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DISCOVER

Zanzibar





Spice island paradise



Steeped in culture and history, Zanzibar is fondly known as the 'Spice Island' due to the variety of spices grown here. Stone Town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, boasts bustling marketplaces, beautifully carved wooden doors, mosques, and grand Arab residences.

Why visit Zanzibar?

Discover a labyrinth of winding streets in Stone Town, pristine beaches, azure waters, culture, history, spices, exquisite doors, and the silhouette of dhows against a golden sunset.



1

FASCINATING HISTORY

Delve into the beauty and ancient history of Zanzibar as you explore the enchanting Stone Town. Uncover magnificent architecture, wander through a maze of bustling narrow alleys, and discover sand and coral-stone houses—some over 200 years old—adorned with intricately carved Arab and Indian doors. Gain profound insight into the somber chapter of the Arab slave trade that once darkened this vibrant tapestry of history.



2

CULTURE AND CHARM

The fusion of Arabic and African cultures on this island gives rise to the simple bustle of everyday life. An atmosphere of relaxation permeates the air, making it an ideal destination to unwind. During low tide, you can observe men embarking on fishing expeditions and women tending to seaweed cultivation. As the tide rises, children fill the beach with joyful play and endless energy.



3

EXPLORE THE SPICE ISLAND

Globally acclaimed for its aromatic spices, this formerly vital trading hub stands as a fragrant historical treasure trove, boasting vanilla, cloves, turmeric, nutmeg, and cinnamon. Amidst this aromatic tapestry, you'll discover regions cultivating an array of fascinating plants and shrubs, including the iodine plant and the lipstick tree's red fruit, cherished for their applications in medicine and cosmetics.



4

EASY SAFARI CIRCUIT ACCESS

An island sanctuary adorned with azure waters and pristine white sandy beaches; this destination offers convenient access to the East Africa safari circuit. Daily flights connect via the northern and southern Tanzania circuits as well as from Nairobi in Kenya, making it the ideal addition to your safari adventure. With an array of island lodges and resorts, this is the perfect getaway for families, friends, and honeymooners alike.

Why travel with &Beyond?

1 TRAVEL WITH HEART

Our core ethos of 'Care of Land, Wildlife & People' drives all that we do. When you travel with us you make a meaningful contribution to the preservation of our world's cultures and wildlife, and leave with an opportunity to gain first-hand experience in some of our conservation and community initiatives.

2 IN OUR HANDS

We are on call 24/7 to assist you throughout your journey. Over 2 000 &Beyonders, including guides and ground logistic teams on three continents, means that you are in our hands from the moment you arrive to the moment you leave. Additionally, we offer a personal concierge service that is only a phone call away should you require any assistance at any point during your trip.

3 FINEST GUIDES

We operate three ranger training schools and are renowned for having the most highly trained, professional and knowledgeable guides, rangers, naturalists and trackers, who offer cultural insights as well as interpretive wildlife experiences.

4 TRAVEL EXPERTS

Big or small, we are all about tailoring trips around your specific interests and expectations. Our expert travel specialists are able to personalise a range of experiences for individual travellers, groups, families, wedding parties, and special interest groups.

5 PERFECT MOMENTS

With journeys lovingly crafted of perfect moments, you will return from an &Beyond adventure feeling that nothing will take your breath away quite like this ever again. Our collection of signature experiences are often exclusive to &Beyond, ensuring a unique adventure.



