



A warm welcome from our exquisite little island, Fushifaru! We can't wait to meet you and hope you are ready to relax, unwind and reconnect with nature - above and below the waterline. We are beyond grateful that you have chosen us for your once-in-a-lifetime Maldivian getaway, and we hope to make your stay truly fantastic! So, in preparation for your visit, here is a guide with more information about Fushifaru

## WHAT TO BRING

and the Maldives.

No holiday can go smoothly without packing your travel essentials. Before you come over and explore these paradise islands, make sure you have all these items ready in your bag!

We recommend packing lightweight, casual, summer clothes and no shoes, as most guests walk around the island barefoot. However, the resort's dress code for the evening is island chic.



Sun Screen



Flip-flops



Sun Glasses



Summer Clothes



Lip Balm



Bikinis & Swimwaer

## WHAT NOT TO BRING



Idols (for worship)



Religious materials offensive to Islam



Narcotics and



psychotropic substances



Pornographic material (including sex toys)



Liquor and alcoholic products (Available in the resort)



Firearms, explosives, weapons and ammunition



Live plants, pets and animals



High heels

## VISA & IMMIGRATION

Tourist Visa is granted for all nationalities on arrival to Maldives. As such, a foreigner travelling to Maldives as a tourist does not require pre-approval for the visa. However, the person must satisfy the basic entry requirements to get immigration clearance upon arrival. The maximum number of days granted on arrival would be 30 days.

Please visit the Maldives Immigration website for more details and traveller declaration forms to be filled out prior arrival:

https://immigration.gov.mv/tourist-visa/



### **WEATHER**

Maldives has a tropical climate, which is warm and sunny throughout the year with little variations in temperature. The temperature during the day is around 30 °C (Degrees Celsius) and in the evening 26 °C. Seawater temprature is warm always at around 25°C.

## **LUGGAGE**

Please consult the airline to find out information on your luggage allowance. Please consider traveling light weight, baggage allowance limit for seaplane is 25 kg. If overweight you will be charged extra.



### WIFI & INTERNET

We offer complimentary internet service on the island. WiFi is available throghout the island, depending on your needs, we can also arrange a local data packages. Tourist SIM Cards can be purchased at the airport or in the island.



## YOUR JOURNEY TO FUSHIFARU MALDIVES

#### Welcoming to Maldives by our Airport Hosts

At the arrival terminal of Velana International Airport, Fushifaru Airport hosts wearing our signature uniform will meet and greet you with a signboard for your convenience. Our airport staff will help collect your bags and escort you to either the Seaplane counter (Trans Maldivian Airways-TMA) or to the domestic counter (Maldivian Airlines) for check-in, depending on the onwards transfer that you have booked.



Fushifaru airport representatives at the arrival terminal to meet and greet you.

#### Going to Fushifaru via Seaplane



Trans - Maldivian Airway Seaplane Lounge

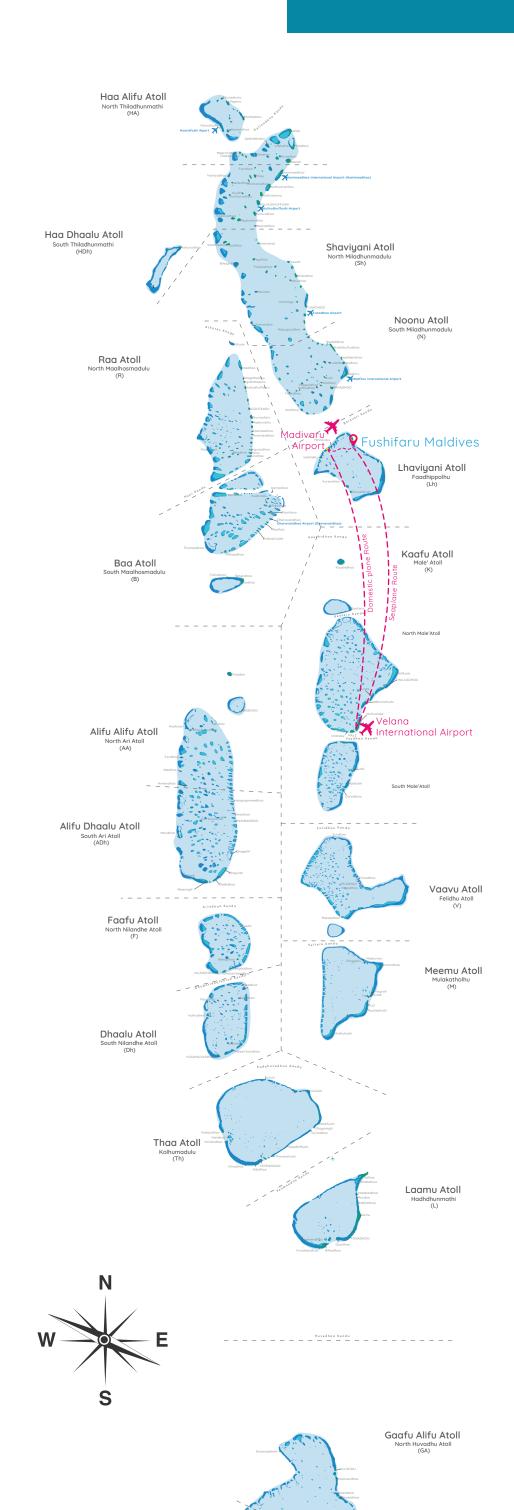
After check-in at the TMA counter at the arrival terminal they will take you on a 5 minute bus ride to the TMA Seaplane Lounge for boarding. It takes approximately 35 minutes, this scenic seaplane ride from the airport to Fushifaru is spectacular. You will enjoy an amazing aerial view of Maldivian atolls and islands of Maldives.



Going to Fushifaru via Domestic Plane to Madivaru Island and a Speed Boat ride



It takes another 15 minutes on the speed boat to Fushifaru.





Gnaviyani Atoll

Gaafu Dhaalu Atoll



Located on the North East border of the Lhaviyani Atoll, sits our exquisite little island of Fushifaru. Fushifaru Maldives is nestled between a national Marine Protected Area and is a boutique Maldivian chic resort with an endless promise of adventure, excitement, discovery and serenity, all in one diverse landscape. Fushifaru Maldives' 63 Beach Villas and Water Villas exudes a sense of cosiness yet luxurious in space and amenities by merging quintessential Maldivian design with modern aesthetics.

### THE VILLAS

- 3 Beach Villa Sunrise
  96 sqm
- 15 Beach Villa Sunset
  96 sqm
- 10 Pool Beach Villa Sunrise
  122 sqm
- 10 Pool Beach Villa Sunset
  122 sqm
- 2 Beach Duplex Villa
  240 sqm (2 Bedrooms)
- 1 Premium Beach Duplex Villa 250 sqm (2 Bedrooms)
- 11 Jacuzzi Water Villa
  96 sqm
- 4 Pool Water Villa
  122 sqm
- 4 Premium Pool Water Villa
  122 sqm

Whether you are looking for a gentle morning kiss of the sun or are eager to witness the elegant evening twilight as the day comes to a close, Fushifaru Maldives makes your stay on the islands a time to remember with the ideal location of our sunrise and sunset villas. The sea is just an arm's length away.

