REDSEA EGYPT REES ENRECKS

14.-21. JUNE 2024 (Hurghada - Hurghada)



TRAVE

DAY ADVENTURE TO THE RED SEA 8 7 NIGHTS ON A LIVEABOARD

21 DIVES EXPLORING REEFS & WRECKS A LIFETIME OF MEMORIES

Introduction

Egypt is located on the northeast corner of the African continent. It is bordered by Libya to the west, Sudan to the south, the **Red Sea** to the east, and the **Mediterranean Sea** to the north.

Egypt stays **mild-to-hot** for most of the year, with temperatures often hitting around 34°C (92°F) in summer and 18°C (65°F) in winter. March and April can be very windy, which may cause sandstorms.

The owners of Carlu Travel have been working in Egypt and the Red Sea since many years. Their favorite time to go diving in the Red Sea is between June and July. That's when they experience the best dive conditions and the most dolphin encounters.

There are over 1000 species of fish in the Red Sea, 20 percent of which are found nowhere else in the world. With it being one of the sunniest places on the planet, corals and their tiny guests thrive on an overabundance of solar energy.

EGYPT Dolphinhouse, Abu Nuhas, Thistlegorm, Ras Mohammed, Straits of Tiran

Red Sea Reefs & Wrecks 2024

Introduction

The Red Sea offers fantastic wreck diving, including the SS Thistlegorm which is currently number two in the list of the world's best wreck dives.

The itinerary offers a great mix of wrecks and reefs. The underwater national park Ras Mohamed is one of many highlights of this trip. There are lots of chances to dive with long bottlenose dolphins, turtles, giant morays and occasionally octopus.

This diving area in the Red Sea consists of dive sites that have **few currents**, are **not very deep** and **marine life is everywhere**. Perfect for day- and night dives. This diving route offers great possibilities for **any type of level**. It presents an environment of great beauty and high diversity.

And you also get our 'No Hidden Extras' guarantee as all marine park fees and port departure fees are included in our price.



ITINERARY

Day 1

Day 2

6:00pm transfer from Hurghada Airport or your hotel to our liveaboard. Check In and dive gear set up.

> Let's go DIVING! 2-3 Dives around Hurghada. First dive is a check dive. Possibility for a night dive.

3-4 dives in Abu Nuhas. Exploring the wrecks: Giannis D, Chrisola K, Carnatic. (Kimon M is only diveable with no wind). Possibility for a night dive.

Day 3

Day 4

Day 5

2 dives at Ras Mohamed National Park, exploring Shark Reef & Yolanda wreck. 1 day dive and 1 possible twilight or night dive at the famous Thistlegorm wreck.

3-4 dives at the Straits of Tiran. Diving at the beautiful reefs of Jackson,Thomas and Gordon. Possibility for a night dive.

ITINERARY

Day 6

Day 7

1 dive at Thistlegorm wreck in the morning. 1 dive at Dunraven wreck. 2 dives at The Barge. Possibility for a twilight or night dive.

> 2 dives at Dolphinhouse (Sharb el Erg). Optional last dive at El Mina wreck or Fanous.



Day 8

Check Out. 9:30am transfer to Hurghada Airport or your hotel.

From here you decide what you want to do 😊

DAY 1

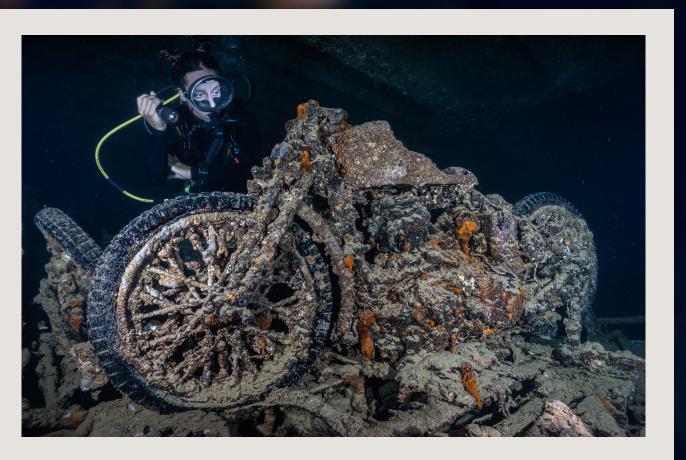
Arrival at Hurghada Airport (HRG). One of our staff members will be waiting for you at the airport around 5:00pm. At 6:00pm our free transfer will take you from the aiport or hotel to EMPEROR SUPERIOR for check in, briefing of the liveaboard, diving and plan itinerary. Dinner onboard.