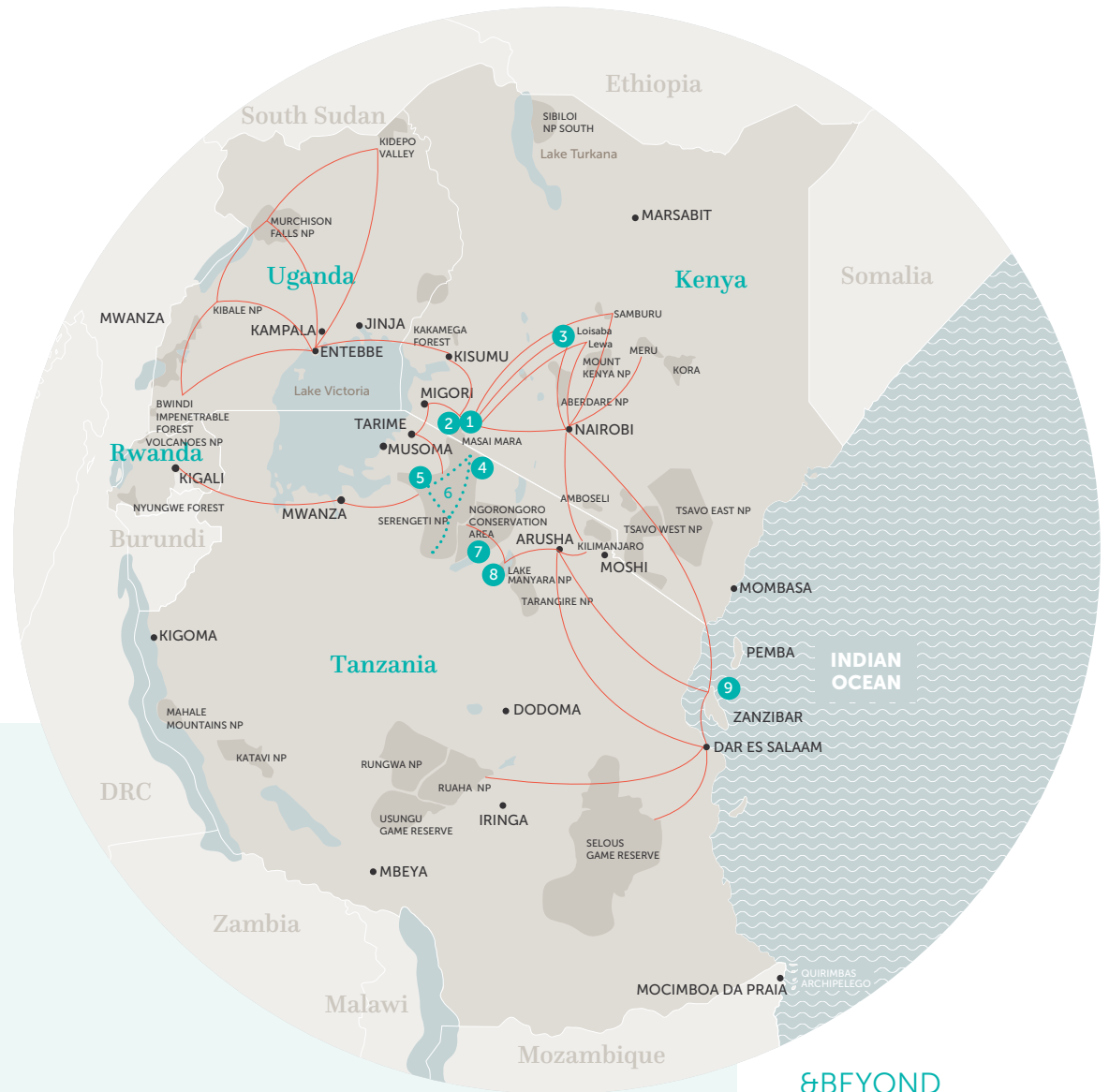
The island itself feels like a dream, boasting surreal landscapes, a serene blue ocean, and a nearby reef teeming with colourful fish!



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Travel Zanzibar and beyond

Visiting East Africa and travelling across this vast landscape requires much thought and attention. Contact your preferred travel specialist to assist with your travel plans.



GETTING THERE

Coastal Aviation, Auric Air and Regional Air Services offer daily departures from Arusha and Dar es Salaam. These flight networks link all of the major parks, reserves and Beyond lodges.

Daily non-direct flights connect the same parks, reserves and Beyond lodges to Zanzibar.

Beyond Mnemba Island collects guests at Zanzibar International Airport or in Stone Town, followed by a 1.5-hour road trip and a 10 – 15-minute boat ride in an open ski boat.

Flight networks in Tanzania connect to the Masai Mara (Kenya) via two points, one via Kilimanjaro in Tanzania and Wilson Airport in Nairobi, and the other via Tarime (Tanzania) and Migori (Kenya).

Flights connect to Kigali in Rwanda via Mwanza (Tanzania) and to Entebbe in Uganda via Musoma (Tanzania).

TRAVEL TIMES

ZANZIBAR

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| ✈ 1hr 30mins | ARUSHA | | |
| ✈ 20mins | 2hrs | DAR ES SALAAM | |
| ✈ 4hrs | 6hrs 20mins | 4hrs | JOHANNESBURG |
| ✈ 1hr 15mins | 2hrs | 4hrs | 4hrs NAIROBI |

Disclaimer: All flights may include multiple stops, and scheduling is a guideline. Times will vary. The above times are based on best-practice logistics and exclude transfers to and from lodges. Scheduling is coordinated mainly by operations teams on the ground. Flight schedules are more limited in off-peak periods.

