



BAROS
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THE ESSENCE OF THE MALDIVES

Come to a lush, tropical island set in the shimmering waters of a shallow lagoon, ringed by a reef vibrant with marine life. Stay in elegance in villas created from timber and sandstone, poised and peaceful over a translucent lagoon, or nestled discreetly among exotic blooms by the beach. Revel in romantic privacy during the perfect vacation. The essence of the Maldives, defined at Baros Maldives.

LOCATION

Baros Maldives is an island in the North Malé Atoll. The spirit of Baros Maldives begins with a warm welcome the moment you step out of the airport arrivals hall. You will be escorted to our luxury launch for a gentle cruise before your first sight of Baros Maldives – a memory to treasure. On this island's reef-ringed sandy shores, palm-thatched roofs of secluded villas peek from lush foliage. A wooden jetty leads to a picturesque palm grove and the grand gazebo housing the Welcome Pavilion.

DISTANCE

16 kms, 25 minutes from Malé International Airport

YOUR HOME IN THE MALDIVES

All 75 villas, beachside or over-water, are elegantly designed with sandstone and timber, have fine furnishings, large windows to let in natural light, and are timeless in ambience. As well as having a private veranda, sun loungers and a dining table for two, each villa has a spacious, teak-floored bedroom featuring a king sized bed with soft cotton sheets and pillows, as well as a vanity desk and a large sofa or day bed.

Villas also feature:

- Luxury bathroom amenities
- Bathtub and separate shower
- Open-air bathroom and outdoor rain shower (except Water Villas)

- Espresso machine with complimentary premium coffee capsules
- Electric kettle with complimentary exotic tea sachets
- In-villa bar stocked to guest requirements
- Wine chiller with notable wines and Champagnes
- Flat screen television
- Surround sound system with DVD/CD player
- Personal iPod loaded with a huge selection of music
- Library of coffee table books
- Complimentary wireless high-speed Internet access
- IDD telephone
- In-villa safe
- Generous wardrobe space
- Deluxe bathrobes, slippers and hairdryer
- Individually controlled air conditioning and ceiling fan

One Baros Residence (268 sqm)

Surrounded by green foliage and bird-of-paradise blossoms, the Baros Residence is an intimate retreat. It has a private swimming pool (7x3m) in a walled tropical garden. There is a day bed on the sundeck, private spa massages, a king sized bed with scalloped linen canopy, a luxury indoor shower/bathtub, plus an outdoor rain shower. A dedicated butler is on call 24 hours a day.

Two Baros Premium Pool Villas (160 sqm)

Located on a secluded beach shielded by lush tropical foliage, the Premium Pool Villas are enhanced with the addition of an outdoor, lagoon-side Jacuzzi for two as well as an infinity-edged plunge pool (3.4m x 2.4m). These villas have panoramic ocean views, with dedicated sun loungers under a thatched parasol on their own beach and the blissful privilege of exclusivity. Extra refinements in the 160sqm villas are an open air wooden deck furnished with day bed for two, teak dining table and chairs, and bean bag comforters. A dedicated villa host to take care of all guest requests is on call 24 hours a day.

Eight Baros Pool Villas (134 sqm)

Each of these eight pool villas has an infinity-edged private plunge pool (4x2.4m) by the beach. Each Villa is discreetly secluded by tropical vegetation, with a wooden deck for lounging just steps from the lagoon. The ingeniously designed interior has a king sized bed embraced by curtains, louvered blinds on either side to let in sunlight, an exotic bathroom with a contemporary tub and an outside shower in a secret garden. On call as required is a dedicated resort host.

Thirty Water Villas (92 sqm)

