

## Scuba Diving

Volcano Island Divers is the first ever dive operation on Tanna Island and has opened up the world class snorkelling reefs to the world, offering *'unspoilt, untouched & unbelievable aquatic experiences'*.

Dive with our resident PADI MSDT Instructor or PADI Divemasters. Tanks & Weights supplied. Full hire gear is available. Contact our friendly staff for more information.

Volcano Island Divers recommends all persons intending to undertake SCUBA diving have suitable DAN or other Dive insurance coverage.

### **D**iscover Scuba Diving

This activity gives an opportunity for Novices to experience SCUBA diving in the safety of our swimming pool with our resident PADI MSDT instructor or Dive Masters. You will get to experience what it feels like to breath underwater, learn some basic diving skills & theory to help you enjoy the experience. There is an option of an additional Open Water dive, in the ocean in front of the resort, once the Discover Scuba Diving session has been completed. (*Subject to weather & tidal conditions*). If you intend to pursue further training & obtain your Open Water Diver certification in the future, this activity can be credited towards your full course.

#### Learn to Dive on Tanna

Volcano Island Divers offers PADI Scuba diving courses from Beginner to Master Scuba Diver, Junior Open Water, Open Water, Advanced Open Water and specialities. <u>Contact us</u> for more information

Volcano Island Divers at White Grass Ocean Resort & Spa - Phone: (+678) 30010 email: diving@whitegrasstanna.com









## Site Information



### Shore or Boat Dives

	Max Depth	Level
House Reef**	18 metres	Beginner
Turtle Reef**	20 metres	Beginner/Intermediate
Blue Hole One**	9-15 metres	Intermediate
Blue Hole Two**	6-20 metres	Intermediate
Circus Reef**	14 metres	Beginner
Micks Folly**	15 metres	Experienced

### **Boat Dives**

	Max Depth	Level
Kosabas Reef**	18 metres	Intermediate
Blue Cave Aquarium**	18 metres	Beginner/Intermediate
Kamitua Reef**	30 metres	Experienced
MV Jean Percy Wreck	14 metres	Intermediate

\*\*) Marine Park Fees apply





Accessible from White Grass Ocean Resort & Spa's purpose built jetty. See amazing coral formations, dugongs, turtles, moray eels, reef sharks and blue spotted rays. Maybe a pod of dolphins will swim past, or listen for the whale songs between July and September. Interesting topography, with swim throughs, tunnels and grottos to explore.

Level: Beginner

Max depth 20m



Accessible from the jetty by a short surface swim, or via boat. Three large coral bommies come to within a few metres of the surface here. Swim with round head Green Turtles. See amazing coral formations, dugongs, moray eels, reef sharks and blue spotted rays. Maybe a pod of dolphins will swim past, or listen for the whale songs between July and September. Level: Beginner/Intermediate

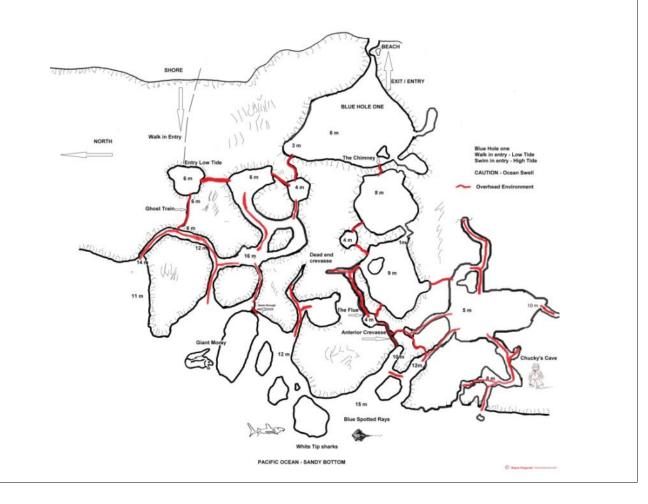
Max depth 20m



Accessible from Blue Hole One beach, or a short boat ride. Here four large reef openings spread over a large area, interconnected with tunnels and swim throughs. Access to the outer reef is gained via several choices of caves & swim throughs. Your sense of adventure & skill level will determine the best route to take. See amazing coral formations and fish life. Maybe dugongs, turtles, moray eels, reef sharks and blue spotted rays. Maybe a pod of dolphins will swim past, or listen for the whale songs between July and September.