### Sunrise

These Villas are located on the eastern side of the island facing the Sunrise and has the view of the "Maakandu", the vast Indian Ocean...

#### Sunset

These Villas are located on the Western side of the island facing the Sunset and has the view of the "Etherevari", the Lagoon...





Fushifaru Maldives offer 44 beach villas and 19 water villas designed to exude a sense of coziness, comfort and luxurious eco-friendly esthetics. Surround yourself in the natural beauty of the calm turquoise water or your own private white sand beach. Your personal Resident Host will ensure an unforgettable stay.

- King-sized bed
- Indoor Daybed
- Air Conditioning
- Ceiling Fan
- Mini Bar
- In-room safe
- Working desk with stationery
- Illy coffee/espresso machine
- IDD telephone
- IPTV
- Iron and iron Board
- Complimentary Water
- Garden Bathroom with Bath
- Indoor and Outdoor Shower
- Private Veranda
- Outdoor dining furniture
- Outdoor sunbed
- Sun loungers with umbrellas
- Complimentary island-wide wifi

### **BUTLER SERVICE**

A personal Resident Host will be assigned to ensure you have the best Fushifaru experience. This is a part of our commitment to give you an extreme personalized service, making sure that you have the best stay possible.

### MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

We have Residents trained in first aid on the island and in case of an emergency, the closest hospital is only 10 minutes away from our resort by speedboat.









At Fushifaru, our dining outlets are fused with nature for our guests to enjoy fantastic concoctions while facing the scenic beauty of The Maldives. Our outlets burst with local and international flavours and are tailored to every taste, need and dietary requirement.





Breakfast

Lunch

Dinner

① 07:00 - 10:00 hrs.

①. 12:00 – 14:00 hrs.

18:30 - 21:00 hrs.

Korakali is our all-day dining restaurant where our guests can enjoy a scrumptious breakfast, a light lunch & palate pleasing international cuisine at dinner, with different theme-nights every evening.





① 10:00 - 23:00 hrs.



Fanihandi Bar is our main bar and hosts our incredible infinity pool. This is the perfect place for guests to savour light meals, signature cocktails, fun mocktails, afternoon tea or even a fresh Kurumba from our coconut trees as the sun sets over the ocean.





### **Opening Hours**

11:00 - 22:00 hrs.

Relax and grab a refreshing ice cream or fruit smoothie at Thundi, our new beach bar with laid-back vibes and décor. At Thundi Beach we also host weekly events with live music at sunset.







Lunch

Dinner

12:00 - 14:00 hrs.

①. 18:30 - 21:00 hrs.

Raakani draws on the culinary riches of the seas and offers a spectacular beachfront dining experience. Serving the finest array of freshly caught seafood and meat which is grilled to perfection, enjoy with the fresh breeze and views of the Indian Ocean.





#### Dinner

① 19:00 – 22:00 hrs.

Raakani draws on the culinary riches of the seas and offers a spectacular beach front dining experience. Serving the finest array of freshly caught seafood and meat which is grilled to perfection, enjoy with the fresh breeze and views of the Indian Ocean.





### **Operating Hours**

(24) 24 hrs.

In-Villa Dining is all about creating a magical experience for our guests either in the privacy of their Villa. Our IVD service is an all-day operation where guests have 24-hour access to our IVD menu, which has a range of international dishes and snacks.



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#### Sandbank Dinner

As you step-in at this place, you'll certainly be stunned by the elegance of this wonderful nature in the middle of the Indian ocean. The charm of the evening with soft breeze brushing your cheeks will palpably skip a beat and this experience would be once in lifetime. The experience is definitely a combo of culinary pleasure and a fanciful date.

### Private Pool Dinner

In the comfort of your own private pool villa, this submerged pool dining experience treats you with the charm of dining in a truly offbeat way. With the water at your feet and the Indian Ocean lapping against the shoreline, enjoy your dinner under the stars and take in this unforgettable experience.

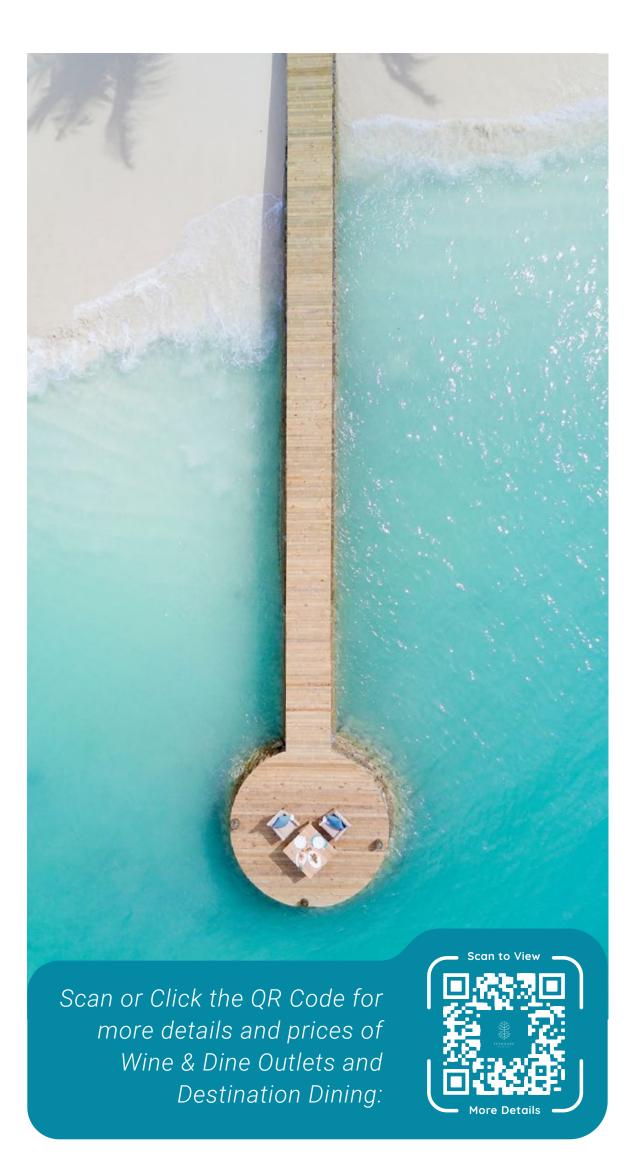
#### **Romantic Beach Dinner**

Spoil your loved one and surprise them with a candlelight fine dining experience on a secluded area of one of our stunning beaches. This beautiful experience under the stars is the epitome of special occasions and celebrations, polishezd to perfection surrounded by stunning beaches, ocean backdrops and the sea breeze.



#### Handhu Dinner

Fancy a romantic dinner under the stars? Book your private dinner at the Handhu platform and enjoy the privacy of this exclusive dining experience under the stars and with the sound of the waves.