BEYOND LODGES

KENYA

- 1 Bateleur Camp
- 2 Kichwa Tembo Tented Camp
- 3 Suyian Lodge

TANZANIA

- 4 Klein's Camp
- 5 Grumeti Serengeti River Lodge
- 6 Serengeti Under Canvas
- 7 Ngorongoro Crater Lodge
- 8 Lake Manyara Tree Lodge
- 9 Mnemba Island

Explore Zanzibar

VEGETATION ZONES

- Forest
- Mangroves
- Coral reef

PLACES TO STAY

- 1 &Beyond lodge
- 2 Kilindi Zanzibar
- 3 Zawadi hotel
- 4 Baraza Resort and Spa
- 5 The Palms
- 6 Breezes Beach Club and Spa
- 7 The Residence
- 8 Zanzibar Serena
- 9 Park Hyatt Zanzibar

TOURS

- 1 Spice tour
- 2 Prison Island tour
- 3 Stone Town Historical and City tours
- 4 Jozani Forest tour

- Road
- Airport transfer to Mnemba Island
- ✈ Airport
- |— River
- 🏠 Community and cultural visit
- 📍 Tours



Regional information

ZANZIBAR

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| Altitude | Sea level |
| Malaria area | The island is situated in a low-risk malaria area |
| Airstrip / Helipad | No airstrip or helipad, closest airport is Zanzibar |
| GPS coordinates | 05° 49.218'S 039° 22.959'E |
| Best time to travel | The best time to visit this tropical island is from June to October during the cool, dry months of spring or from December to February when it's hot and dry |
| Weather | The weather can be humid, although sea breezes bring cooler air and relief from heat and humidity |
| Average temperatures | June to October: 26°C / 79°F December to February: 28°C / 82°F Average water temperature: From 25°C / 77° to 29°C / 84°F |

It is the people of Zanzibar who really make the island special. They are warm, welcoming, and always willing to help. I can't wait to go back someday! ”

&BEYOND GUEST





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DISCOVER MNEMBA ISLAND

Adventures of a lifetime

Embark on island experiences set against a backdrop of azure seas, white sandy beaches, and the vibrant tapestry of culture and history of Zanzibar that are woven into this space.

Island experiences

Explore the island's rich history and culture, indulge in a wellness treatment, or simply relax on the beach.



1

DAILY YOGA CLASSES

Channel your energy, balance your chakras, and increase your self-awareness against the backdrop of the pristine ocean during a yoga class. Skillfully adapted to accommodate all levels of experience, daily group yoga classes can be enjoyed in the Wellness Banda on the yoga deck, along with other restorative healing sessions such as singing bowl meditation. Private yoga sessions can be arranged at an additional cost.



2

WELLNESS TREATMENTS

From daily yoga classes and sound bath therapy to specialised alternative therapeutic methods and meditative practices, Mnemba Island seeks to provide a holistic healing experience. Using only 100% natural Healing Earth products, pamper yourself with a soul-soothing massage in the Wellness Banda or book a private in-room wellness treatment in the comfort of your Beach Banda.



3

SAND FLATS PICNIC

Transport yourself to the sensations of a castaway on a dreamy, deserted island as you indulge in a decadent picnic on a private sand spit, an exclusive escape located just off Mnemba Island. Revel in breathtaking 360° ocean views as you lounge on the sandy white shore, savouring a sumptuous spread of hors d'oeuvres, appetizers, and local delights. Immerse yourself in the tranquil waves and pristine surroundings of this romantic getaway.



4

WEDDINGS AND BLESSINGS

Whether it's the coming together of soulmates for a blissful island wedding or toasting to an anniversary, Beyond has a wealth of experience in making your special occasion truly memorable. From world-class banquets to flower arrangements, officiants, photographers, and entertainment, we can assist you every step of the way.

Island experiences



5

GREEN TURTLE NESTING

Mnemba Island is an important green turtle breeding site, and our conservation team works hard to protect and monitor turtle nests throughout the year. Track the footprints of female turtles at night and observe their nests during the year-round nesting season, which peaks between April and August. Observing green turtle hatchlings as they find their way out of their sandy nests to make their way to the ocean is an unforgettable experience. This is an extremely lucky and rare experience, not guaranteed.



6

HISTORY OF STONE TOWN

Delve into the beauty and ancient history of Zanzibar, exploring the magnificent architecture, a labyrinth of bustling narrow alleys, and incredible sand and coral-stone houses, some over 200 years old, with intricately carved Arab and Indian doors. During this walking tour, your guide will recount Stone Town's history (a mix of Indian, African, Arabic, and European influences) and provide a window onto Swahili culture and everyday life in Zanzibar.



7

SPICE ISLAND TOUR

Follow the scent of spices like vanilla, cloves, turmeric, nutmeg, and cinnamon, as you drive through the lush greenery of the island's spice growing areas. Your senses will be tantalised by the sight, smell, and taste of an exotic cocktail of tropical seasonal fruits, such as green coconut juice, jack fruit, pineapple, banana, and love apple. The tour also includes a visit to the ancient Kidichi Persian Baths, the fascinating Maruhubi Palace ruins, and Livingstone's House.

