternoon is spent at Taha’a where we will visit a family-run vanilla plantation, spend time snorkeling in the crystalline lagoons, and encounter black-tipped reef sharks. (B,L,D)

**DAY 4**

**Makatea**
An uplifted coral atoll, the island of Makatea is one of the most unique landforms in the Pacific. A makatea is a raised coral atoll that is tilted due to plate tectonics and appears much different than the other islands in the region, containing spectacular, vertical cliffs. This specific island of Makatea gives its name to all other uplifted coral atolls worldwide. Spend the day exploring the island’s limestone caves and grottos with your expedition team and local guides, or search for endemic fruit doves and myriad seabirds. (B,L,D)

**DAY 5**

**Rangiroa**
The atoll of Rangiroa is a ring of slender islands known for some of the best diving and snorkeling in French Polynesia. The turquoise lagoon at its center is the second-largest in the world. Kayak, snorkel, and scuba dive in the rich waters here, home to large schools of pelagic fish, manta rays, dolphins, and sea turtles. (B,L,D)

**DAYS 6 & 7**

**Papeete/Disembark**
After disembarking, you may choose to walk around downtown Papeete and visit the central market where vendors sell fresh fruit, pareos, artwork, and coveted black pearls. A hotel room will also be available for you to rest and refresh before your international overnight flight home. (Day 6: B,L,D)
EXPLORE LIKE NEVER BEFORE

WILD POLYNESIAN ESCAPE: BORA BORA TO TAHITI

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>VOYAGE DATES</th>
<th>CAT. 1</th>
<th>CAT. 2</th>
<th>CAT. 3</th>
<th>CAT. 4</th>
<th>CAT. 5</th>
<th>CAT. 6</th>
<th>CAT. 1 SOLO</th>
<th>CAT. 3 SOLO</th>
<th>ADVANCE PAYMENT</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>May 9-14, 2023</td>
<td>$6,060</td>
<td>$7,410</td>
<td>$8,740</td>
<td>$9,610</td>
<td>$11,470</td>
<td>$13,380</td>
<td>$9,080</td>
<td>$13,110</td>
<td>$850</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

SPECIAL OFFERS*

Book by October 31, 2022 and receive a **$1,200 per person air credit**.

Book by October 31, 2022, to **save 10%** when traveling as a group of six or more family or friends.

Book by October 31, 2022, and we will **waive the solo premium**.

**$500 discount** extended to all guests under the age of 18.
WILD POLYNESIAN ESCAPE

7 DAYS/4 NIGHTS
MAY 9-14, 2023

CAPACITY: 53 outside cabins accommodating 102 guests.

OVERALL LENGTH: 338 feet.

REGISTRY: Bahamas.

PUBLIC AREAS: Outdoor café, lounge with bar, restaurant, sundeck, reception desk, observation lounge, library, global gallery, marina platform. Open Bridge allows guests to meet the Captain and officers, and learn about navigation.

MEALS: All meals are served in single seating with unassigned tables for an informal atmosphere and easy mingling. The menu emphasizes local flair, expertly prepared, and featuring fresh, nutritious meals.

CABINS: All cabins feature ocean views, private facilities, climate controls, and a flat-screen TV. Equipped with Ethernet and Wi-Fi connections and USB ports for mobile devices. Some cabins have French balconies. Solo and triple cabins are available. Bathrooms are stocked with botanically inspired shampoo, conditioner, shower gel, and lotion, as well as an Expedition Essentials Kit. Hair dryers, complimentary insulated water bottles, and a National Geographic Atlas are available in each cabin.

EXPEDITION EQUIPMENT: Zodiac landing craft, a fleet of 24 double kayaks, stand-up paddleboards, glass-bottom Zodiac, splashcam, crow’s nest camera, hydrophone, underwater video camera, video microscope, and a Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV). There is snorkeling gear for all guests and scuba gear for a limited number of pre-qualified divers.

STAFF: A full-time doctor, world-class photographer, certified photo instructor, two divemasters, undersea specialist, and video chronicler.