Our "Signature Experiences" are unique to Fushifaru Maldives and authentic Maldivian experiences. Explore, Reconnect and Indulge in experiences that will create memories to last a lifetime. A collection of indigenous Maldivian traditional experiences available at Fushifaru Maldives from climbing coconut trees, savouring traditional Maldivian cuisine to making your own woven handicrafts out of palm leaves

### Maldivian Malaafaiy Feast

Malaafaiy is the name given to a large, wooden traditional serving container, filled with tropical Maldivian Cuisine, its exterior and lid are intricately decorated with traditional Maldivian lacquer work. The Maldives is second to none in making dishes incorporating fish, coconut and starches that are available and unique to Maldive islands. A Malaafaiy can come with some Hot Maldivan fish curries, smoked tuna, tuna or reef fish soup (Garudhiya) coconut salads (Gabulhi Salad), breadfruit rice or breadfruit based desserts (Bambukeyo Bondibai), Theluli Muranga Fai (Fried Moringa Leaves) Moringa Drumstick Curry, Moringa Rice, Screw Pine (Kashikeyo) based disehes like Kashikeyo Kan'dhi, Kashikeyo Baipen (screw pine porridge) and Kashikeyo Pudding to name a few unique Maldivian delicacies.

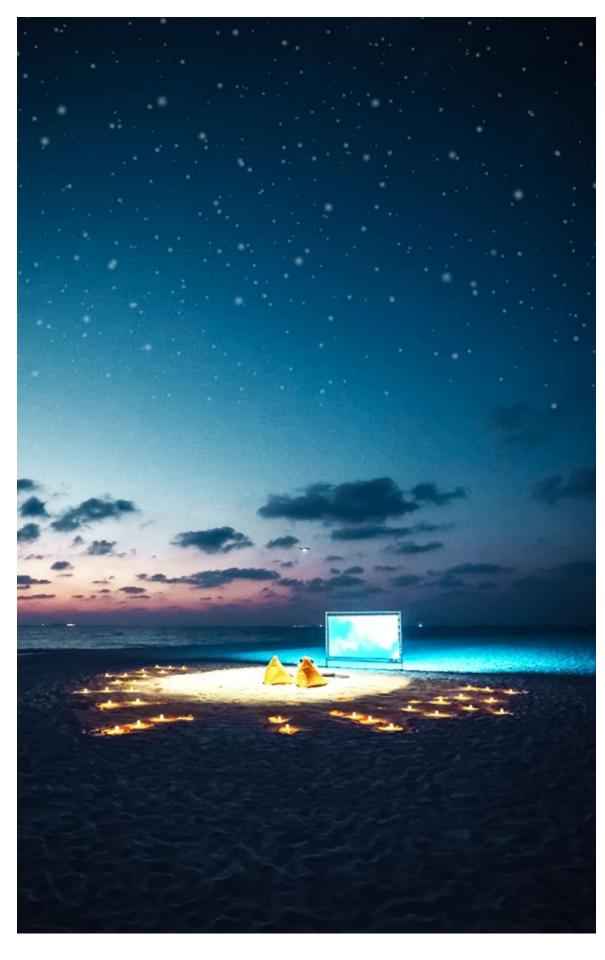
### Maldivian Cooking Class

Have fun with local food and learn about the traditional Maldivian Curry or discover authentic Maldivian cuisine, aromatic herbs and cooking techniques with our well-experienced chef.



#### Movie Under the Stars

Enjoy a romantic night with your loved one under the stars, on the beach watching your favorite classic movie, surrounded by the ocean under the twinkling stars.





#### Sandbank Experience

Spend the most romantic night of your life with your loved on under the stars, on a bed of white sand, beside the sparkling waters of the Indian Ocean. This romantic overnight "glamping" dinner is the best experience you could give as a surprise to your partner on an already special vacation.

- Private Full- Day Picnic
- Private Half-Day Picnic
- Group BBQ Lunch

### Sunset Sail Dhoni Cruise

Sail away on a romantic and fascinating experience of traditional Maldivian Sail Boat. Indulge in Champagne, exquisite food and the beauty of the waters surrounding Fushifaru while enjoying a mesmerising sunset.

#### Fruit Lagoon

A blissful getaway in paradise wouldn't be complete without a wide array of display exotic fruits to savour on the beach for a colourful and fun experience! 'Fruit Lagoon' is perfect for a tropical photoshoot during your stay at Fushifaru Maldives.

### Karaoke Under the Stars

Looking for an alternative way to celebrate a special occasion or searching for a new experience to have some fun with your partner? Sing your heart out on the beach under the stars.

### Sleep Under the Stars

Glamp under the stars on your four-poster canopy bed draped in muslin and enjoy a specially curated menu from the sea prepared by your personal Chef. Watch the sunset and lull yourself to sleep with the waves lapping against the shore. Awake to a glorious sunrise and spend the day reminiscing about your once in a lifetime castaway experience!

### Champagne Breakfast

Why not begin the day with a glass of Champagne? A once-in-a-lifetime holiday calls for an unforgettable breakfast.

### Floating Dhoni Breakfast

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#### **Opening Hours**

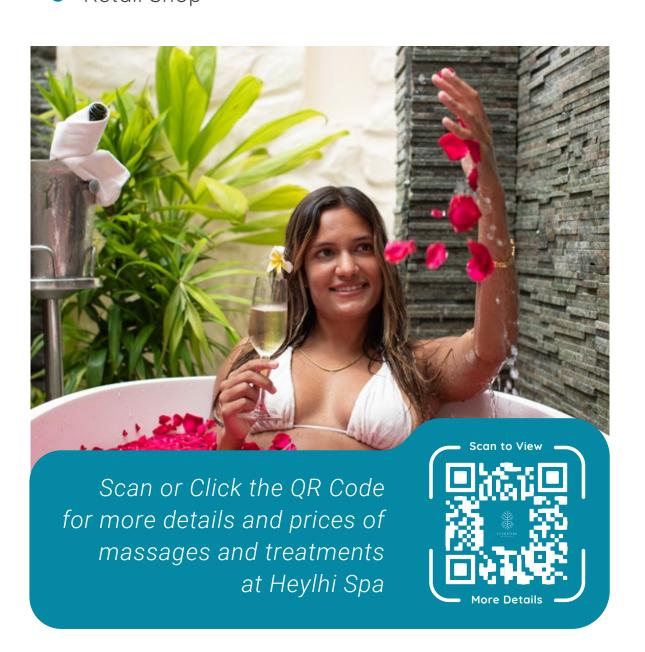
① 09:00 - 19:00 hrs.

We are inspired by the magical flower of the 'Tree of Life' called Frangipani which traditionally symbolizes balance, beauty, love, peace, and harmony. Their heady romantic scent has a mystical healing ability to unblock and balance the Chakra's energy. Our holistic therapies will take you on a journey of harmony between mind, body, and spirit enabling you to live in a state of grace.

#### Spa Facilities

5 air-conditioned treatment Pavilions that resemble traditional Maldivian cottages with outdoor shower and bathtub. Our spa facilities also includes:

- Pedicure & Manicure Room
- Beauty Salon
- Hydrotherapy (Plunge Pool)
- Relaxation Areas
- Sauna
- Retail Shop





### Spa Treatments & Massages

We pledge to provide the finest personal service through unrivaled authentic and holistic treatments using modern techniques that will linger in your mind long after you have left. We deliver the experience of the luxury spa & wellness with love and joy.