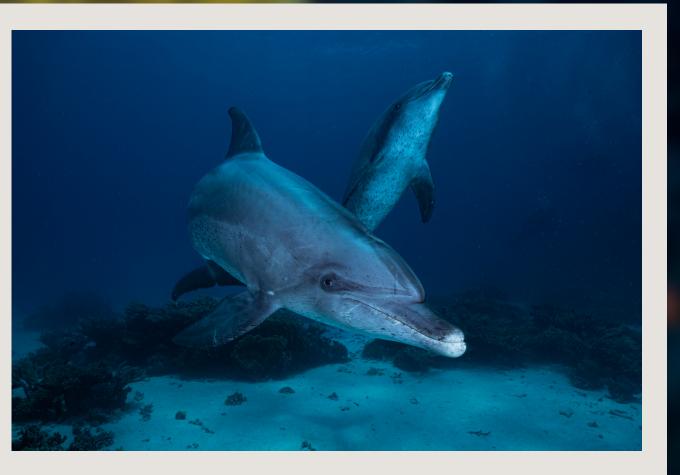
DAY 2-7

The planned route (condition depending) will take a trip around Shab El Erg, Abu Nuhas, Straits of Gubal, SS Thistlegorm, Ras Mohamed, Straits of Tiran. While onboard, you will experience a 21-dive program that includes day and night dives. There is also optional snorkeling.

DAY8

Check out at 9:30 am. Our free transfer will bring you back to Hurghada Airport (HRG) or a hotel of your choice. If the return flight leaves in the afternoon there is a day hotel option near the airport, and even free time to optionally visit Hurghada until the time of the return flight.





ANIMALS KOUNTSEE

You already know that nothing is certain in the ocean. At the same time, everything can happen.