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Water experiences

Snorkel among the coral reefs, dive into the crystal-clear waters, or sail azure seas at sunset.



1

SUNSET DHOW CRUISE

Relax in the romance of dusk surrounded by a vast expanse of sky above and ocean blues below as your dhow glides towards the sunset. Be captivated by the evening colours, from pink hues to burning orange, with slashes of deep indigo and azure descending into inky black.



2

PRIVATE DHOW CRUISE

Experience the epitome of seclusion and luxury, sailing away on a traditional wooden boat, exclusively yours for the day. Traverse azure waters in unparalleled privacy; BBQ on board and pause to snorkel wherever you please. Whether it's a romantic getaway or a serene retreat, a private dhow offers an idyllic escape, tailored to your desires.



3

SEA KAYAKING

Explore the warm Indian Ocean waves in utter tranquillity in a tandem deep-sea glass-bottom kayak. Ask one of Mnemba's Dive Instructors for a quick tutorial session or set off with your partner on the quiet waters protected by the island's surrounding reefs. Paddle along the shoreline, admiring its shifting features, or venture farther into the ocean's depths in hopes of encountering dolphins or sea turtles. Combine exercise with underwater marvels, offering a unique perspective of the island.



4

STAND-UP PADDLE BOARDING

Experience an exhilarating aquatic adventure aboard an inflatable stand-up paddle board (SUP). Glide gracefully on tranquil waters as you master the art of balance and exploration. Whether you're a beginner seeking leisure or an enthusiast craving a workout, SUPing offers a unique perspective and connection to the sea. Perfect for the calm waters off Mnemba Island, this activity immerses you in your surroundings, providing exceptional views of the ocean waters and the Mnemba horizon.



HOBIE WATER EXPERIENCES

Whether you're gliding through calm waters or tackling a bit of surf, Hobie provides a range of adventures for those keen to explore the warm waters surrounding the island.

SEA PEDAL KAYAKING – HOBIE MIRAGE TANDEM ISLAND KAYAK

Offering a tandem seating arrangement, allowing for two paddlers to share the fun, this unique kayak is designed with stability and ease of use in mind. Ideal for both beginner and experienced kayakers, its sleek design and pedal powered system makes paddling effortless. Its versatile sail also enables kayakers to harness the power of the wind for a more leisurely journey.

SAILING – HOBIE 14 RACE CATAMARAN

An exhilarating and accessible sailing experience for everyone, with its sleek and aerodynamic design, this catamaran is built for speed. Its lightweight construction and responsive nature, featuring two hulls connected by a trampoline, allows it to glide effortlessly over the water. Setting it apart is its simple rigging system, making it easy for sailors of all levels to handle.

PEDAL BOARDING – HOBIE ECLIPSE MIRACLE PEDAL BOARD

Combining the fun of paddle boarding with the ease of pedalling, pedal boarding offers a new way to traverse the ocean. Standing on a stable platform, using your legs to pedal instead of your arms to paddle (like riding a bike on water), the board's sturdy structure and user-friendly handlebars for balance and steering, makes pedal boarding easy for everyone for enjoy.

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Water experiences



5

CATCH-AND-RELEASE FISHING

Indulge in the art of catch-and-release fishing right from Mnemba Island. If you're looking for a deep-sea fishing experience, arrangements can be made with one of our trusted outsourced providers. Whether you're casting off the shores or venturing into deeper waters, the thrill of what you might encounter awaits.



6

SNORKELLING

Armed with a snorkel, mask, and fins, step directly from your Banda into the ocean to explore the vibrant coral reefs encircling the island. Become immersed in this underwater world, taking your snorkelling experience to new depths.



7

SCUBA DIVING

Regarded as one of the finest waters to explore, our dive sites are just a short 10 to 20-minute boat ride from the island, with some even accessible directly from the shore. With our PADI-certified dive masters and instructors intimately familiar with Mnemba Island's reefs, they curate dives tailored to your interests. All necessary diving equipment is provided, along with the bonus of GoPro cameras to capture your remarkable sights.

SCUBA DIVING COURSES AND UNDERWATER EXPERIENCES

The Dive Centres at Mnemba Island offer a full range of PADI-accredited courses for those looking to advance their diving qualifications.

PADI BUBBLEMAKER & DISCOVER SCUBA

This introductory diving course is perfect for little ones or adults who are keen to explore the fascinating underwater world of diving, facilitated by experienced, multilingual professionals.

REFRESHER DIVER COURSE

This diving course is ideal for divers who have been away from the sport for a while and are seeking a quick refresher. The programme is designed to revitalise diving skills, boosting underwater confidence.

PADI OPEN WATER DIVER COURSE

Learn to scuba dive independently in buddy teams to a depth of 18 m (60 ft). This four-dive course takes three to four days, where upon conclusion, guests will receive a lifetime global certification.

