



Sample 12 Night Package

It's your vacation, it's entirely up to you! This is just a sample, spend your day how you see fit, here are a few suggestions.

Day 1 - Arrive at Murex Manado relax and settle in, have something to eat and drink. Spend the rest of the day at your leisure but make time to watch the Sun set over the Celebes Sea. It's spectacular!

Day 2 - Bunaken National Marine Park and Manado Bay for a three tank dive with lunch (snorkeling is available as well). After your return, around 3:30pm relax at the resort and take a dip in our pool, especially designed for course training. See our dive site page for a list of sites.

Day 3 - Take a Minahasa Highland Tour or dive Bunaken National Park. If you decided to take the tour you should arrive back to Murex in the late afternoon, after a day of touring you must be ready to go for a dive? This is the perfect time to go for a beach shore dive on our House Reef. We've recently added an easy to follow dive trail.

Day 4 - This is your free night, it's up to you what you do with your time. Dive world famous Bunaken Marine Park again or maybe you'd like to dive to the south in Bethlehem (an acronym for Better than Lembeh). Maybe take a trip to Tangkoko National Park to see the worlds smallest primate, the Tarsier.



Day 5 - Boat transfers to Bangka Resort depart at 7:30am. We will dive at two sites north of the park along the way, off the coast of North Sulawesi. Depending on time and conditions your guide will decide what sites to dive. Tanjung Tarabitan the northern most point on Sulawesi is a spectacular wall dive. Here the currents from the Bangka Strait and the Celebes Sea meet. Lunch will be served on the boat while you are underway to the Resort. When you arrive at Bangka Island our Resort Supervisor will welcome you on the beach and show you to your room so you can settle in, don't worry our staff will take care of your gear. If you'd like, catch the 2:30pm boat dive for your first dive around Bangka. The rest of the day is up to you, join the night dive, snorkel, collect shells on our beach or take a nap. After all it's your vacation, it's entirely up to you.

Day 6 - Dive around or near Bangka Island. Our dive boats depart at 8am for a two-tank dive, return to the resort for lunch and a quick nap or work on your underwater photos. Join our 2:30 boat dive or snorkel and energize your batteries for a night dive.

Day 7- Dive or relax at your leisure. Getting hot sunbathing? Our beautiful coral garden House Reef is just steps away, just suit up and go for a shore dive! We've marked the boundaries so you'll know where you are if you chose to go without a guide.



Day 8 - Boat transfers to Lembeh Resort* depart at 8:00am. Our first dive will be on a pinnacle off the northeast corner of Sulawesi at Batu Punteng. Nutrient rich water's feed the coral gardens, soft corals, sea fans, sponges and hard corals attached to this pinnacle teeming with fish. During your surface interval we will transfer to Lembeh Strait for your second dive. Directly after the second dive, if you are staying at Lembeh Resort, you will be dropped off at the critters@Lembeh dock. Our Critter crew will see to all your gear and the staff at Lembeh Resort will take your personal bags and take care of everything, you just need to worry about getting yourself up to the restaurant for lunch. After lunch the Resort and Dive Manager will brief you on options available to you. Relax a bit or take a refreshing dip in the pool before the 2:30pm dive. Night dives in Lembeh Strait are usually spectacular so do them as often as you can.

Day 9 - Dive or relax at you leisure, make some time for a massage. If you are an underwater photographer or want to try underwater photography don't forget to stop by the cameras@Lembeh photo pro's shop. See what the Pro has to say about capturing images in Lembeh Strait or rent a camera and take some lessons. 3

Day 10 - Dive, eat, dive, eat, relax or work on your underwater photos, dive, snack, dive, eat – you're in Lembeh! Let's Keep it Weird! It's your vacation, it's entirely up to you.

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Day 12 - Usually a "No Fly" day (but maybe you have time for 1 or 2 dives in the morning?). If so, than after your dives our dive staff will be happy to wash, rinse and hang your gear out to dry. The rest of the afternoon is free to do as you like. If you didn't get to Tangkoko National Park to see the Tarsiers, this would be a good time as they come out at sunset to feed.

Day 13 - Did you only book the minimum 4 nights? Feel you need more time? We understand, if we have the space we would love to keep you. Our staff would be happy to help you change your domestic arrangements, if they can. If not, we'll be sad to see you go but we hope you'll be back to one or all of our Resorts soon. After goodbye's you'll take a short boat transfer to shore where a car will be waiting to take you back to the airport.



We are the first dive center in North Sulawesi to offer a sea based dive/snorkel transfer between resorts. We are the only ones that are able to seamlessly book all your boat transfers, dives and accommodations because we are able to book your package in-house with our own dive centers and our resorts.

Note: Boat transfers are dependent on weather and sea conditions, ultimately we would love to transfer you the entire way via our dive boats. However, Mother Nature makes has her own plans and there is no way to tell what the weather will be like when you are ready to transfer to your destination. Because of this we will always price your itineraries with overland transfer fees, which can be applied to the cost of a boat transfer and diving package if weather conditions permit.

*Lembeh Resort's is our 4 Star flagship property, adding a little luxury at the end of the trip is a nice treat. However, if our price point is more than you are interested in spending, we will be happy to transfer you to more moderately priced accommodations in Lembeh Strait. Contact your dive travel agent for recommendations.

**Our free night offer is only applicable with the combination of our 3 resorts.