WELLNESS: A wellness specialist, fitness center, LEXspa treatment room, and sauna are on board.

SUSTAINABILITY: Lindblad Expeditions takes responsible, sustainable travel to heart. For over 50 years, our expeditions have inspired travelers to protect the ocean, conserve wildlife, bolster local communities, and enable meaningful scientific research. We are 100% carbon neutral and dedicated to green business practices at every level of our operations. When you travel with us, you’ll eat sustainable meals, experience our commitment to single-use plastic-free travel, and be aboard the industry’s first self-disinfecting expedition ships, prioritizing your health and safety. Feel good about exploring with us and preserve the planet for future generations.

National Geographic Orion, Category 6 cabin; enjoy breakfast at the outdoor cafe; the lounge is the perfect place to relax.
NOTES: Solo occupancy cabins available in Categories 1 and 3. Shared accommodations available in Categories 1 and 2. Triple occupancy cabins are available in Categories 3, 4, 5, and 6. Third person rates available at one-half the double occupancy rate in designated triple occupancy cabins.
TERMS AND CONDITIONS

PRICING: Prices are in USD, per person based on double occupancy, subject to availability, and are accurate at time of printing.

COST INCLUDES: Accommodations aboard ship; all meals, nonalcoholic and alcoholic beverages aboard ship (except certain super premium brands of alcohol); all shore excursions, sightseeing, special access permits, and entrance fees; transfers to/from airport if traveling on recommended group flights; use of kayaks, stand-up paddleboards, and snorkeling gear; taxes, service charges, and tips (including gratuities to the ship’s crew); services of Lindblad Expeditions’ natural history staff, ship physician and local guides. Unused services or items included in this program are non-refundable.

NOT INCLUDED: Airfare; meals not indicated; passport and visa fees; travel protection plan; scuba diving; items of a personal nature such as certain super premium brands of alcohol, Wi-Fi, voyage chronicle, and laundry.

OFFERS: Offers are valid for new bookings only, for voyage fares only, subject to availability, and may not be combined with other offers or extensions. Air credit offer will be deducted from cabin fare, prior to any additional applicable savings.

AIRFARE: Airfare is an additional cost (unless otherwise indicated). Sample international fares: Round-trip Los Angeles/Papeete: Economy starting from $1,285 and Business starting from $3,200. Charter airfare from $500, Papeete/Bora Bora. Sample airfares are subject to change. Lindblad Expeditions will gladly assist in making your air arrangements for a $50 per person service fee.

RESERVATIONS: To confirm your place, an advance payment of US$850 per person is payable by Visa, MasterCard, American Express, Discover, or check. Receipt of advance payment indicates your acceptance of the terms and conditions.

FINAL PAYMENT: Due no later than 120 days prior to departure. Lindblad Expeditions reserves the right to cancel your reservation if payment has not been received by final payment due date.

TRAVEL PROTECTION PLAN: A travel protection plan is available at extra cost. Information on the policy will be sent upon registration. This comprehensive guest protection plan covers trip cancellation for medical reasons, trip delay, medical expenses, accidental death, lost baggage, and medical evacuation.

ENTRY AND VISA REQUIREMENTS: Guests are advised to verify travel documents (passport/transit visa/entry visa) for the country(s) through which they are transiting and/or entering. Reliable and most current information regarding international travel can be found by contacting the consulate/embassy of the country(s) you are visiting or transiting through. We will not be responsible if you are denied entry or transit into a country if you are unable to provide valid documents as per the country’s requirement.

SMOKING AND VAPING POLICY: Allowed only in designated outdoor areas.

RESPONSIBILITY AND OTHER TERMS & CONDITIONS: Certain other provisions concerning, among other things, limitations of Lindblad Expeditions’, National Geographic Expeditions’ (a division of National Geographic Partners, LLC), and the Cal Alumni Association/Cal Discoveries Travel’s liability for loss of property, injury, illness, or death during the voyage will be provided to all guests on the ship’s ticket sent prior to departure or upon request. By registering for a trip, the guest agrees to all such terms and conditions.