Level: Intermediate/Cavern Dive

Max depth inside the hole 9m. Outer reef 15m

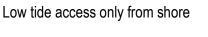


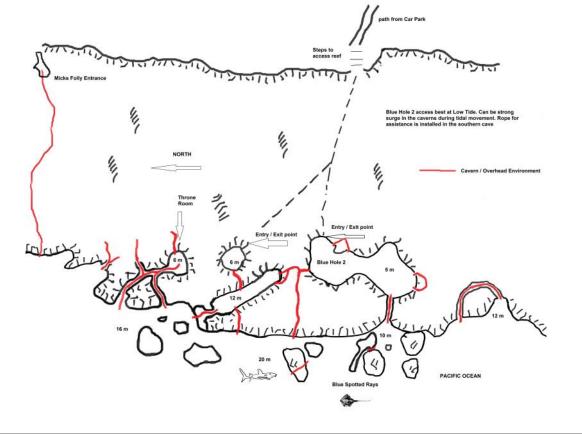


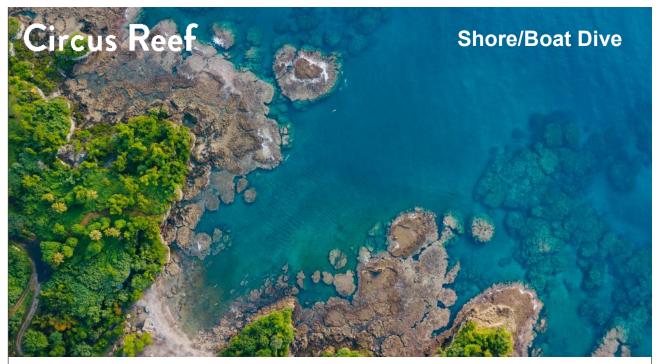
Accessible from Blue Hole Two car park or a short boat ride. Here a large opening in the reef system interconnects with tunnels and swim throughs to the outer reef. Your sense of adventure & skill level will determine the best route to take. Once outside on the reef, you will see amazing coral formations and fish life. Maybe dugongs, turtles, moray eels, reef sharks, blue spotted rays. There are majestic caverns, grottos and caves to explore.

Level: Intermediate

Max depth inside the hole 6m. Outer reef 20m.







Accessible via a 10 minute boat ride from White Grass Ocean Resort & Spa, or a short surface swim from Little Black beach. This site is a catacomb of bommies, swim throughs and old growth coral. A large clown fish colony makes this reef their home amongst the anemones . Christmas tree coral & many other species abound, along with the usual array of colorful marine life. Giant Manta Rays have been seen here. Also a great snorkeling site, it can be combined with our Blue Cave snorkeling tour. Level: Beginner

Max depth 14m



Accessible via a 10 minute boat ride from White Grass Ocean Resort & Spa, or a short reef walk from Blue Hole 2. This sites entry is a small opening in the reef, which leads through a cavern system to exit into the open water at 15 metres. This cavern is covered in old growth coral and critters that are stunned by the light from the divers torch, so unused to encountering light are they. Watch your exhaust bubbles dislodge dust from the roof of the cave as you make your descent to the cavern exit, out into Blue Water and make your way south along the reef to exit via the Blue Hole 2 cave system to shore, or join the boat on the outer reef. Level: Experienced Max depth: 15m



Accessible via a short boat ride from resort. Here large bommies reach to within a few metres of the surface. Once on the reef, you will see amazing coral formations and fish life. Giant clams are visible in places. You may come across dugongs, turtles, moray eels, reef sharks and blue spotted rays. This dive is usually done as a double morning dive combined with Blue Cave Aquarium or Kamitua Reef. Level: Intermediate