Long Bottlenose Dolphin

Napoleon Fish

Trevally

Bluespotted Stingray



Batfish

Angelfish

Spinner Dolphins

Turtle

Octopus

Stonefish

Bigeyes

Five-Lined Snappers

Anemone Fish



Crocodilefish

Scorpionfish

Giant Moray

Moray Eel

WRECKS TO EXPLORE

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SS Thistlegorm



Chrisola K



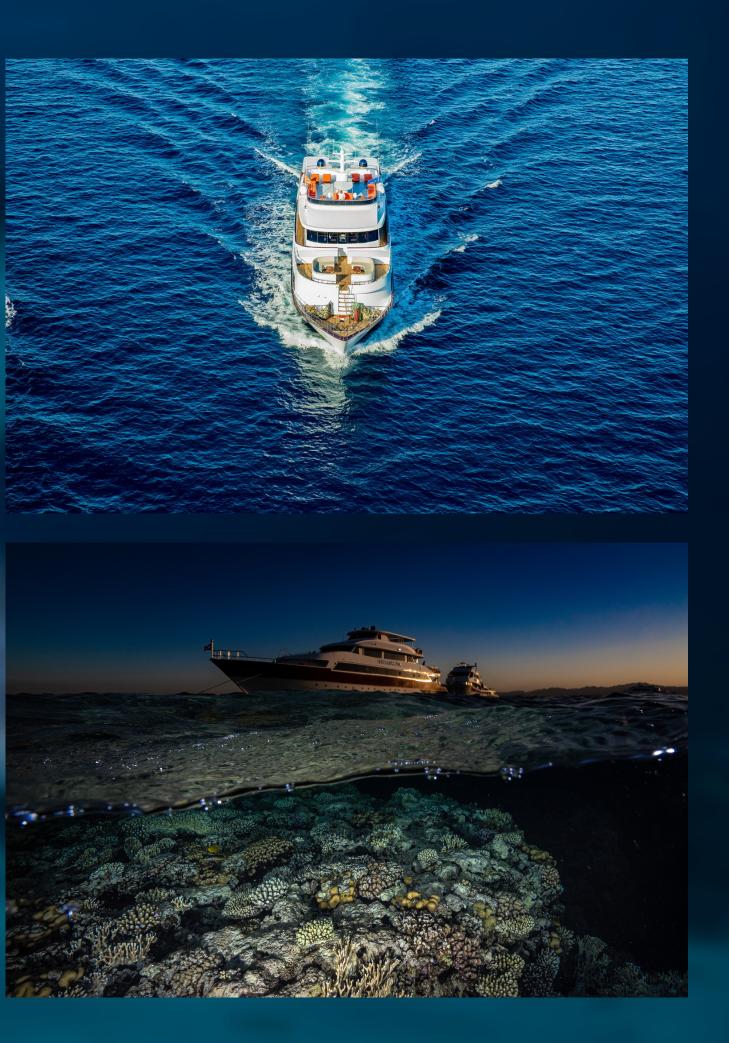
Dunraven



Carnatic

EMPEROR SUPERIOR LIVEABOARD





EMPEROR SUPERIOR BOAT FACILITY

• Main deck: Partitioned air-conditioned lounge with comfy sofas, 55" LCD Smart TV. Air-conditioned dining room and locally stocked bar. Dive deck and dive platform.

•Upper deck: Outdoor lounging area with sofas, tables and bean bags, locally stocked bar and premium coffee bar offering espresso, latte and cappuccino.

•Sun deck: Sunbeds.

•WiFi: Complimentary and limited-data package for single device. Additional codes available on board.















EMPEROR SUPERIOR DIVING FACILITY



• 2-3 dive guides.

•Dive deck: Spacious dive deck and 7.25m x 8m dive platform. 3 x Bauer compressors under deck.

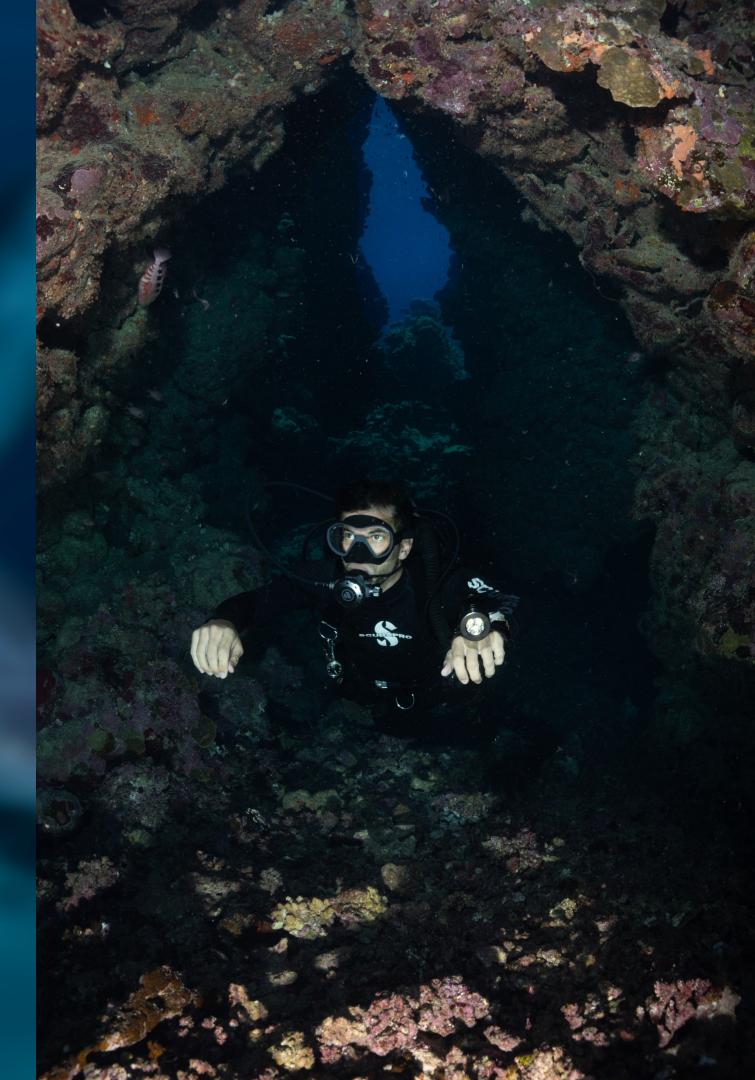
•Diving tender: 2 x Zodiac 40 HP.

•Dive equipment rental: Full range on offer; must be arranged before arrival in resort. All divers are required to use a dive computer and SMB for every dive and a torch each for night dives.