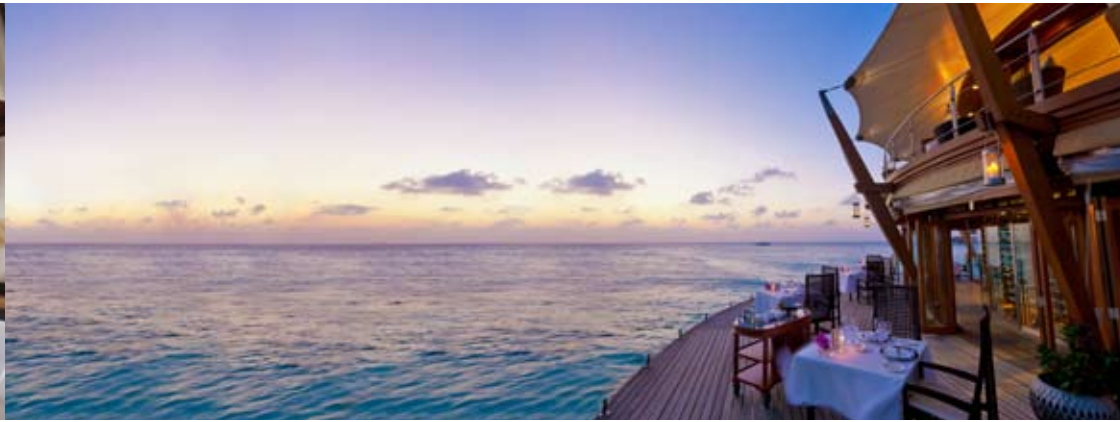
The Water Villas are reached by a horseshoe-shaped boardwalk over the lagoon off the northwest tip of the island. Each Water Villa is intimately exclusive with a private wooden deck for sunbathing and wooden steps for dipping into the lagoon. The interiors, with a king sized bed and dressing alcove, have been designed for complete privacy in luxury. The beach is just a few minutes' walk away along the boardwalk.

Ten Baros Villas (103 sqm)

Each Baros Villa is discreetly secluded by tropical vegetation, with a wooden deck for lounging just paces from the lagoon. The ingeniously designed interior has a king sized bed embraced by curtains, louvered blinds on either side to let in sunlight, an exotic bathroom with a contemporary tub, and an outside shower in a secret garden.

Twenty-four Deluxe Villas (89 sqm)

Set in flower glades by the beach and, like all the villas at Baros Maldives, created in a flawless style that exudes sophistication. The bathroom with a beautiful stand-alone bathtub and separate glass shower cubicle extends into a sandstone-walled flower garden which has its own waterfall shower.



DINING'S A PLEASURE

The Lighthouse Restaurant

Savour the cuisine gourmets relish, whether from degustation menus including several premium wines, or the classic creations enhanced with a touch of culinary genius by our Master Chef. With service to match the superb cuisine and an atmosphere of relaxed refinement, the over-water Lighthouse is the island's highlight.

Open for dinner (19h00 to 22h30)

Cayenne Grill

Alfresco dining in thatched gazebos above the lagoon. Specially prepared seafood, fish, meat and vegetarian dishes served with sauces of distinction and a well-presented selection of salads, antipasti, mezze, sushi and sashimi. Teppanyaki table dining and wood-fired oven are also available. A favourite retreat for a leisurely meal infused with the flavours of the tropics.

Open for light lunch (12h00 to 18h00) and dinner (19h00 to 22h30)

Lime Restaurant

Thatched, arched and open-sided pavilions by the water for the heart and soul of good dining. Breakfast selections with champagne to enhance your wellbeing are tastefully prepared. All-day dining from an à la carte menu of enticing dishes from around the world.

Open for breakfast (07h30 to 10h30) and all-day dining (11h00 to 23h00)

Villa Dining

On demand 24 hours a day – breakfast, snacks, meals and drinks are served with discretion in the privacy of guests' villas.

Island Dining

Dine anywhere on the island, on request. Whether it's a barbecue for two on the beach, a Thai feast on the boardwalk, a picnic on a sandbank or a candlelit banquet in a private palm grove, the dedicated Baros Maldives island dining team takes care of it all.

Satay Bar

For lounging in The Palm Garden, or by the ocean at Cayenne Grill, the Satay Bar ensures a light yet spicy South East Asian-influenced, casual yet fulfilling daytime dining experience.

Open for lunch (12h00 to 18h00)

The Lighthouse Lounge

The peak of perfection with panoramic views, the upstairs lounge of The Lighthouse with its sundowner gallery is a soothing setting for sipping Champagne or Martinis as the sun slips below the horizon.

Open from 17h00 onwards

Sails Bar

The centre of conviviality – the open-sided Sails Bar is the natural place under the palms for a refreshing juice, beer or wine at any time. In the evening, mellow music or live local bands accompany the joy of camaraderie and the enjoyment of amazing cocktails, fine spirits and liqueurs, served by experienced bartenders.

Open from 10h00 onwards until the last guest in the evening leaves

DIVING IN STYLE

Snorkelling

Snorkelling is a leisurely experience at Baros where the lagoon teems with fish and the house reef is a mere 15 metres from the shore. Float gently over a natural underwater paradise gazing at a kaleidoscopic carnival of marine life.