NOTE: Itineraries and prices listed in this brochure are as of publication date and are subject to change. Under normal conditions the total expedition price is guaranteed at the time of booking. However, our expedition pricing is determined far in advance of initial departure on the basis of then-existing projections of fuel and other costs. In the event of increases in those costs, including but not limited to increases in the price of fuel, currency fluctuations, increases in government taxes or levies, or increased security costs, we reserve the right to adjust the price of your expedition or add a surcharge to cover such unexpected increases. We will always provide an explanation of the reason for increase in costs.

PHOTO CREDITS: Ralph Lee Hopkins, Jeff Litton, Emily Mount, Shutterstock, iStock, David Vargas, Michael S. Nolan.

Travel with confidence. We encourage you to view the Health & Safety protocols currently in effect. Scan the QR code or visit bit.ly/3oB8HD7.

All cancellations must be submitted in writing to the Cal Discoveries Travel office.

CANCELLATION POLICY

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Number of Days Prior to Expedition Start</th>
<th>Per Person Cancellation Fee</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>180 or more days</td>
<td>$750</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>179–120 days</td>
<td>Advance Payment</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>119–90 days</td>
<td>25% of trip cost</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>89–60 days</td>
<td>50% of trip cost</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>59–0 days</td>
<td>No refund</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

This policy applies to the voyage only. We strongly recommend that you purchase a travel protection plan.

LEVEL 2: What to expect: These trips often travel by motor coach, ship, or train. Touring days may include full-day motor coach excursions or extended periods of standing and walking during city tours, museum visits, and/or outdoor activities. Travelers should be able to board transportation, walk over sometimes-uneven terrain, and climb a few flights of stairs, occasionally without handrails or assistance. Elevators are not always available. Outings last two to four hours most days.

Suitable for: Travelers who are able to comfortably walk two to four miles, or 4,600–6,900 steps, each day.
RESERVATION FORM:
WILD POLYNESIAN ESCAPE:
BORA BORA TO TAHITI

ABOARD NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ORION
MAY 9 - 14, 2023

Passenger Information

Please reserve ___ place(s).

Name 1: ____________________________________________
(As it appears on passport)
_____________ Date of Birth: ____________ Cal Class Year: ____________
(Preferred name for name badge)

Email: ____________________________________________

Primary Phone: ________________________ Cell Phone: ________________________

Name 2: ____________________________________________
(As it appears on passport)
_____________ Date of Birth: ____________ Cal Class Year: ____________
(Preferred name for name badge)

Email: ____________________________________________

Primary Phone: ________________________ Cell Phone: ________________________

Street Address: ____________________________________________

City: ________________________________ State: _____________________ ZIP: ____________

Accommodations: ☐ Double ☐ Single ☐ Twin share with a friend: ________________________
☐ Twin share: I request assistance in securing a same gender roommate; my first choice is with a fellow Cal alumni guest. Subject to availability and cannot be guaranteed.

Please indicate choice of cabin category in order of preference:
1st choice: ________________________ 2nd choice: ________________________

Advance Payment Information: US$850 per person.

☐ If paying by check, please make payable to: Lindblad Maritime Enterprises, Ltd.
Enclosed is my advance payment of $ ________________________

☐ If paying by credit card, we will contact you to finalize your booking and collect payment information

☐ I have read the Terms and Conditions for the program and agree to them:

Signature: ________________________________ Date: ______________________________

One traveler per room, whether an alumni or friend, must be a current Cal Alumni Association member at the time of departure to participate in Cal Discoveries Travel offerings. Payment of $60 for seniors 65 years and over and $75 for others establishes a regular or affiliate membership with all other Association benefits. Memberships are for individuals only, and are non-refundable and non-transferable. A traveling pair and their children under 21 years of age may travel on one membership. Please make dues payable to CAA by separate check, or, if you prefer, provide a Visa, MasterCard, or American Express number with expiration date for payment. You can also enroll online at alumni.berkeley.edu/join.