

THELU VELIGA RETREAT

MAIDIVES



## About the Island

- Located 90 kilometres southwest of the Maldivian capital Malé, in the South Ari Atoll
- Island is just over a hectare (10,000 sq. metres) in size with its own house reef
- Guests may travel to the island in 2 ways: Via a 35 minute seaplane journey from Malé International Airport; or via a 35 minute domestic transfer from Malé International to Maamigili Local Airport, followed by a 30 minute speedboat

## Accommodation

- Island offers 10 Beach Villas (39 sq. m) and 20 Water Villas (54 sq. m)
- All villas designed to create a traditional Maldivian environment with rustic thatched roofs and drift-wood styled furniture, complimented with beautiful printed fabrics and modern day touches
- In-Villa amenities include: air conditioning, tea and coffee making facilities, mini bar, hair dryer
- Thoughtful amenities are provided including a selection of natural beauty products in the bathrooms derived from organic teas
- Beds are 180 cm x 200 cm in size
- Beach Villas offer a semi outdoor shower
- Water Villas offer a bath tub and separate shower, with direct access to the sun deck via sliding doors

## **Facilities**

- Open-air restaurant specializing in authentic and locally inspired dishes using only the freshest ingredients; seats up to 64 guests
- Beachfront lounge and bar complete with lagoon views and comprehensive all-day dining menu; seats up to 51 guests
- Boutique spa with 3 over-water treatment rooms, specializes in utilizing natural and organic products

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# **Activities & Excursions**

Motorized & Non-Motorized Water Sports

- Snorkelling
- Wind Surfing
- Kayaking
- Paddle Boarding
- Catamaran Sailing
- Water Skiing
- Kite Surfing
- Wake Boarding
- Scuba Diving

# Diving at Drift Thelu Veliga Retreat

- Specialized dive centre offers lessons and certifications as well as an array of diving trips
- House Reef is 50 metres from the island's beach
- Location for spotting whale sharks is 20 minutes away by speed boat
- Popular dive sites nearby include:

Theluveligau Giri	10 Minutes
Miaru Thila	25 Minutes
Lilly Beach Thila	25 Minutes
Vilamendhoo Thila	30 Minutes
Kuda Thila	30 Minutes
Noogiri	30 Minutes
Dhangethi Thila	40 Minutes
Orimasfaru Thila	40 Minutes
Ranveli Rock	40 Minutes
Dhangethi Beyru	50 minutes
Hudhuthila	50 Minutes

Broken Rock 1 Hour & 15 minutes
Macchafushi Rock 1 Hour & 20 minutes

# Shared Experiences

- Sunset Fishing
- Sunrise Breakfast Cruise
- Dhoni Snorkelling Trip
- Snorkelling & Picnic on Desert Island
- Local Village Discovery

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# Unique Experiences

- Traditional Morning Fishing
- In-Villa Champagne Breakfast
- In-Villa BBQ
- Sunset Cruise
- Dinner on the Beach
- Big Game Fishing
- BBQ on a Desert Island

# Weekly Activities

- Maldivian Night
- Seafood BBQ on the Beach
- Cinema under the Stars

# **Additional Services & Amenities**

- In-Villa dining available from 8 am to 10 pm
- Babysitting services arranged on request
- Wi Fi available across island including in villa
- Laundry service
- Wedding & blessing ceremonies The Smaller Things
- Voltage will be 220V, 50Hz
- European 3 pin plugs used
- Credit cards: MasterCard, Visa, Amex
- Currency: Maldivian Rufiyaa, US Dollars