Diving

Begin with Discover Scuba Diving, an introductory dive in the lagoon with one of our professional diving instructors from Divers Baros Maldives. Progress to the PADI Scuba Diving Programme and upgrade to Open Water Diver certification, enabling you to dive anywhere in the world. Baros Maldives is the gateway to 30 superlative dive sites, yielding a biodiversity of marine life to thrill even the most experienced diver.

Marine Centre

The resident Marine Biologist provides valuable information on the oceanographic world, guiding and hosting snorkelling excursions on the house reef (for beginners or experienced snorkellers). Take advantage of adopting your own coral under the coral planting project at Baros and receive pictures of your coral's growth every six months. Baros Maldives has been declared the first eco-dive centre in the Maldives and offers the internationally recognised Reef Check program to all Baros guests. The Marine Centre is the place to start and share your underwater adventures!

Diving by Design

Diving by Design means diving in style with the personal attention that makes it exclusive. You have chosen Baros because you are a discerning individual and know what you want. We can help you plan an individual diving programme, too. There are 30 dive sites within 60 minutes of Baros and we can take you wherever you wish with our diving 'Dhoni'. Discuss your ideas with our diving instructors, and they will design diving à la carte to reward you and your partner with exotic marine life and memorable moments shared only by you.



The Maldivian Lounge

The Maldivian Lounge at Baros Maldives seeks to recreate the days and ways of traditional Maldives, to give visitors a sense of Maldivian culture and identity. With displays of locally made artifacts and handcrafted traditional furniture, photographs of the Maldives in the 70s (pre-tourism), and the world's best collection of authentic, ancient maps of the islands, The Maldivian Lounge at Baros reflects the very soul of the Maldives. For guests, a visit to The Maldivian Lounge adds a cultural dimension to the perfect vacation.

ROMANTIC ESCAPES

Nooma

With an elegantly crafted curved prow, vast single sail and auxiliary engine, a cabin of reassuring luxury and a sarong-clad crew of four, our 19-metre long vessel is modelled on the traditional Maldivian sailing 'Dhoni'. She is a 'Dhoni' of romance for secret-reef snorkelling, sunset sailing, a romantic dinner for two or even a leisurely cruise from the airport to Baros. With gourmet meals served on board by your personal butler, an intimate sundeck for two in the bow, and a private saloon lounge, bath, shower, and air-conditioned double bedroom. Select a 'Dhoni' for the ultimate intimate cruise.

Serenity Luxury Yacht

Discover the world of cruising with our exclusive 50 Princess Motor Yacht, **Serenity**. Spoil yourself with this one-of-a-kind experience or surprise your partner with a luxurious journey. We offer unique cruises emphasising the essence of joy, luxury and tranquillity at sea. Create a moment to remember.

An exploration of the Maldives

There is more to the Maldives than Baros, and we help you discover the essence of the islands with excursions that can be arranged on request by our friendly and ever-helpful Guest Activities Coordinator. May we suggest these luxurious and adventurous options:

- Big game fishing
- Dolphin cruise with Champagne
- Day and night reef snorkelling
- Romantic sunset cruise
- Glass-bottomed boat cruise
- Malé sightseeing and shopping
- Sunset fishing and 'catch your own dinner' experience
- Seaplane photo flight
- Local island explorations
- Private excursions and escapes

THE SPA

Reward yourself with the lavish attention of the caring therapists at The Spa. Our Spa Suites are an intimate space of your own to enjoy spa treatment, pre-treatment relaxation and post-treatment unwinding. A cornucopia of blissful rituals devised for your desires with intuition, imagination and expert touches.

- Four spa suites
- Manicure/pedicure suite
- Boutique
- Reception lounge
- Garden relaxation sala
- Bespoke spa packages
- Yoga pavilion

ISLAND SERVICES

- 24-hour guest services
- 24-hour laundry service
- 24-hour library with a pool table
- 24-hour relaxation lounge with complimentary Internet station
- 24-hour security
- Fitness centre
- CD and DVD library
- Boutique
- Indoor games
- Water sports
- Full-time nurse on site and on-call doctor service
- Foreign currency exchange
- Credit cards: Visa, Mastercard, American Express and JCB
- In-villa check-in
- Luxury launch
- Online pre-registration
- Personal complimentary iPod loaded with a selection of songs
- Complimentary wireless Internet access in public areas

YOUR RENEWAL OF VOWS AND HONEYMOON

Cherishing and creating memories. Plan an unforgettable destination renewal of your vows in the extraordinary setting of the island's beach or its sandbank or even in our signature Lighthouse Lounge.

CHILD POLICY

In the interest of maintaining tranquillity and balance, families with children below eight years old are not accepted at the resort.





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