

# FIJIAN PARADISE CRUISE



### 10 DAY FULLY INCLUSIVE TOUR

25th June to 4th July, 2026

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#### THURSDAY 25TH JUNE TO SATURDAY 4TH JULY, 2026

BULA - welcome to Fiji and your unforgettable Fijian adventure!

Discover the stunning beauty of Fiji as we cruise from the palm-fringed Mamanucas to the dramatic Yasawa Islands and the crystal-clear Blue Lagoon.

Immerse yourself in island life with traditional kava ceremonies, cultural performances and village feasts. Relax on a private beach, enjoy a lovo dinner under the stars and explore hidden gems like Lo's Tea Shop.

Learn local crafts, cook traditional dishes and meet the vibrant marine life — from colourful reef fish to majestic manta rays.

Or... just relax and chill out! The choice is yours!

Get ready for a tropical escape filled with culture, connection and pure paradise!

We hope that you can join us for this amazing tour.

#### **TOUR HIGHLIGHTS**

- Nadi
- Local Market
- Garden of the Sleeping Giant
- Mondriki Island
- Village of Soso
- Village Church Service

- o Cooking Lesson
- o Blue Lagoon
- Meke Performance
- Lo's Tea House
- Sawa-I-Lau Caves
- Local School

#### **CRUISES**

Blue Lagoon Cruises - MV Princess

#### **MULTIPLE NIGHT STAY**

7 nights aboard MV Princess















As a thank you for travelling with O'Shannessy's Quality Tours, you will automatically receive a saving on the total tour price for your second and subsequent tours.

O'Shannessy's Quality Tours will match single travellers who wish to twin share with another single traveller of the same gender. However, if this is not possible, you will need to pay the single room supplement surcharge.

If you are willing to twin share but are a smoker, have a CPAP machine or snore, you will need to pay a single supplement for a sole use room.

#### **PLEASE NOTE**

To maximize your experience in Fiji, you will need to be fit and able to navigate the uneven surfaces under foot and getting around the vessel. Walking frames are not recommended.

#### **TOUR COSTS**

Twin Share Room First Tour: \$9,195 per person

Twin Share Room Repeat Traveller 2 - 10 Tours: \$9,095 per person

Twin Share Room Repeat Traveller 11 - 20 Tours: \$9,045 per person

Twin Share Room Repeat Traveller 21+ Tours: \$8,995 per person

Single Room Supplement: \$2,590 per person



#### **TOUR INCLUSIONS**

- Complimentary chauffeur driven transfers. Pick up from and return to your home from Greater Melbourne, Bendigo, Torquay, Ballarat, Geelong, the Bellarine and Mornington Peninsulas, selected areas of Gippsland and Phillip Island.
- o **International Flights:** Melbourne to Nadi, Fiji and return. Direct economy flights with Fiji airlines includes transfers and taxes.
- Tour Director. Dedicated O'Shannessy's Quality Tours Tour director escort from Melbourne to ensure your travel experience is memorable.
- Quality Touring Coach. Quality air-conditioned touring coach and local English speaking tour guide.
- o Luxury Hotel Accommodation. Ensuite accommodation each night.
- o Luxury Ship Accommodation. Ensuite cabins each night.
- o **Attractions.** All tours and interest venues as per itinerary.
- All gratuities for Driver & Guide, venues and porterage at accommodation whilst travelling with the group.
- o Small Tour Group. Maximum of 20 participants.
- o Meals. 8 breakfasts, 8 lunches, 9 dinners and inflight meals included.

#### **TOUR DOES NOT INCLUDE**

- o Items of a personal nature and any optional extras.
- o Passport or Travel Insurance.

#### **PLEASE NOTE**

- Passports. A valid national passport is needed for all holidays, with a minimum validity of 6 months after return.
- Visa. Australian citizens do not require a tourist visa to enter Fiji. If you do not hold an Australian passport, please check visa requirements with your local consulate; responsibility for obtaining visas rests with the traveller.