#### Heylhi Faruva (Traditional Maldivian Treatments)

Our signature treatments are designed to inspire, support, and restore your precious energy by taking inspiration from the Maldivian traditional medicine fused with modern techniques.

#### Ayurveda

The traditional Indian ancient medical science known as Ayurveda (from the Sanskrit words ayur, or life, and veda, science). This is a healing method that relies on herbs as medicines for maintaining good health.

#### Massages

Heylhi Spa Massages enhanced with traditional touches and practices from across the Eastern and Western Orient.

#### Facial Care

Our unique facials aim to minimize the adverse effects of our modern lifestyle.

#### Skin & Body Works

Our selected skin & body works encourages the elimination of toxins, stimulating circulation to bring vitality to your skin.

#### Beauty & Classy

Our beauty & classy services offer a variety of pampering sessions from manicure-pedicure, haircut, makeup, hairstyle and waxing.



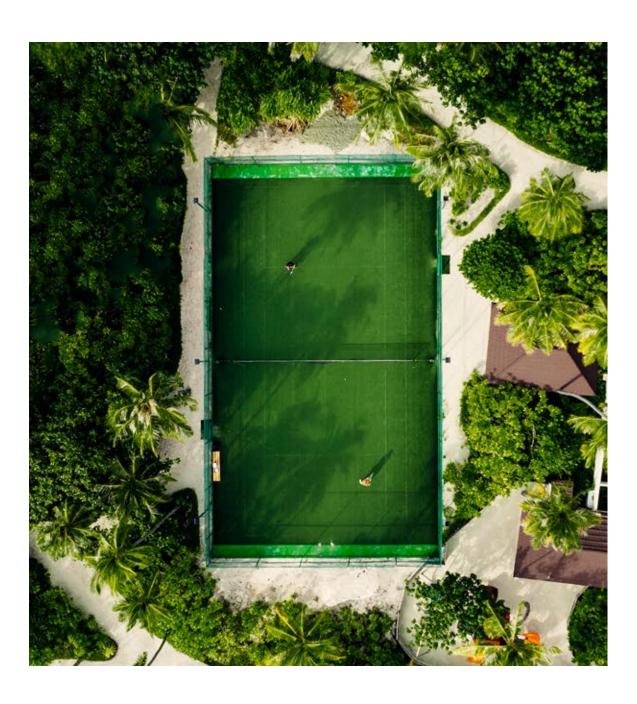
Elevating your wellness experience far beyond pampering treatments or traditional spa therapies, we believe in fitness as much as all things fun, with a holistic approach to wellness and fitness to balance our guest's performance.

### YOGA

We provide private and group yoga classes as we have an in-house yoga instructor. We offer a 4-day and 7-day yoga package with the goal of balancing the mind, body and spirit. A 45-minute group class is available every Tuesday and Saturday, and private yoga classes can be booked at your convenience.

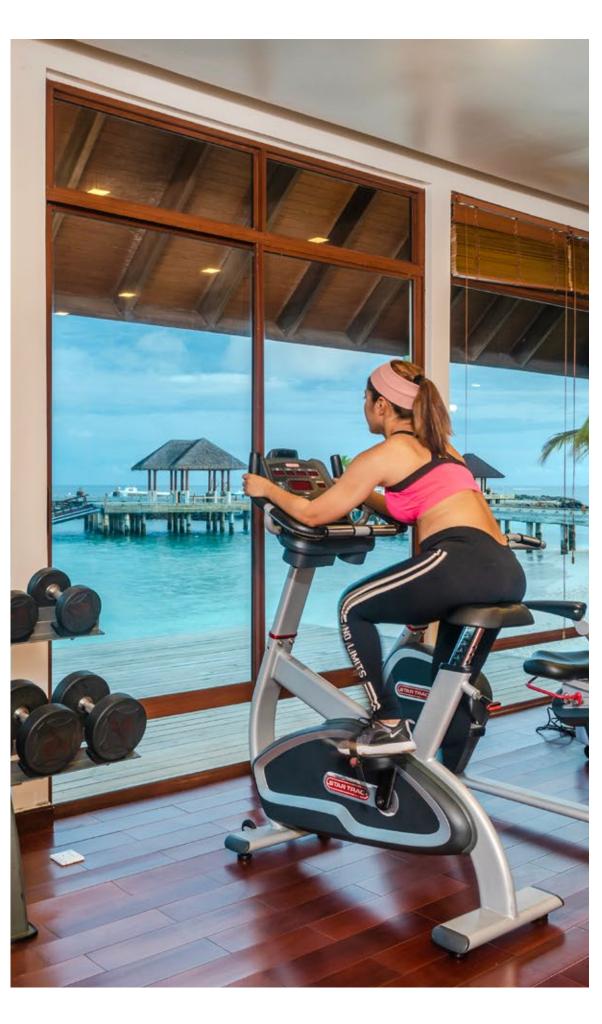
### **MULTI-SPORTS COURT**

We offer a multi-sports court for our active and sporty guests for tennis or football sessions. You can also play table tennis; the table is lacated near the sports court. We also provide all the sports equipment relevant for your sporting needs, just go to the reception and we will be there to assist you.



### **GYM**

Our modern gym offers a scenic sea view while you are working out and is equipped by up-to-date machines, weights, yoga mats and more, making your workout more fun. Why not workout to the one of the best views in the world. We are the only one in the Maldives resort that offers 24 hours gym, 7 days a week.





### **Opening Hours**

09:00 - 18:00 hrs.

At Fushifaru Maldives, for your little ones we have Kokko Club, a kids playground and a wide range of activities such as:

### **Little Culinary Cookout:**

A culinary class where your little ones learn to make and enjoy a traditional Maldivian meal, Roshi flat bread and tuna.

#### **Nature Strolls:**

Sign your kids up for an adventure around the island with our Island Whisperer and discover the various flora and fauna found in the Maldives. Collect fallen flowers, leaves and washed-up shells for your Nature Bracelet (to show off after!), learn some names in Dhivehi and at the end of your walk, name and plant a tree as part of our efforts to make the planet a little greener!

#### **Thaana Writing Class:**

Writing in Maldivian is called Thaana; and as little children, we were taught to write Thaana in the sand by our teachers, parents or grandparents. Kids on holiday can have a great experience learning about a new culture and language; this is the perfect class to sign them up for.

#### **Boduberu Beats:**

For kids who are musically inclined, Fushifaru's Boduberu Beats session gives them a chance to try their hands at playing Boduberu drum, made traditionally from the trunk of the coconut tree

### Palm Tree Weaving & Crafts:

why not get your kids to learn how to be creative with Mother Nature and weave coconut leaves into baskets, decor and more!

Baby sitting services are available upon request. (Pre-booking is required)







#### **Dive Centre Opening Hours**

09:00 - 18:00 hrs.