PADI ADVANCED OPEN WATER DIVER COURSE

This dive course only applies to already certified Open Water divers. After successfully completing five dives, the course will certify divers to dive down to a maximum depth of 30 m (100 ft).

SINGLE TRAINING & ADVENTURE DIVE

This is ideal for those who would like to try specialised dives, such as deep dives and drift dives. This course will be credited towards your Adventure Diver or Advanced Open Water diver certification.

Conservation experiences

Gain an insight into the incredible initiatives taking place in collaboration with our long-standing conservation partner, Wild Impact*.



1

ARTIFICIAL REEF STRUCTURE EXPLORATION

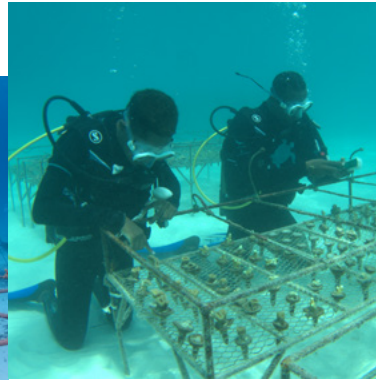
Located just off Mnemba's shoreline, this artificial reef was built to help reduce the pressures on the island's House Reef. Assist the Wild Impact Oceans Without Borders team for the morning with their daily reef restoration tasks. Your role might involve identifying the diverse fish species that call these reefs home or helping to monitor the various coral types growing here.



2

CORAL REEF FRAME PROJECT

Create your own artificial reef by delicately attaching coral fragments to a coral frame structure. You'll then help to carefully position and secure your coral frame near the existing Mnemba Island artificial reef site, helping to enrich the fragile underwater ecosystem surrounding the island.



3

CORAL NURSERY EXPERIENCE

Dive to the island's underwater coral nursery, learning how the Wild Impact Oceans Without Borders team delicately transforms tiny coral fragments into future coral giants. Under their expert guidance, you'll also have the opportunity to get involved, which may include collecting your own 'corals of opportunity' (naturally dislodged coral) or helping to carefully remove algae from the coral fragments.



4

ISLAND CONSERVATION TOUR

From the green sea turtle monitoring programme and indigenous tree nursery to the sandbag erosion wall and suni and Aders' duiker exclusion zone, one of the lodge's dedicated staff members will show you the ins and outs of the numerous remarkable conservation initiatives taking place on the island.



5

WILD IMPACT COMMUNITY VISIT

A community visit provides a firsthand experience of the projects Wild Impact is facilitating and supporting to enable future leaders, healthy ecosystems, future foundations and thriving communities. Explore local village life beyond the crowds on Zanzibar Island and engage with some of our transformative education and healthcare community projects. Privately hosted by Wild Impact, this insightful and participative half-day experience is richly authentic.

*Formerly Africa Foundation

All experiences are subject to availability and weather dependent.
Some experiences are at an additional cost.

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Seasonal highlights

YEAR-ROUND ACTIVITIES

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| ✓ Daily yoga classes (group and private) | ✓ Hobie water experiences | ✓ Snorkelling |
| ✓ Wellness treatments | ✓ Sea kayaking | ✓ Scuba diving |
| ✓ Dining on the beach | ✓ Stand-up paddle boarding | ✓ Wild Impact community visit |
| ✓ Sand flats picnics | ✓ Catch-and-release fishing from the island | ✓ History of Stone Town |
| ✓ Weddings and blessings | ✓ Catch-and-release deep sea fishing | ✓ Spice Island Tour |
| ✓ Traditional dhow cruises (sunset and private) | ✓ Swimming from the beach | ✓ Artificial reef structure exploration |
| ✓ Coral reef frame project | ✓ Coral nursery experience | ✓ Island conservation tour |

TIMING IS EVERYTHING

| | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEP | OCT | NOV | DEC |
|-------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Green turtle nesting | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✗ | ✗ | ✗ | ✗ |
| Green turtle hatchlings | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✗ | ✗ | ✗ | ✗ | ✗ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |

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We have been to a lot of amazing places but this island is very special and will remain in our memories forever. ”

&BEYOND GUEST



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WILDchild

Families and groups will fall in love with the tranquility of the island. We will only accommodate a maximum of two children under 12-years at Mnemba Island at any given time. Travel to Zanzibar is recommended for children eight-years or older.

