



PARADISE SCUBA ADVENTURE

A scuba diving adventure to explore the underwater wonders of the Belize Barrier Reef

Duration: 3 Nights -or- 4 nights

Starts: Dangriga

Finishes: Dangriga

Guides: 1-2 Leaders

Habitats: Barrier Reef

Experience level: Open water certification required

Accommodations: Tobacco Caye Paradise

Activities: Scuba Diving. Optional Stand-Up Paddleboarding, Kayaking, Snorkeling

Dives: 4 dives (3 nights)

6 dives (4 night) - includes day trip to Glover's Atoll

Gear Included: BCD, regulator, mask, fins / Use of SUPs and Kayaks

\$790 USD 3 nights

\$1140 USD 4 nights

(Includes taxes & fees)

Price per Person based on Double Occupancy

Minimum: 2 Guests to book, 4 guests to run

Maximum: 8 Guests

Departures: Every Tuesday

This trip can be booked year-round, based on lodge availability

Package includes: Accommodations, meals, guided activities, scuba gear, activity equipment, boat transfers, all government taxes and park fees

Package does not include: Int'l airfare, gratuities, medical/travel insurance, additional activities, costs incurred by flight delays



Typical Daily Itinerary:

Day 1: Meet at 10:30 am at Island Expeditions Dangriga base. You will embark in a 30 minute boat charter once loaded. Traveling through several islands and mangrove estuaries, you arrive at Tobacco Caye Paradise Lodge on the edge of the Belize Barrier Reef within the Southwater caye Marine Reserve. . After an island welcome from our host and settling into our accommodations, we meet in the middle of the hammock garden for a briefing of the next days' dives. The rest of the afternoon is yours to acclimatize, walk the island or take out a kayak or paddle board.

Accommodation: Tobacco Caye Paradise Meals: Lunch, Dinner

Day 2: This morning we rise early with the tropical sun. Relax with your fresh coffee in your hammock before the day's adventures begin. Shortly after breakfast, we meet at the dive shop for equipment fitting, our dive brief, and the final muster for our 9:30 am boat departure. Our first introductory dive on the Belize Barrier Reef will check out our ability level and make sure our equipment is fitted properly. We return to the lodge for lunch and a siesta. Then we meet at the hammock garden for our next briefing before heading out to our afternoon dive outside the Tobacco Caye Cut. We return to the lodge for dinner and head to the sunset bar next door to toast the day!

Accommodation: Tobacco Caye Paradise Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 3: Today is another early start, after our morning meal we meet at the Dive Center for our day's briefing. Our dive location this day is further afield towards South Water Caye. Traveling 6 miles along the crystal turquoise waters of the Belize Barrier Reef, we arrive at South Water Caye. We turn the corner through the cut and dive the outer reef wall. After our morning dive, we have a picnic lunch on a sandbar. Following a short stop at Carrie Bow Caye (the Smithsonian Marine Station), we head out for our afternoon dive. After reaching topside, we travel back north to Tobacco Caye to shower off and clean up for dinner.

Accommodation: Tobacco Caye Paradise Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 4: For those participating in the 3-Night Program, this morning we have a leisurely breakfast and a last walk around the island. Boats back to the mainland at 9:30 am (transfer included in this package).

Accommodation: N/A Meals: Breakfast

Staying one more night? Your itinerary continues...

"As soon as we dipped our masks in the water, we knew it was going to be great – so many fish, so much colour, it was almost sensory overload. We saw Sargeant Majors, Stoplight Parrotfish, Blue Tangs, Black Durgons and all sorts of Angelfish, just to name a few. We were also visited by a few barracudas, stingrays, spotted eagle rays and nurse sharks, but the coolest sighting had to be a massive loggerhead turtle casually cruising through the water. Our dive masters were extremely professional, well prepared, and knew the area intimately"

*Brenda - ON Canada
Paradise Scuba Adventure*

Itinerary Con't (for 4-Night Program ONLY)

Day 4: Today we rise for an early breakfast and prepare to head out to one of Belize's most spectacular dive locations, Glovers Reef Atoll. After a quick dock briefing, we travel to one of Belize's most remote reef systems. The boat slows as we approach the turquoise horizon and we suit up to dive the east reef wall facing the open pelagic sea. After returning to the surface, we have a picnic lunch on a secluded private beach on the southern tip of the Atoll. Following lunch, we head westward to dive the spectacular "Western Wall" of the Barrier Reef. We then return to Tobacco Caye for a pre dinner Happy Hour and toast the sun going down for our last night.

Accommodation: Tobacco Caye Paradise

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 5 : For those participating in the 4-Night Program, this morning we have a leisurely breakfast and a last walk around the island. Boats back to the mainland at 9:30 am (transfer included in this package).

Accommodation: N/A

Meals: Breakfast

Travel Notes: Departure boat to Tobacco Caye runs at 10:30 am, we suggest that you arrive in Belize at least a day prior. International connections out of the country require a departure after 2 pm. To connect with afternoon departures from Belize City, a short domestic flight is required. Please call for details - our office can confirm pricing and book your domestic flight.

We highly recommend not to fly 24 hours after your last dive. Please plan your domestic and international flights accordingly.

This itinerary is a 'guide' and must remain flexible and open to changes at the trip leaders' discretion. We hope you bring a spirit of adventure with you, we cannot direct the winds but we can adjust our sails.