For the ocean lovers, Best Dives Fushifaru offers scuba diving adventures. Just a few minutes away from Fushifaru is Fushifaru Thila, a Marine Protected area with diverse marine life, unique cave formations, a manta cleaning station and much more; a true haven for diving enthusiasts. Our Dive Centre caters for all skill levels and offers courses from beginner level to rescue diver and specialty courses.





#### **Dive Courses**

Best Dives Maldives offer a full range of PADI scuba diving programs and a team committed to providing high-quality diver training and continuing education programs that include exciting adventures and marine life awareness.

- PADI Try Dive (Bubble Maker & Discover Diving)
- PADI Diving Courses for Beginners
- PADI Diving Courses for Experienced Divers

Study materials and certification include eLearning, certification, eTraining log, eManual, eRDP Desktop, RDP Table, eRecord, Knowledge Reviews, Quizzes, Exam and Videos.

#### **Dive Excursions**

With more than 30 dive sites nearby, Fushifaru Maldives is a diver's dream. We provide dive excursion boat trips throughout the day, helping to ensure that you can make the most of your time in the Maldives. We run single dive trips in the afternoon and organise two tank diving trips in the morning. We try to go the extra mile and accommodate special requests, such as night dives.

Scan or Click the QR Code for more details on dive courses, equipment rentals, boat fees and excursion prices:



#### Main Dive Sites Near Fushifaru

Fushifaru Maldives is surrounded by amazing marine diversity and underwater wonders.









snappers, oriental sweet lips, neon fusiliers,

nurse sharks, hawksbill turtles, eagle rays

and stingrays.



### **Watersports Centre Operating Hours**

09:00 - 18:00 hrs.

Fushifaru At Fushifaru Maldives, we offer an exciting collection of fun watersports experiences, including snorkeling with tropical reef fish, powering across the waves on a wakeboard, shooting up into the air for 360-degree panoramas on a parasailing adventure and taking it easy in the crystal clear lagoon with a glass kayak or pedalo.

Our team is highly-trained and experienced, the majority possess Lifeguard and Emergency First Response Training.

#### Watersports Facilities

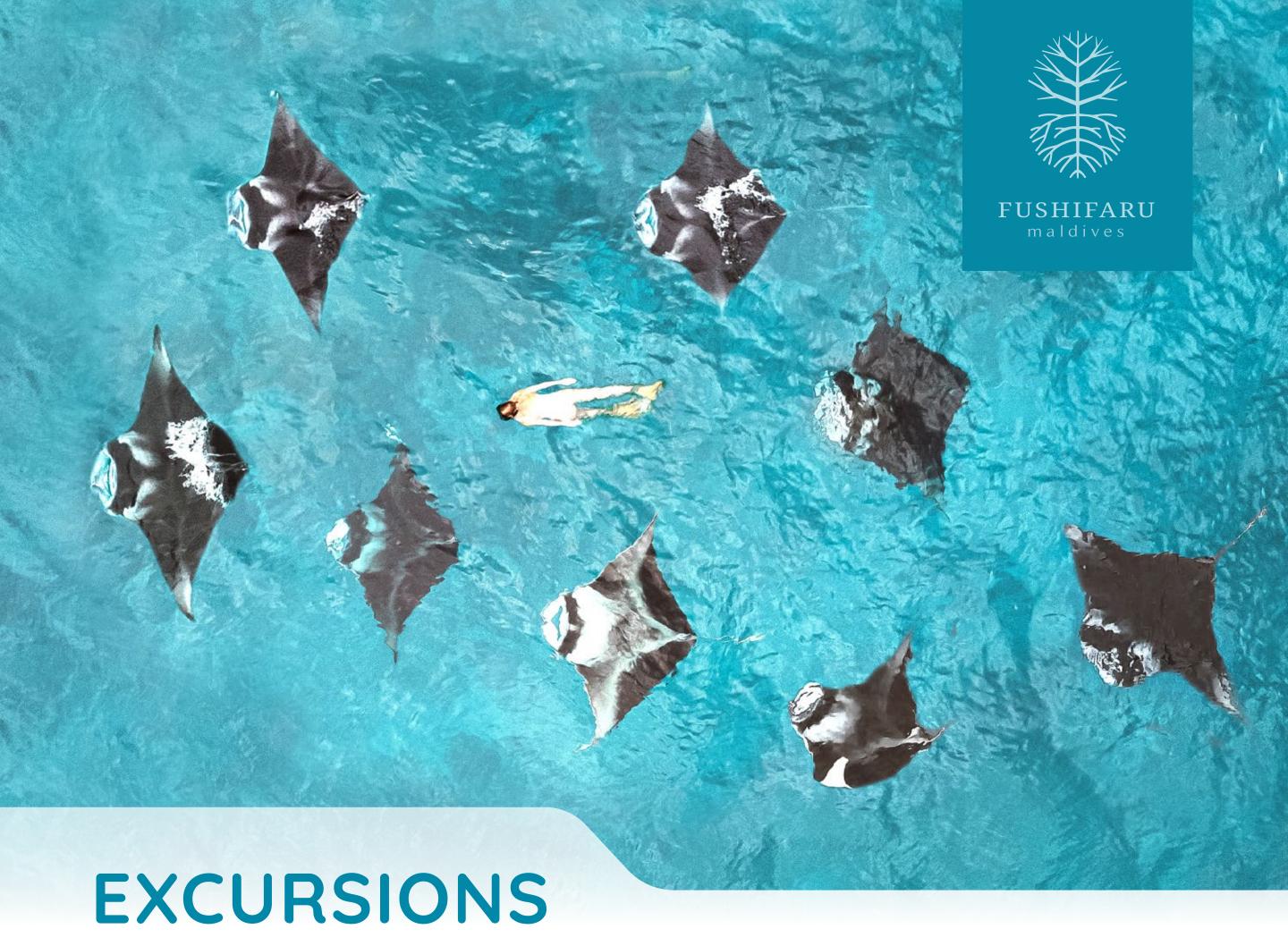
Our Watersports Centre is fully stocked with the most popular watersports equipment:

- Wakeboard
- Jet Ski
- Seabob
- Banana Boat
- Fun Tube
- Parasailing
- Catamaran
- Kite Surf
- Wind Surf
- Glass Kayak
- Snorkeling Gear
- Paddle Boat

Non-motorized water sports and snorkeling gear are FREE of charge, excluding Glass Kayak and Catamaran.







For those seeking adventures, we provide a choice of exciting excursions which will showcase the very best of what the Maldives has to offer including fishing, island-hopping, dolphin cruises experiences.



#### Manta Quest

Let us take you on an exciting snorkeling trip in search of manta rays, found both on coral reefs and in the open ocean. Manta movements vary according to the season, tides and other factors but there is the best chance of spotting them during southwest monsoon between May and November.

#### Catamaran Excursions

Set sail on a catamaran and explore the coral reefs teeming with tropical fish on a snorkeling trip, sail into the sunset or snorkel by a sandbank. Step aboard your catamaran and let your skipper take you on a memorable cruise perfect for sunbathing or just enjoying the scenic views.

