

2003 GOROKA SING SING FESTIVAL

11 Days/10 Nights

For your information, we handle group arrangements as well as for individuals. We work with travel agents and Wholesalers from Europe, Scandinavia, USA, Asia, Japan, Canada, and of course our neighboring South Pacific countries including Australia and New Zealand. We have just recently won an Award in Barcelona, Spain for being one of the Worlds Best Tourism & Hospitality companies. This Award was presented by the Trade Leaders Club in Madrid, Spain.

Not only do we provide the best services but we are also cost conscious and offer our clients/customers very competitive prices.

Each year we focus on the cultural events that take place around the country. The major and most attractive of these cultural shows are the Mount Hagen Cultural Festival in August and the other, Goroka Cultural Festival show in September. In the case whereby you may be interested, we would like to offer you a program featuring these cultural events.

We have the below package available for 2003. The below itinerary uses the Luxurious Melanesian Discoverer with a 5 night cruise in Sepik River area in luxury, comfort and style. The Melanesian Discoverer has 24 cabins with private facilities, phone/fax access on the boat. It is very luxurious and is far better in comparison to any other live-aboard in the country. For this very reason, large groups book well in advance to secure the space because of its reputation and services offered onboard. We have included the Melanesian Discoverer cruise, the Goroka Cultural Festival and the Beautiful Madang at the end for relaxation and snorkeling and Ambua Lodge in Tari, Southern Highlands Province etc.

Following is the outline of the program.

SEPTEMBER 2003

Friday September 5: Arrive Port Moresby, flight to be advised. A tourist visa is required and can be obtained on arrival. After clearing customs and migration formalities exit the arrival hall and meet a Paradise Adventure Tours staff who will hand over your travel documents and assist you to the domestic terminal. Meet on arrival from Singapore of Air Niugini flight to PX866 to Tari. Meet on arrival for transfer to Ambua Lodge. Afternoon lodge activities and nature walks. Overnight Ambua Lodge (3 Nights).

Saturday September 06: Full day activities and trekking in Tari.

Sunday September 07: Full day activities and trekking in Tari.

Monday September 08: Transfer to Air Niugini flight PX866/861 to Port Moresby. Meet on arrival for transfer to Airways Hotel for lunch. Transfer to Air Niugini flight PX126 to Madang. On arrival transfer to the Melanesian Discoverer Cruise.

On Saturday September 13th will have a charter flight from the Timbunke (Sepik) to Goroka. Due to the size of the airstrip all passengers must restrict their luggage to 10kg. Excess luggage can be left with our staff in Port Moresby.

MELANESIAN DISCOVERER [D]

Tuesday September 09: Wednesday September 10: Thursday September 11 and Friday September 12 2003

In the next four days cruise up the mighty Sepik River, by visiting the Island of Boisa called the Bonga people who possess a patrilineal Chieftain system where the chief is called a "Kukurai," his power being reinforced by that of his "sanguman" (sorcerer). Leaving Boisa Island a short cruise across and enter the entrance to the Sepik River. Your first excursion by speed boat through canals and into the Murik Lakes to the village of Mendam. Other villages of the lower Sepik River you will visit are the Bien, Angoram and Kambaramba The villages of middle Sepik are, Tambanum, the largest village with a population of 2,000, Kamanimbit, Korogo, Yentchen, Palembang. In some of these places you will see spectacular Haus Tambarans (Spirit Houses), inspect artifacts and probably witness a cultural performance. The Sepik men are proud of their heritage and invite visitors to settle in their house and share with them the sounds of their sacred instruments.

MELANESIAN DISCOVERER [BLD]

Saturday September 13: Today is the end of your Sepik River experience. After breakfast transfer by boat to shore where you will board your chartered flight for Goroka. Arrive Goroka, meet Paradise Adventure Tours representative and transfer to straight to Goroka show . Bird of Paradise Hotel

Sunday September 14: Morning at the at the Goroka show. Afternoon transfer to Air Niugini flight PX163 to Port Moresby. On arrival in Port Moresby meet for transfer by vehicle to Tahira boating centre. Transfer then by boat to Loloata Island Resort. Overnight Loloata Island Resort (1 Night).

Monday September 15: Morning is free for independent activities at Loloata Island including snorkelling and diving. After lunch, transfer to Port Moresby International airport for your departure flight. Depart to Singapore on Air Niugini Flight PX392. ***End of our Services!***

LAND COST NET PER PERSON

Land Cost: US\$3,200.00 net per person twin share.

Single Room Supplement: US\$1105.00 net per single occupancy. (Single throughout).

Tour Escort: Completely FOC!

Please kindly note that the he Charter flight Timbunke to Goroka on day 6 is included in the land cost. The land cost includes twin share accommodation, cruise, Sepik River fees, tours, and transfers, all meals from dinner on day 1 to Breakfast on 17th September, show entrance fees and government taxes.

Land cost does not include any other meals than those specified, domestic Air Niugini (PX) flights, international flights, visa fees and services of personal nature. You notice the cost is high because of the inclusion of the Melanesian Discoverer. The Discoverer

costs reflect the high quality service, the comfort and style it offers to its passengers. Food is excellent with the staff very friendly. The quality of service on the Discoverer reflects the high costs. There are no other live-aboard boat that matches the quality of service, comfort and style that the Discoverer can offer.

You are to book and ticket the domestic Air Niugini (PX) flights listed in the itinerary in conjunctions with the clients international flights. Please contact Air Niugini Frankfurt for booking and special fares available. Their contact is: Rudi Knospe, Air Niugini Frankfurt, Phone:- 49 6934095 Fax:- 49 69 631 3332. E-mail: PNG.TOURISM@t-online.de Please advise if you have any difficulty contacting Air Niugini Frankfurt. We can assist you contact them.

Room Allocation

Accommodation in Goroka is at the Bird of Paradise Hotel. We will be allocating 9 rooms to you. All you need to do is to acknowledge receipt of this message and confirm acceptance of this program plus that you will featuring this program in your brochure. We would very much appreciate if you could please kindly get back to us by 31st October 2002.

Deposits & Final payment

A deposit of US\$150.00 per person is required at the time of accepting and booking the tour in order to secure rooms in Mt. Hagen. Your rooms will be confirmed upon receipt of the US\$150.00 per person deposit. Please forward the payment by Telegraphic Transfer to our PNG account.

Our account details are:

AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND BANKING GROUP (PNG) LTD
P.O. BOX 121, MT. HAGEN 281. WHP. PAPUAN NEW GUINEA.
ACCOUNT NUMBER 018 895 11061700

Final payment is due on 05th August 2003, which is 30 days prior to the groups arrival. The final payment must be forwarded by Telegraphic Transfer also.

As soon as your deposit and final payments are made, we require a T/T receipt faxed to us to ease in identifying your payment. Our fax number is (675) 542 1660.

Cancellation

Cancellations received between 15 June and 15 July, 2003 will result in forfeiture of the US\$150.00 per person deposit. Cancellations received after 29 days and prior to 14 days will attract 50% of the total land and air costs. No refund will be due after the tour has commenced.

We hope this message reaches you in good shape. Please kindly acknowledge with your comments and suggestions as we are more than happy to work with you and handling your clients in Papua New Guinea.

My very best regards,
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