ACTIVITIES

Children visiting the lodge can take advantage of the fun-filled and interactive WILDchild programme that offers various activities such as:

- Morning walks with turtle monitors to observe turtle nests
- Assist with replanting trees in the island indigenous tree nursery, learning about the various vegetation types that grow in and around the island
- Join the lodge chefs to welcome the local fishermen onshore and check where the catch-of-the day is on the Southern African Sustainable Seafood Initiative (SASSI) List
- Assist the Community and Conservation (CNC) Rangers with building coral bases to plant coral
- Learn about the incredible impact initiatives in and around Mnemba Island in the Ocean Without Border's (OWB) Discovery Centre
- Get involved in the dive centres helping the OWB staff
- Go snorkelling along the coral reef
- Help in the OWB staff input new and exciting sightings in the Beyond Sightings platform, while learning about the various sea creatures
- Go on beach and nature walks around the island
- Hand-line fishing from a dhow or the beach
- Enjoy sea kayaking and stand-up paddle boarding
- Bake turtle biscuits with the lodge chef

FAMILY ACCOMODATION

Family Banda

1 Family Banda featuring an additional, smaller children's bedroom and bathroom
Maximum 2 adults and 2 children

CHILDMINDING

While we don't have trained childminders, we can offer the services of certain staff members who are wonderful with children. This will be at an additional cost.



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Guest Experience

A day in the life

OF A GUEST

What makes Mnemba Island truly exceptional is the absence of routine. Embrace the liberating island pace, where your actions and timing are entirely your call. You'll likely take off your shoes upon arrival and not think of them until it's time to bid a fond farewell. Bask in leisurely sun-soaked days or indulge in relaxing massage treatments. Alternatively, immerse yourself in water sports, exercise, or join our conservation team in their daily mission.

TIMING

EXPERIENCE

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| Early morning | Wake up at leisure |
| Morning | Enjoy a sunrise yoga class, water or conservation adventure, or leisurely stroll around the island |
| Mid-morning | Breakfast in the main guest area or at your private Beach Banda |
| Midday to early afternoon | Lunch in the main guest area, at your private Beach Banda, on a private dhow cruise or as a picnic Spend the afternoon at leisure |
| Mid-afternoon | Indulge in a relaxing wellness treatment |
| Late afternoon | Enjoy a sunset yoga class, water or conservation adventure, or leisurely stroll around the island |
| Early evening | Toast to the sunset enjoying a sundowner on the beach, at your private Beach Banda, aboard a sunset dhow cruise or at the lodge's iconic Beach Bar |
| Evening | Dinner on the beach, in the main guest area, in the courtyard, in the forest or at your private Beach Banda |

**Timings and guest experiences are guidelines only*



Sustainability initiatives

In partnership with Wild Impact*, our long-standing community and conservation development partner.



CARE OF Land

- 8 500 Plastic water bottles eliminated per annum due to on-site bottling plant at Mnemba Island
- 30 Million Tanzanian Shillings (TZS) invested in environmental protection to date (2020)
- 100% Consistency in surpassing targeted water use per head per day
- 5 kg (11 lbs) CO2 per head better than our ♻️Beyond Group target (2017 – 2019)
- 16% Improvement in ♻️Beyond Tanzania's sustainability audit scores since 2017, highlighting a progressive reduction of our direct carbon footprint through ♻️Beyond Group goals
- Collaborative coral reef restoration project, with a specific focus on the protection and restoration of the Mnemba Island House Reef, launched in 2021



CARE OF Wildlife

- 364 Young learners received conservation lessons (2018 – 2020), with the aim to educate and develop an understanding of the interdependence of conservation endeavours and community empowerment
- 166 600 Hectares (over 411 000 acres) of marine conservation area supported in Zanzibar
- 20 Years of unbroken green turtle nest monitoring supported on Mnemba Island
- Successful breeding programme on Mnemba Island of the critically endangered Aders' duiker
- Marine biodiversity significantly influenced by our collaborative multi-phased coral reef restoration project



CARE OF People

- 23 Years of compounded positive impact, across six Zanzibari island communities
- 81% Zanzibari staff to total ♻️Beyond employees in Zanzibar
- 34 CLEF tertiary education bursaries granted to 21 Zanzibari high school learners through this legacy-building Wild Impact Future Leaders' programme
- 3.3 Billion TZS local procurement spend by ♻️Beyond Zanzibar (2018 – 2020)
- 386 Million TZS social infrastructure investment in community-led projects encompassing health care, education and enterprise development (2018 – 2020)
- 771 Million TZS donor funding supporting Zanzibari community development milestones (2008 – 2020)

*Formerly Africa Foundation
Note: Stats as per our financial year



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This romantic, barefoot-island haven in the Zanzibar Archipelago is committed to a legacy of community upliftment and marine conservation.



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Beyond Mnemba Island

Why stay?

