

Flash News - 22nd April 2013

Dear Partners, Ia Orana!

Tahiti Nui Travel is pleased to bring you in this week's newsletter the latest updates from the Tourism Industry.

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THE NEWS





NEW on Rangiroa! Pension Aotera

Pension Aotera offers brand new accommodation on a secluded motu, only at a 15-minute boat ride from the airport. The pension faces the magnificent lagoon of Rangiroa, with 4 standard bungalows and 2 family bungalows, traditionally built, spacious, with king size bed and refrigerator.

The main attraction of this establishment is undoubtedly the extent of its extraordinary white sand beach, which is very rare on Rangiroa. A wide range of free and paid activities, supervised by natives of the island, are proposed: walks on the motu, line and net fishing, discovering the island historical relics...

On the menu, a mix of French and Polynesian cuisine, with fish and fresh seafood from the island, vegetables from the garden, home-made yoghurts, pastries, and cakes for dessert. Yummy...

Please contact our Marketing department for sales documents, rates and terms.

<u>Download Pension Aotera RGI</u> <u>Download Pension Aotera RGI - Pics Selection</u>



NEW on Moorea! After the Quads... the SSV

While the Quad is a two-seater motorbike with a handlebar, the SSV lets two people sit side by side. In both cases, helmet must be worn.

Fun, safety and comfort: automatic gearbox, steel roll bar in accordance with the industry safety standards, quick fastening lateral seatbelts, passenger handle and face bar, drinks holder, adjustable driver's seat and tilting steering wheel, plenty of legroom, easy to drive...another way to discover the heart of Moorea on a 3h30 tour.

After a quick introduction to your SSV, you will travel along a path that will lead you to the plateau of the Bounty and the local pineapple plantations.

You will then cross the river several times (great fun), and discover the farms of the Opunohu valley. Once you arrive at the viewpoint known as Le Belvedere, you can admire the exceptional view and take a photo of the two magnificent bays of Moorea, a unique and striking scenery. You may take a restroom break and taste fresh fruits at the agricultural school shop.

To round off your tour beautifully, head to the spot known as "the Magic Mountain", considered to be the island most beautiful viewpoint, for an eternal memory of your tour of Moorea...

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Download SSV Tour from East Coast





FOCUS ON





The Ecology Centre at Hotel Le Méridien Bora Bora - An educational tool to safeguard our environment

The opening of the **Ecology Centre** within the resort in 2012 is the cornerstone of he ambitious project to protect our sea turtles, which was launched in 2000 with the creation of the Turtle Centre in Bora Bora.

Caring for the turtles

The project began when the hotel took in 1, then 2 injured turtles, then decided to open a reception and treatment centre and finally to develop a nursery in the channel that flows into the hotel inner lagoon. In this **protected area**, visitors can watch the turtles being fed at 10.30 am every day. Last year, a panoramic window was installed to make viewing easier. This is a chance for the biologists of the Centre to describe the turtle protection mission and the specific features of the 2 species that live in our lagoons.

Preserving the corals

As part of its drive to preserve the environment, the resort has also opened a nursery where corals are grown in a natural environment, with a view to repopulating some areas of the lagoon.

The Ecology Centre, an educational trail

Based near the Turtle Centre, the Ecology Centre has an original architecture shaped like a turtle shell, with wooden structures made of salvaged materials. This philanthropic centre is open from 8 am to noon and from 1 pm to 4 pm. Visit it with the company of one of the guides from the centre and discover:





The tactile pool: located outside and in front of the centre entrance, visitors can watch and touch the shells, corals, sea cucumbers, "pencil" urchins and starfish, under the supervision of a member of the centre. A fun moment that will delight children & parents.

The museum: in an air-conditioned room, the museum has various exhibitions including paintings, photo posters of various marine species, rare shells and a giant scale model of a turtle, showing its organs and skeleton. A short documentary on the centre's missions can be screened on request.

Educational aquariums: discover the various themed aquariums displayed under special lighting, containing fish larvae, invertebrates, multi-coloured coral...

The Ecology Centre is a great addition to the Turtle Centre and the resort inner lagoon, which is home to numerous fish, making Le Méridien Bora Bora a special place for the protection of sea turtles in French Polynesia.

LATEST PRODUCT UPDATES AND NEWS



Hotel Four Seasons Bora Bora Resort - New photos online

Following the latest photo session at the resort in February, new photos of the bungalows and general views of the hotel are now available on our site.

Feel free to log on to view or download them.



Inspired by Polynesian architecture, the village-like Four Seasons Resort Bora Bora blends into a lush world of unsurpassed tropical beauty and takes full advantage of every heart stopping view - from dazzling white beaches to the soaring peaks of Mount Otemanu and Mount Pahia, from the soft light of dawn to brilliant sunsets and star-filled nights.





Moorea, Pension Résidence Linareva - Reservation Policy **Updated**

Effective immediately, for all new booking requests of a party of 5 persons and more at Résidence Linareva in Moorea, a 30% deposit will be required to ensure a firm confirmation. The balance will be due 30 days prior to arrival.

Our updated documents are available on request.

Download Linareva Factsheet

The Linareva Residence is located away from Moorea's 2 tourism areas. The residence welcomes nature lovers to a green setting surrounded by high peaks and a beautiful

white sand beach.

The comfort of its wooden bungalows (TV, A/C, cuisine, daily housekeeping, new bedding etc.), delicious breakfasts (with fruit and eggs from the garden!) and dinners on the private terrace, snorkelling (with a shipwreck!), shark feeding at sunset and many other features make this hotel the perfect place to spend your holidays surrounded by nature.



Bora Bora, Hiking - Transfer Supplement from the Four Seasons

There will now be a supplement for transfers between the Four Seasons Resort Bora Bora and the main island, for the following excursions:

- Hiking in the Valley of Kings (half-day)
- Hiking in the Valley of Kings on Ancestors' Path (full day).

Transfers are not available on Sunday and Public Holidays. This modification only applies to new booking requests.

Our updated documents are available on request.

<u>Download Hiking in the Valley of Kings</u> <u>Download Hiking in the Valley of Kings on Ancestors' Path</u>



Remaining at your service for any complementary information.

With kind regards,

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