Max depth 18m

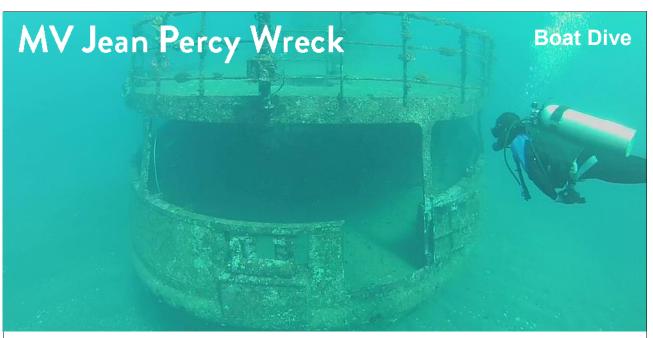


Accessible via a short boat ride from White Grass Ocean Resort & Spa. Here you can enter the famous Blue Cave on SCUBA, surface & take in the incredible colours of the bluest of blue water, with sunlight beaming through a natural 'window' in the ceiling of the cave. Exit the cave at 5 m & make your way West, descending through catacombs of coral formations, surrounded by a myriad of aquarium fish species. You may come across dugongs, turtles, moray eels, reef sharks, blue spotted rays and giant trevally. This dive is usually done as a double morning dive combined with Kosabas Reef or Kamitua Reef. Level: Beginners/Intermediate Max depth: 18m



Accessible via a 20 minute boat ride from White Grass Ocean Resort & Spa. With 50 metre visibility, this Taboo Fish site boasts Sheer wall drop offs and prolific Pelagic Fish and marine life, from giant Yellowfin Tuna, Barracuda and Grey Reef Sharks, to Fan corals, Moray eels and Nudibranchs. Advanced Diving skills are recommended due to strong currents. This dive is usually done as a double morning dive with Blue Cave Aquarium or Kosabas Reef. Marine park entrance fees apply. Level: Experienced

Max depth 30m



Accessible via a 40 minute boat ride from White Grass Ocean Resort & Spa, or a short surface swim from shore, weather permitting. This boat sunk in 14 metres after striking a reef during heavy seas in 2010. Only 20 m from shore, she lies due North/South & upright. This uncleaned, raw wreck still sports cargo in the holds and other equipment on board such as Generating plant, fish nets, tiled floors, electrical cables etc. Engine Room & other penetration is possible using appropriate Wreck Diving skills. Level: Intermediate Max depth: 14m



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## WHITESHARK MIX HIRE AVAILABLE HERE

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( approx 60 minutes battery life ) Security deposit required Safety briefing necessary

ENQUIRE AT RECEPTION OR DIVE SHOP



# **SCUBA Diving Prices**



## Valid: 1 April 2019 to 31 March 2020 All prices in Vatu.

Dive	SHORE Dive		BOAT Dive			
0110	Own gear	Full Gear	Own Gear	Full gear		
Single Dive	5,500	7,700	9,300	11,500		
Double Dive*	10,400	14,800	17,600	21,500		
4 tank package*	18,800	23,800	30,800	37,500		
6 tank package*	28,600	364,00	42,500	49,500		
8 tank Package*	35,900	44,700	45,800	58,500		
10 tank Package*	42,500	51,300	53,700	64,000		
Package rates are Per Person. Dive guide services included.						

Stay Dive Packages	SHORE Dive		BOAT Dive			
Cruy Drive r denages	Own gear	Full Gear	Own Gear	Full gear		
Stay Dive 3 Night / 4 Tank*	55,300	61,900	68,600	75,200		
Stay Dive 4 night / 6 Tank*	71,800	78,400	88,300	94,900		

Package rates are Per Person. Dive guide services included. Stay / Dive packages are Twin Share & are subject to availability. Excludes airfares, food, drinks, tours. Single traveler room surcharge applies. Taylor made Stay/Dive Packages available on request.



NOTES: Own gear: Full gear hire:

includes Tanks & Weights includes BCD, Regs c/w Computer, Fins, Mask, Tank, Weights, Gloves, Exposure protection (optional)

Certain sites carry a Marine Park Daily fee of 1,500vt

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