1 INTIMATE, EXCLUSIVE, AND FLEXIBLE ISLAND ESCAPE

Mnemba Island is an idyllic tropical gem located off the north-eastern tip of Zanzibar. With only 12 luxuriously rustic palm-frond Bandas peeking out onto white coral sand beach from the dappled shade of the casuarina pine forest, this tiny island offers an exclusive retreat. Inhabited solely by Beyond guests and the dedicated staff caring for them, the island spans just 1.5 km (less than a mile), making for an intimate and relaxing experience. You have the freedom to craft your day precisely as you desire, and our team will turn your preferences into reality.

2 CONNECT AND RE-AWAKEN YOUR SOUL

Barefoot serenity and romance define the allure of Mnemba Island. Take the time to rejuvenate and heal in true African style. Merely escaping to this haven is soothing for the soul, as the open-style design seamlessly integrates the natural world into the lodge. This holistic connection extends to a wide range of wellness and spiritually awakening experiences that draw inspiration from the scenery of this unique island. Delight your taste buds in the simple yet evocative essence of Zanzibar's richness, fragrance, and history, through our organic and freshly prepared food, inspired by the barefoot beach simplicity of the island itself.

3 CONSERVATION ON YOUR DOORSTEP

Mnemba Island is renowned for its coral reefs and tranquil azure seas, boasting irresistible snorkelling and diving opportunities right off the beach. Discover the island's coral nursery and artificial coral reef restoration project. Furthermore, recognised as a significant breeding site for green turtles, Mnemba Island's team patrols the beaches daily to monitor and document new turtle activity. The island has also become a sanctuary for two unique antelope species, Ader's duiker and suni antelope, through our successful protection project.



All the complexities of life are stripped away, leaving only crystal turquoise waters, cool white beaches, and a friendly jungle.



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Lodge amenities



1

DISCOVERY CENTRE

Engage with the incredible research and conservation work taking place in and around Mnemba Island. Join our Community and Conservation Rangers for a conservation lesson, learn how they manage the coral nursery and help to propagate coral. Interact with our resident marine biologist and dive masters, as well as submit any dive sightings into our Beyond Sightings platform.



2

BEACH SHOP

The island's Beach Shop is a celebration of East African high-end interior design, beachwear, jewellery, and accessories. In addition, the shop also stocks a range of rash vests and other beach necessities, such as hats and sunscreen, for your convenience.



3

PRIVATE BUTLERS

Your wish is our command with a personal butler on hand to ensure a seamless experience and bring nibbles and cocktails to your Beach Banda with discrete but impeccable personal service.



4

WELLNESS BANDA

Featuring two treatment rooms plus an outdoor yoga deck, the island's Wellness Banda offers a holistic healing approach, including daily yoga classes, specialised alternative practices, meditation sessions, sound bar and singing bowl therapy as well as a wide range of wellness treatments, seeking to leave you feeling indulged and restored.



5

DINING IN STYLE

Enjoy your island-inspired meals, celebrating the bounty of the ocean, in a variety of al fresco locations such as the beach, under the forest trees, in the main guest area, in the courtyard, or in the privacy of your Beach Banda.



6

BEACH BAR

The vibrant Beach Bar is the heart of the island, the perfect setting to sip on one of our signature cocktails and enjoy convivial conversation with other guests.

Room amenities



1

BEACH LOUNGE

Your exclusive seaside haven, complete with a comfortable day bed, sun loungers and al fresco shower. Tuck into exquisite island fare and savour custom cocktails with uninterrupted beach vistas, ensuring privacy and pure relaxation.



2

PERSONAL BARS

Your Banda and Beach Lounge boasts a personal bar and tea and coffee station, well stocked with a selection of local drinks plus a few delicious beach bites and snacks for you to nibble on. Your private butler is on hand to customise your selection and keep it filled for the duration of your stay.



3

OPEN-AIR LOUNGE

Your personal oasis in the cool ocean breeze: drift into tranquility on the private hanging swing-chair in your Banda or bask in the island sun on incredibly comfortable beach loungers.



4

FOOT BATH

Upon arrival, you'll likely slip off your shoes, leaving them forgotten until it's time to bid a fond farewell. You'll soon find yourself appreciating the convenience of a personal foot bath outside your Banda.



5

TAKATAKA: SEA DEBRIS

Pollution of the world's oceans is a real problem. In our efforts to help, you will see Mnemba staff and guests collecting rubbish off the beach and placing it into a woven basket, which is locally known as a 'takataka kikapu'.