•Dive tanks: Equipped with 12 litre Aluminium tanks as standard and 15 litre Steel tanks on request. FREE Nitrox PADI courses available: Skills Review, Advanced Open Water, Adventure Dives and Specialties.

•Medical: Oxygen, comprehensive First Aid and AED available.

•Camera facilities: Charging stations, rinse tanks and camera table.



EMPEROR SUPERIOR LOWER DECK TWIN





1.245€

Lower deck twin cabins measure between approx. 9 to 10sqm with port holes, two single beds and individually controlled air con. Ensuite bathroom with shower and 2 cabin towels per guest.

EMPEROR SUPERIOR LOWER DECK BUNK



Lower deck L-Shaped cabins measure approx. 8sqm with port holes, two single beds in a tiered L-shape and individually controlled air con. Ensuite bathroom with shower and 2 cabin towels per guest.



EMPEROR SUPERIOR MAIN DECK DOUBLE

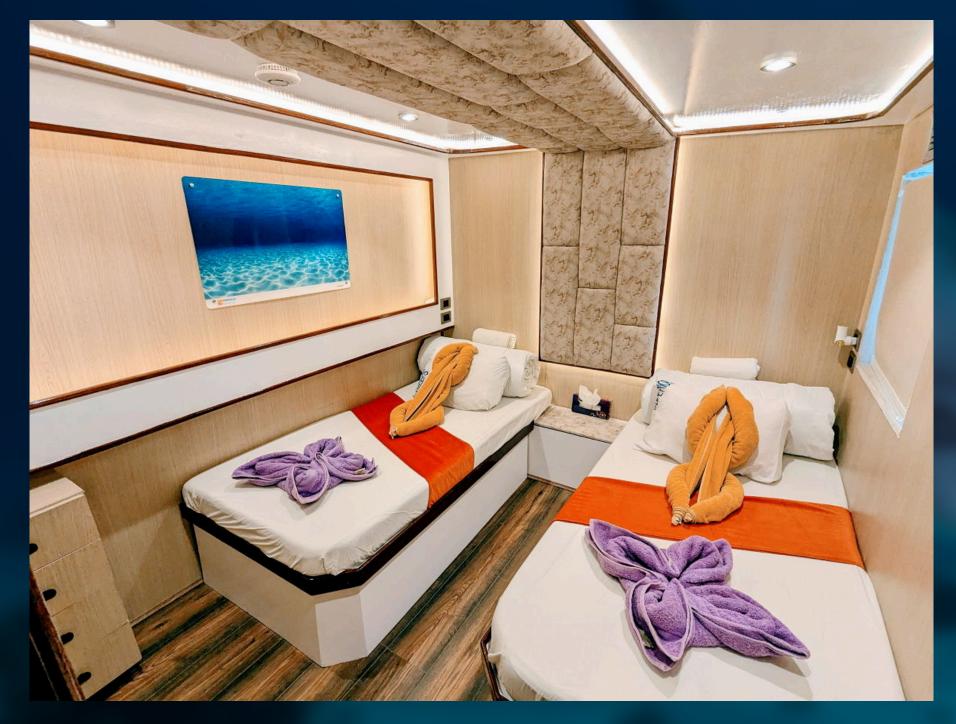


Main deck double cabin is approx. 12sqm with a small window, a queen-sized double and single bed and individually controlled air con. Ensuite bathroom with shower and 2 cabin towels per guest.

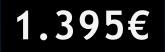


1.395€

EMPEROR SUPERIOR MAIN DECK TWIN DOUBLE



Main deck twin cabin 10 is approx. 8sqm with a medium sized window, 2 single beds that can be arranged as a double and individually controlled air con. Ensuite bathroom with shower and 2 cabin towels per guest.



EMPEROR SUPERIOR UPPER DECK TWIN



Upper deck twin cabin is approx. 11sqm with windows, twin beds and individually controlled air con. Ensuite bathroom with shower. 2 cabin towels per guest.