#### **DISCLAIMER**

#### O'Shannessy's Quality Tours:

- o Advises the airline reserves the right to amend their schedule and airfares without notice.
- Advises price is effective for the dates specified but may be subject to change without notice.
- Advises passengers require a current Passport to travel to Fiji with minimum validity of 6 months after return.
- o Advises non-Australian Passport holders to check re-entry Visa requirements.
- o Reserves the right to vary the itinerary in any way at any time deemed necessary.
- Accepts no responsibility for damage or loss of personal belongings and suggests that suitable Insurance be effected for protection of the same.
- Accepts no responsibility or liability for delays, accidents, injury, irregularity or damage caused by other transport/touring companies used as part of this tour.
- o Reserves the right to change accommodation at any time without notice.

#### **MELBOURNE TO NADI, FIJI**

Welcome to our captivating tour to stunning **Fiji**. After we are collected by our chauffeurs, we are transferred to Melbourne International Airport where we meet our tour director and fellow passengers, ready to board our direct flight to Nadi, Fiji. On arrival, we are welcomed and transferred to our overnight accommodation. We'll get to know each other over a light supper at the hotel before heading to bed.

Refreshments and lunch inflight

**OVERNIGHT:** Tokatoka Resort, NADI ★★★★

DAY 2

Friday 26th June, 2026

#### NADI AND MODRIKI ISLAND

Enjoy a leisurely breakfast at the hotel, we check out and spend the morning exploring Nadi township. First we visit a **local market** where you can see how the locals shop. Then we visit a **temple** and also the beautiful **Garden of the Sleeping Giant**, to view some of the 2,000+ orchids, plus many native plants, all set in a tranquil setting. This afternoon, we drive to Port Denarau in time to board Blue Lagoon Cruise ship **M.V. Princess**. The small size of this vessel allows her to access bays and islands that would be impossible to reach in a larger ship – we can get so close to shore that we can tie off to a coconut tree and you can swim to the beach! Today we head for the outer **Mamanuca Islands**. The first overnight anchorage is the secluded **Modriki Island**, the location for the Tom Hanks movie, Cast Away. After a quick swim or walk on the beach, enjoy a complimentary glass of sparkling wine and canapes as you watch the sunset on the Sky Deck. The a la carte **Captain's Welcome Dinner** is followed by entertainment from the talented singing and guitar-playing crew.

**OVERNIGHT:** M.V. Princess













DAY 3

Saturday 27th June, 2026

#### SOSO BAY

This morning, weather permitting, there is an opportunity to swim with **reef sharks** at an ocean reef enroute to our next destination. After lunch, see what island village life is like when we visit the chiefly village of **Soso** followed by afternoon tea on the beach. This evening, we'll feast on a traditional Indian Thali buffet dinner, followed by an extravaganza of Bollywood dancing and movies.

**OVERNIGHT:** MV Princess

DAY 4

Sunday 28th June, 2026

#### NAUKACUVU ISLAND

Sunday is a day of rest in Fiji. After breakfast attend a **village church service**, then enjoy lunch and watch the view as we cruise southward. Head to shore this afternoon for some beach time. Tonight's dinner is a South Pacific themed buffet and after dinner, get to know your fellow cruise passengers and team up for Fiji style bingo in the Lounge Bar.

**OVERNIGHT:** MV Princess

#### YALOBI BAY

As M.V. Fiji Princess arrives at the stunning Sacred Islands you'll feel as though you're lost in paradise. The backdrop of the neighbouring Waya Lailai volcanic formations is breathtaking. Enjoy an afternoon on the beach with your packed picnic lunch, swimming, snorkeling and relaxing. Join the chef this afternoon to learn how to make the Roti in Lolo dish. Watch the sunset and enjoy tonight's a la carte Dinner, before getting ready for our Song Facts quiz night.

**OVERNIGHT: MV Princess** 

"... Sail to uninhabited tropical islands, anchor at our very own private beach in the Blue Lagoon, spend countless hours lazing on golden beaches and swim, snorkel or dive in crystal clear waters..."