#### Local Island Experience

Experience the 'real' Maldives by visiting one of the local neighbouring islands. On a local island excursion you will discover the laid-back pace of an island life, where Maldivians live a simple and often traditional life, a world away from resort life.

#### Sunset Dolphin Cruise

Before the sun sets, set out on an adventure cruise to look for dolphins. Since they are wild marine creatures out in the vast ocean, we cannot guarantee their sightings. However, once you find them you will be captivated by their playful manner. Watch them swim side by side and sometimes jump and spin out of the water.

#### Coral Restoration Tour

Join our in-house project and learn about the importance of coral reefs, how to identify the most important species and replant some colonies to maintain the underwater balance around our island.

#### Turtle Quest

During this most popular excursion you have a chance to meet the favourite of many, the green sea turtles and Hawksbill turtles. Our team will take you to the special spot where 80% of the time we are able to spot turtles and also reef sharks, sting rays, eagle rays and, of course, pristine reef.

#### Private Snorkeling Tour

Do you want to see more of the underwater life in the comfort and privacy of your own boat? Then you have found the right place! We are able to offer a wide range of options, starting from the boat (traditional Maldivian dhoni or luxury speedboat), refreshments and vivid reef spots, as well as a private guide who will plan the trip according to your wishes.

### Sunset Fishing

Just before the sun starts to turn the sky golden, head out to the sea on a uniquely Maldivian fishing adventure, where our fishing expert will show you how to use a line without a rod to catch fish and all about the art of line fishing that has been practicing for generations. Your catch can be professionally prepared by our chefs in the restaurant for a supplement.

#### Night Snorkeling

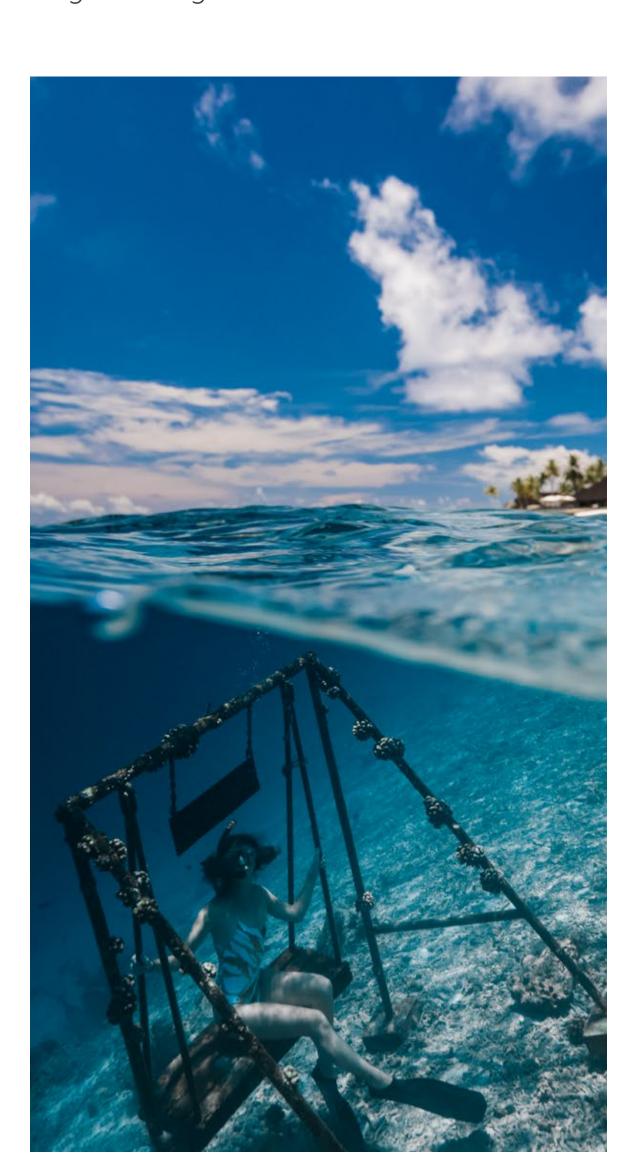
Be a part of this magical experience that provides you with a chance to observe different species and behaviours that only occur at night time. If you are lucky, you will see bioluminescent organisms and corals that glow in the dark.

Scan or Click the QR Code for more details of different excursions and prices:





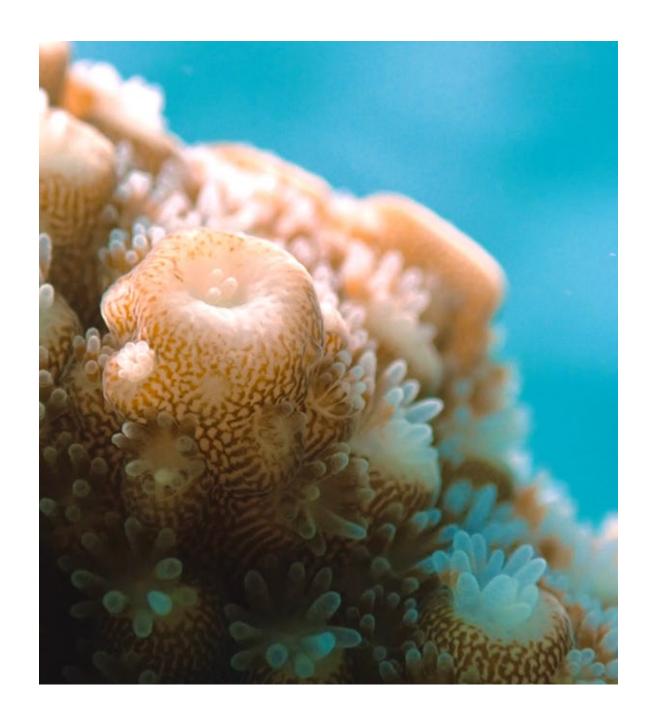
The underwater playground that is right out infront of the main pool is a fun underwater park to snorkel around and explore. You will find an underwater swing, bicycle and different objects submerged here with vibrant corals growing on it. You will find a variety of colorful fish and marine life around it. This is the perfect place to take some underwater pictures or videos for social media channels like instagram; when you do, please dont forget to Tag us #fushifaru.



#### Faru Project

Coral reefs are vital for our survival! Our in-house coral replanting program is located at the underwater playground. During your stay, you can attend different activities to contribute to this important project.

Everyone likes to scuba dive or snorkel in warm, clear water on a vibrant coral reef, yet many people know little about what they're seeing or the importance of reef ecosystems. This Coral Reef Conservation project helps you appreciate the complexity of these habitats and teaches you how you can help conserve these vital ecosystem.





Celebrating your special day and your dream honeymoon in Maldives is picture-perfect and almost surreal. On arrival to Fushifaru, your Wedding Planner will meet with you and discuss the arrangements along with the weather forecast and agree on an appropriate date. It is strongly recommended that you remain flexible with your celebration day and we will strive to deliver a memorable experience.