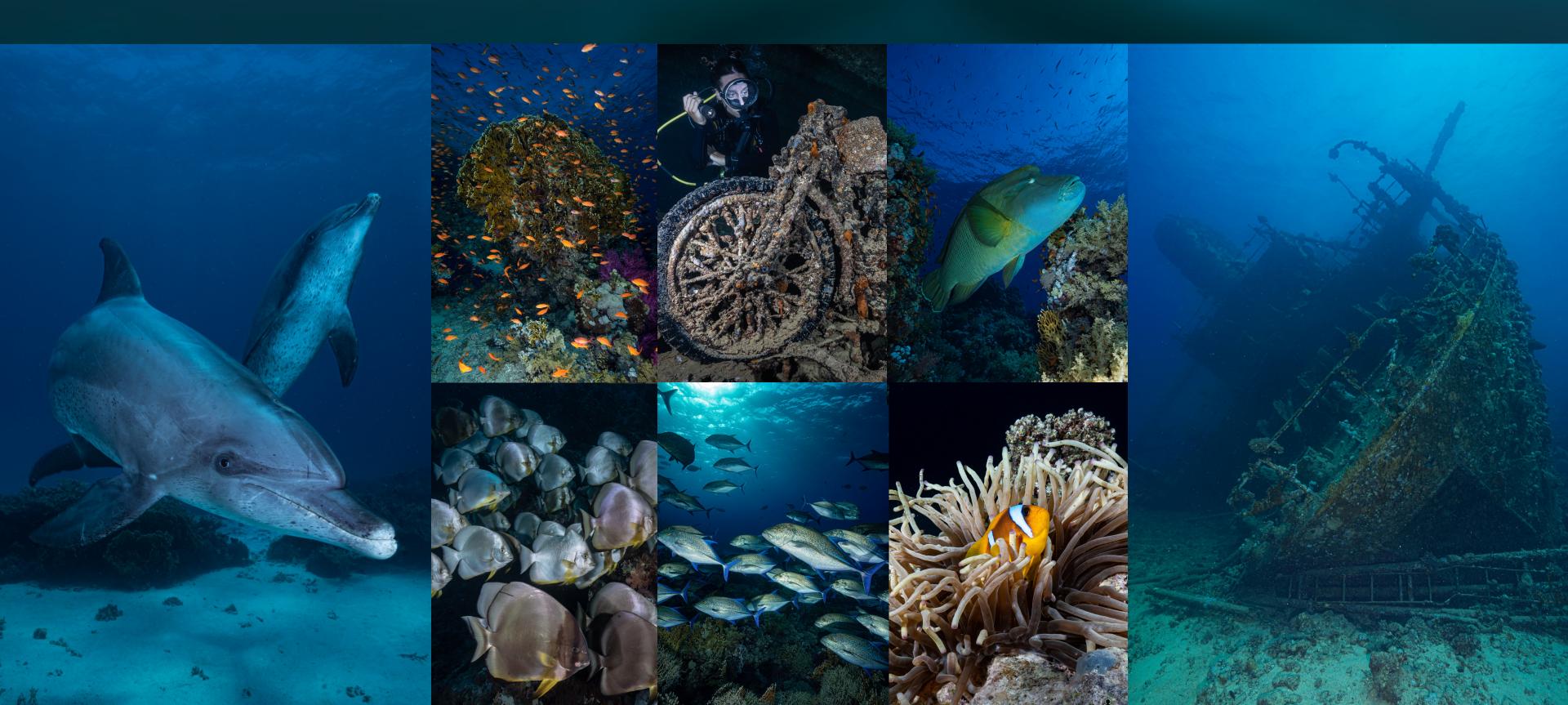
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UW PHOTOS FROM OUR LAST TRIP





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Currency

The national currency of Egypt is Egyptian Pound (EGP), known as geneih, but you can easily pay with US-Dollar (USD) and Euros (EUR). Visa and Mastercard are also widely accepted.

You do not need to apply for a visa prior to traveling. Visitors of all nationalities can get a 30 day visa for \$25 USD upon arrival at the airport in Egypt.

We will contact you if there are changes to required immigration documentation.