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DAY 6

Tuesday 30th June, 2026

#### **BLUE LAGOON**

Our destination today is the famed Blue Lagoon, a superb stretch of water ringed by pretty islands. Blue Lagoon Cruises has its very own private beach here at Nanuya Lailai Island where we anchor close to the beach and tie up to a coconut tree. Jump off the back into the turquoise waters or take a tender boat to shore where our full bar awaits you. You'll dine on the beach all day today, including morning and afternoon tea, a buffet -style lunch, and a traditional Lovo meal cooked underground for tonight's dinner under the stars. Tonight enjoy a special traditional Meke performance by local villagers.

**OVERNIGHT: MV Princess** 

DAY 7

Wednesday 1st July, 2026

#### SAWA-I-LAU ISLAND

This morning you'll be rewarded with panoramic views of the Blue Lagoon if you join our easy 40-minute guided walk to the other side of the island, to visit Lo's Tea House. Afterward, take a final dip in the Blue Lagoon before we depart the area. Lunch is served on board as the ship cruises north for a guided visit to the amazing Sawa-I-Lau Caves. The village of Tamusua welcomes us for a Yagona (Kava) ceremony, a guided walk around their village and a village style seafood dinner.

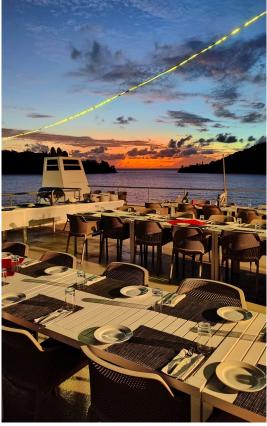
**OVERNIGHT: MV Princess** 

#### DRAWAQA ISLAND

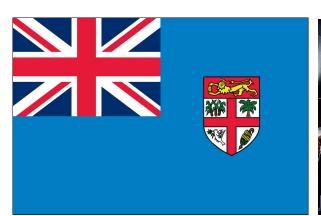
This morning we take an optional excursion to the local **island school** before cruising to **Drawaqa Island**. Here, we'll be joined on board by a marine biologist for a presentation on the local marine life and the volunteer conservation work carried out in the area. You may have the opportunity to snorkel with the magnificent manta rays. Dinner this evening is a BBQ on the Sky Deck (weather permitting) served under the stars. Tonight, our last night together on board, we party Fiji style!

**OVERNIGHT:** MV Princess













DAY 9 Friday 3rd July, 2026

#### PORT DENARAU AND NADI

Enjoy breakfast onboard as we cruise back to Port Denarau. Back at port, we'll be serenaded with the traditional Isa Lei farewell song by the crew as our exploration of Yasawa Islands comes to an end. Our bus transfer will take us to our accommodation in Nadi, allowing time to relax this afternoon at our hotel.

**OVERNIGHT:** Tokatoka Resort, NADI ★★★★

**DAY 10** 

Saturday 4th July, 2026

#### NADI TO MELBOURNE

An early start this morning transferring to the Nadi International Airport for our direct flight home to Melbourne. After completing Customs and Immigration with our tour director, our chauffeurs will be waiting for us in the arrival lounge. We're sure you will arrive home with a sense of well-being, appreciation and love for beautiful **Fiji**.

Breakfast and refreshments inflight

#### PAYMENT AND CANCELLATION POLICY

Receipt of payment of funds will be taken as acceptance of O'Shannessy's Quality Tours conditions of travel for this tour. Prices include GST and all taxes. Deposit is fully refundable until **101 days** prior to departure date. Balance due on invoice.

Cancellation within 100 days of tour departure date

No Refund

On or after tour date departure

No Refund

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## UPCOMING TOURS Available

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Samoa Serenity - September 2026

Flinders Ranges Outback Experience in Spring - October 2026

Travelling with like-minded, mature aged travellers means you'll experience a casual and relaxed atmosphere, where fellow travellers become new found friends.





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