### Traditional Maldivian Wedding

Make your beach wedding turn into reality and wed in traditional Maldivian style for the ultimate dream come true! With Boduberu drummers escorting you and your loved one down the white sanded aisle, enjoy the turquoise Indian ocean in the background as you share your vows with the colors of the sunset. What better way to start your happy ever after? The wedding is topped off by having a local magistrate (Gaazee) preside over the ceremony, which is done in the local Divehi dialect.

#### Traditional Dhoni Wedding

Picture saying "I do" as you and your loved one set sail on a traditional Maldivian Dhoni. There is nothing more memorable and romantic than embarking upon the crystal blue waters of the Indian Ocean, hand in hand and celebrating in style to mark the beginning of your new life together.

### Private Sandbank Wedding

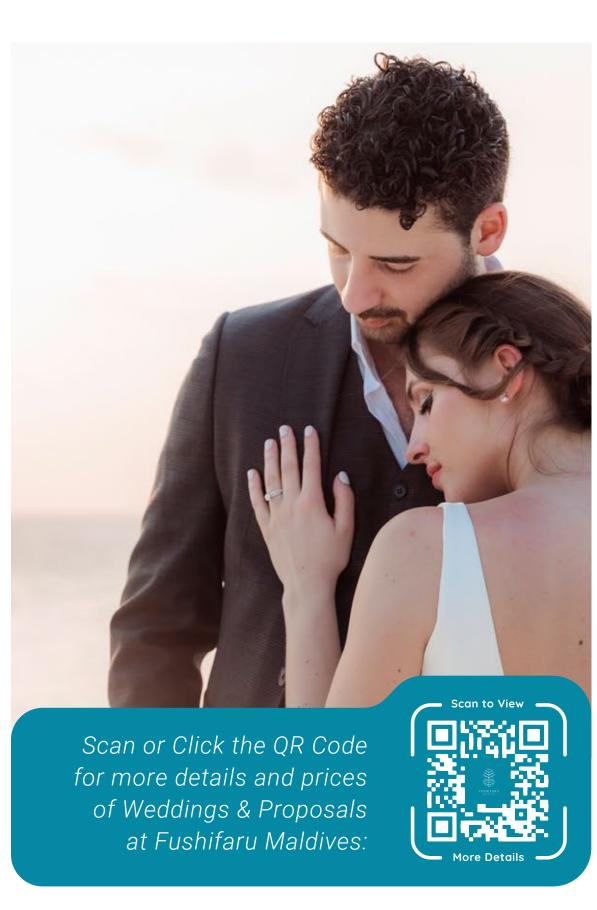
What better place to mark one of the most important milestones of your life? The Private Sandbank Wedding will be the setting for the magical beach wedding that you have always imagined. In total seclusion, celebrate on a sandbank engulfed by the Indian Ocean and surrounded by panoramic views. Why not begin your unique journey together on our magical sandbank?

#### Handhu Wedding

The Handhu Wedding is a unique experience like no other! Surrounded by an aquamarine lagoon, the Handhu platform is the only way to have an ocean-themed wedding which draws on the beauty and magnificence of the water to create a unique and memorable day.

#### **Wedding Proposals**

Dreaming of an unforgettable proposal? Propose to your significant other at Fushifaru, in the most tromantic and idyllic setting. The champagne, flowers and sumptuous dinner will await you and create the perfect celebration for the beginning of your lives together.





## Fushi Boutique Opening Hours

② 09:00 - 12:00 hrs. ② 13:30 - 17:00 hrs.

19:30 - 22:00 hrs.



Capture the best moments of your holiday at Fushifaru Maldives. We got you covered with our in-house photography services provided with our creative photography and videography partner, Creatica. This includes packages for any special occasion including weddings, pre-wedding ceremonies, anniversaries, birthdays etc.

### Photography & Videography Packages

We provide a variety of packages designed around the wishes of our guests, depending on your needs, you can choose the perfect package for you from the Basic / Bronze / Silver / Gold or VIP Photography Package.

You can also do video shoots to get high-resolution video footage edited or unedited, including drone footage.

#### **GoPro Rental**

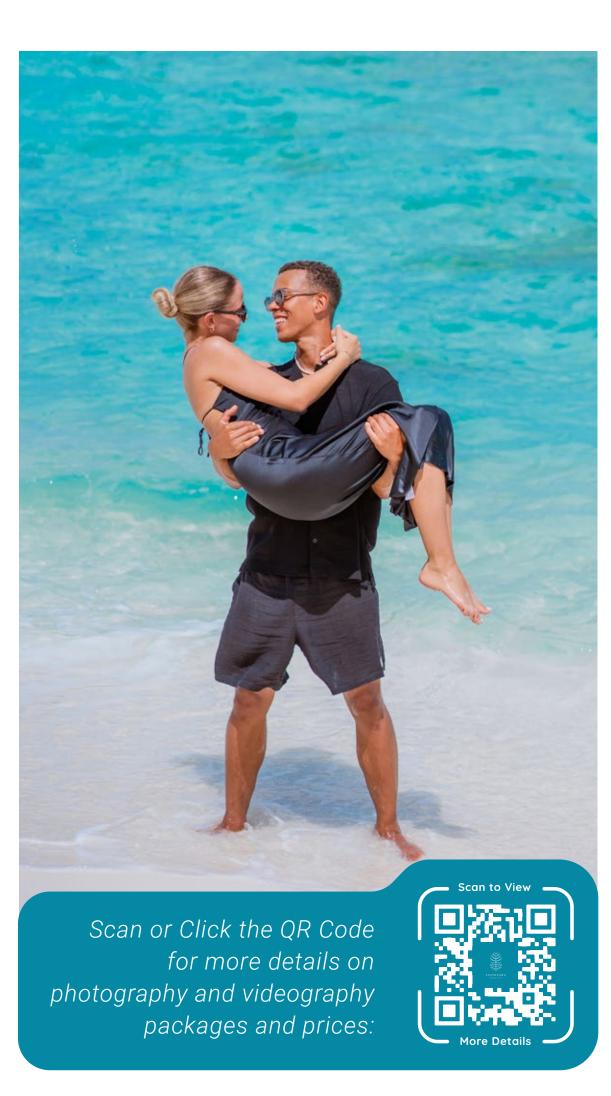
You can also rent GoPro waterproof cameras for underwater and watersports photography to capture those exciting extreme sports action or underwater while snorkeling in the crystal clear waters of Maldives, our underwater playground is perfect for this too.

### **Professional Photographers**

Photography sessions will be conducted by experienced professional photographers, using the latest technology and equipment.

### DRONE POLICY

Please note that drone usage is only permitted in designated areas of the resort. Please contact Reception or your Resident Host for more information.





We do our part to take care of the environment and are doing what we can to eliminate single-use plastics at Fushifaru. It is our little way of helping the environment and saving our planet.

#### 'Plastic Aa Nulaa' Campaign

The objective of this campaign is to increase awareness on the importance on how to help restore the deteriorating marine life through eco-friendly alternatives such as eliminating the single-use plastic to each household.

### **Coral Propagation Project**

In collaboration with Best Dives, Fushifaru has initiated and developed a coral propagation project to assist the rejuvenation of the coral reefs around the island, which is vital to sustaining biodiversity.