Visa on Arrival

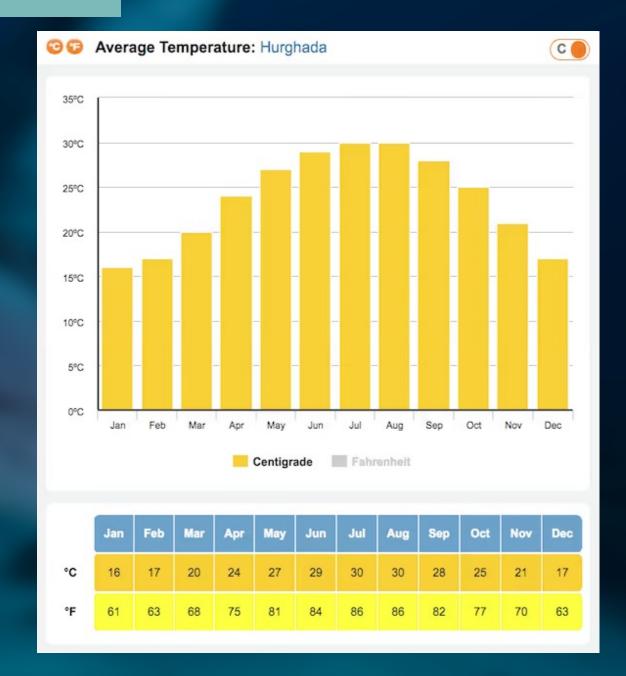
Airport

Arriving and Departing Hurghada Int'l Airport (HRG)

There are 30 airlines with flights from Hurghada: Aeroflot, Air Cairo, Airbus Transport International, AlMasria, AZUR air, Brussels Airlines, Condor, Corendon Dutch Airlines, easyJet, Edelweiss Air, EgyptAir, Eurowings, FlyEgypt, Flynas, Germania, Luxair, Pegasus, Red Wings, SmartWings, SWISS, Swissair, Transavia, Transavia France, TUI, TUI Airlines Belgium, TUIfly, TUIfly Netherlands, Turkish Airlines, Wizz Air and Wizz Air UK.

If you need advice, we are happy to help!

Climate



We recommend 3-5 mm wetsuits because the average water temperatures are: 23 - 28 C (74 - 82F)

Electricity

In Egypt the power plug sockets are of type C and F. The standard voltage is 220 V and the frequency is 50 Hz. Egypt uses the same adapter plug that is used in many parts of Continental Europe.

If you will be traveling to bordering countries Libya or Sudan, additional adapters will be required. Adapter plugs allow electrical connections up to 240 volts.

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Clothing

Light fabrics like linen, cotton and athletic gear made to take the heat are best. There are no dress requirements aboard, however, when on land modest clothing and covered shoulders are recommended.

Egyptian Law

In Egypt, individuals need to dress modestly in rural areas, mosques, and sougs (markets).

Public displays of affection, such as kissing, are frowned upon in Egypt and what may be acceptable in the tourist resort areas may be frowned upon in others. Holding hands is generally fine, but there are locations in Egypt where this is looked down upon, as physical contact between a man and woman is considered inappropriate.

Drinking alcohol in the street and anywhere other than a licensed restaurant or bar is not allowed and can lead to arrest.

Included

- Transport from airport to boat boat to airport
- Coordinator from Carlu Travel
- 8 days & 7 nights on a Liveabaord
- 3 meals a day & soft drinks & snacks
- 21 dives (depending on weather conditions) •
- 12 liter tanks, weights & weight belts •
- Nitrox (EANX)
- Diveguides
- Marine Park Fees
- Port Fees
- Fuel Fees
- Local Taxes
- Professional Pictures and Videos of the trip

- Flights

Not Included

• Rental equipment

• Dive insurance (*you can book with Carlu Travel) • Travel insurance • Tips for the crew • Alcoholic drinks • Anything not written in the included section

OWER DECK MIDDLE DECK **UPPER DECK** Price 1.245€ 1.445€ 1.395€

The Trip has a capacity for 24 guests. Reservations are confirmed in order that the bookings are received. To book your reservation, please email us at <u>info@carludiveandtravel.com</u>. Please include the following details.

- ·Full name
- ·Favorite cabin
- · Date of birth
- Nationality
- · Passport number
- · Diver Medical Form
- Diving level, number of logged dive, date of last dive
- · Equipment requirements with sizes (please include height, weight and shoe size)

Once your booking is received, there are two payment options for your invoice.

1. Full payment at time of booking.

500 Euro deposit at time of booking. Additional 25% due six months prior to departure. Your 2. balance must be paid in full later than 90 days prior to departure.

*Please fill out a divers medical form. For your safety, and that of others who may dive with you, answer all questions honestly.

Reserve your spot!

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