### Partnership with Kind Traveller

Fushifaru is a proud partner of Kind Traveller and has been contributing to 'The Olive Ridley Project', whose mission is to protect sea turtles and their habitats through rescue and rehabilitation, scientific research, education, and outreach.

#### Plant Your Own Tree Program

At Fushifaru, we make it easy and fun for guests to help mother nature by planting trees on the island.In addition, food waste is composted through the composting machine and then used as manure for the trees within the property.

### **Green Globe Certification**

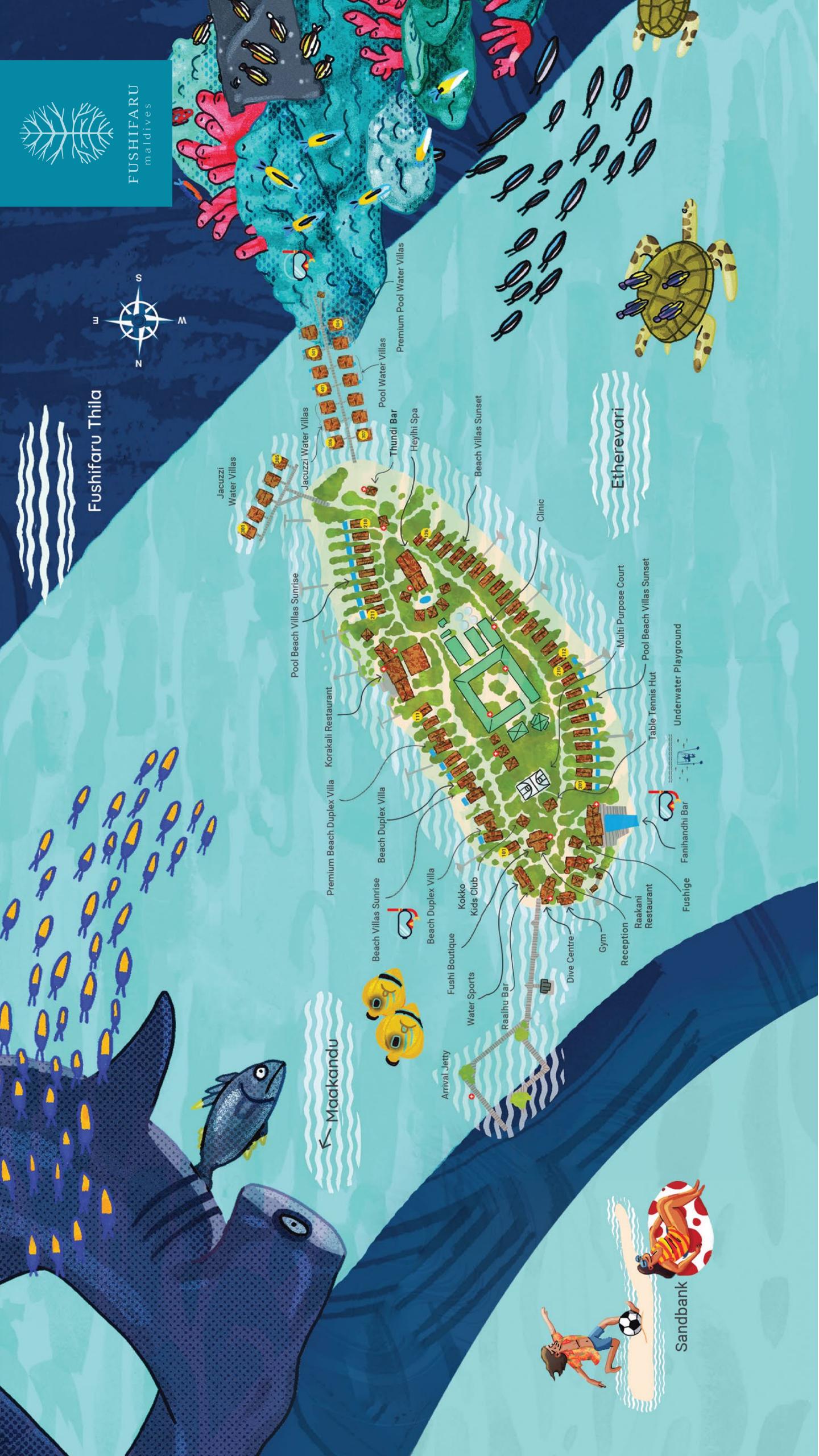


The resort has been awarded the Green Globe certificate, an international recognition for the travel and tourism industry for their achievement on the preservation and sustainable operations.











# ABOUT MALDIVES

Maldives has around 1,192 islands, of which only around 200 islands are inhabited, more than 100 islands are developed as tourist resort and the remaining are uninhabited. As a country known as one of the most dispersed country, it would not be possible to see the whole country.

### Location

Republic of the Maldives is a nation located in the Indian Ocean to the southwest of Sri Lanka.

### People

Maldivians are esteemed around the World for their hospitality towards their guests. Currently the population of the Maldives is around 341,256. Maldivians share a similar cultural heritage, history, ancestry, homeland, language and religion. These common factors are the reason for the unity and harmony prevailing in the alluring islands.

#### Language

Maldivian, also known by its endonym Dhivehi or Divehi, is an Indo-Aryan language closely related to the Sinhalese language of Sri Lanka, spoken in the South Asian island country of Maldives and on Minicoy Island, Lakshadweep. The Maldivian language has notable dialects. English is the commonly spoken language in the Maldives in all the fields like education, commerce and especially tourism. It is even said to be the unofficial second language of Maldives.

#### Culture

A visit to the Maldives not only guarantees the best vacation of your lifetime, but it also gives you exposure to a great cultural experience. The customs of the Maldivians have been greatly influenced by the Indians, Sri Lankans, Arabs and North Africans who visited the Maldives while traversing through the trading routes of the central Indian Ocean. The Maldivian culture is rich and vibrant due to the infusion of various other cultural elements.

### Curency

The currency in the Maldives is the Maldivian Rufiya (MVR) and 1 US Dollar = 15.42 Maldivian Rufiyaa. US dollars are widely accepted in the Maldives. Resorts accept both US Dollar, EUROS and British Pound (GBP) as payment. Credit Cards such as AMEX, VISA, MASTER CARD and UNION PAY CARD (China) are widely accepted too. Kindly note that old and worn out notes will not be accepted as payment per Maldivian Bank Rules.

#### The Capital City

Male' is the capital city of the Maldives as well as the financial and commercial capital of the country. Male' city is one of the most densely populated cities of the world. The neighbouring islands of Villingili and Hulhumale' are considered as constituencies of Male' City. Some of the places to see in Male' include:

- Republic Square
- Islamic Centre
- Friday Mosque
- Sultans Park
- National Museum





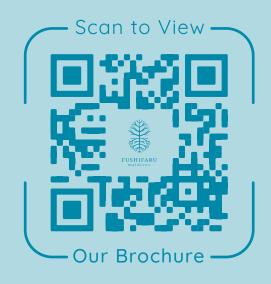












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