It is definitely barefoot luxury with open Bandas with no windows allowing the sea breeze to blow through and you to be woken by natural light. ”


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
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
 Regular green turtle nesting site


 Scenic viewpoint


--- Foot path

VEGETATION ZONES

 Cassuarina coastal dry forest

 Natural coastal dry forest

 Beach

 Erosion wall

INDIAN OCEAN



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Beyond Mnemba Island

Lodge overview

LODGE

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| Maximum number of guests | 26 |
| Number of rooms | 12 |
| Family accommodation | Children are welcome, however, no more than 2 children under 12-years on the island at any one time 1 Family Banda featuring an additional, smaller children’s bedroom and bathroom (max. 2 adults and 2 children) |
| WILDchild programme | Yes |
| Pilot / Guide accommodation | No |
| Room types | 11 Bandas and 1 Family Banda |
| Distance between rooms | 10 – 15 m (33 – 50 ft) |
| Island access | The lodge collects guests at Zanzibar International Airport or Stone Town, followed by a 1.5-hour road trip. Thereafter, a 10 – 15-minute boat ride in an open ski boat. Boat transfers are weather dependent. Transfers are not available when it is dark - please speak to your preferred Travel Specialist for more information |
| Check-in / Check-out times | 14h00 / 11h00, with early check-in and late check-out on request |
| Lodge closure | Seasonal closure in April and May; please speak to your preferred Travel Specialist for exact dates |

PAYMENT TYPES ACCEPTED

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| Credit cards | Mastercard and Visa |
| Currency | All major currencies accepted |

FACILITIES

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| Power | Solar power with generator back-up |
| Internet access | Yes, Wi-Fi throughout the lodge |
| Wine store or cellar | No |
| Outdoor dining | Yes |
| Bar | Yes |
| Interactive kitchen | No |
| Swimming pool | Ocean front - no pool |
| Wellness offering | Yes, Wellness Banda with two treatment rooms and outdoor yoga deck |
| Fitness centre | Gym-in-a-Basket available in-room, daily yoga classes, myriad water sports, including stand-up paddle boarding, sea kayaking, snorkelling, scuba diving, and Hobie water experiences |
| Conference facilities | No |
| Weddings and blessings | Can be arranged, please consult your preferred Travel Specialist |
| Wheelchair accessibility | Not recommended |
| Complimentary laundry service | Yes |
| Beyond Beach Shop | Yes |

DINING

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|------------------------|---|
| Food / Dietary options | Kosher food not available. Halaal and other special dietary requests are available. Please book in advance |
| Private butler service | Yes |
| Plated service | Yes |
| Private dining | Yes |

DISCOVER ZANZIBAR
Beyond Mnemba Island

Inclusions

RATE INCLUDES

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|---|---|
| Accommodation | ✓ |
| Three meals daily | ✓ |
| Soft drinks, house wines, local brand spirits and beers, teas and coffees, and refreshments during activities | ✓ |
| Experiences: Water sports (including scuba diving (2 dives per day – full PADI certification required), snorkelling, stand-up paddle boarding, sea kayaking, Hobie sea pedal kayaking, Hobie pedal boarding, and Hobie sailing), artificial reef structure exploration, catch-and-release fishing from the island, sunset dhow cruise, sand flats picnics, island conservation tour, green turtle conservation and daily yoga classes (group) | ✓ |
| WILDchild programme | ✓ |
| Laundry | ✓ |
| Fast track meet-and-greet service at Zanzibar International Airport | ✓ |
| Return transfers between Zanzibar and Mnemba Island | ✓ |
| Emergency evacuation insurance | ✓ |

RATE EXCLUDES

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| All items of personal nature | ✗ |
| Champagne, cognacs, fine wines, premium brand spirits, and cigars | ✗ |
| Experiences: PADI scuba diving courses (diving instructors for guests under the age of 12-years and adults without a PADI certificate), private dhow cruise, Spice Island tour, History of Stone Town walking tour, coral nursery experience, coral reef frame project, Wild Impact community visit, deep sea fishing (subject to availability), wellness treatments, and private yoga sessions | ✗ |
| Weddings and blessings | ✗ |
| Beyond Beach Shop purchases | ✗ |
| Gratuities | ✗ |
| Administration fees | ✗ |
| Telephone calls | ✗ |
| Infrastructure tax and conservation levy | ✗ |
| Park fees and government charges may apply. Please speak to your Travel Consultant for more details | ✗ |
| Travel Insurance | ✗ |

All experiences are subject to availability and weather dependent.

NOTE: Unmanned Aerial Vehicles: Please be advised that the use of unmanned aerial vehicles (drones) is prohibited in the conservation areas where we operate, until such a time as their impact on wildlife and anti-poaching initiatives can be assessed. This rule will apply throughout Africa, as our partners in various countries and regions have adopted a similar stance.





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Beach Bandas



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Beyond Mnemba Island Accommodation

Exclusive barefoot luxury

The island offers 12 rustic palm-frond Bandas tucked into a tropical forest fringed by a white coral sand beach. Relax and unwind on your own stretch of beachfront.



BANDA BEACHSIDE BLISS



PRIVATE OPEN-AIR LOUNGE



SPACIOUS EN SUITE BATHROOM

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BANDA

11 beachside Bandas / Max. 2 guests per Banda

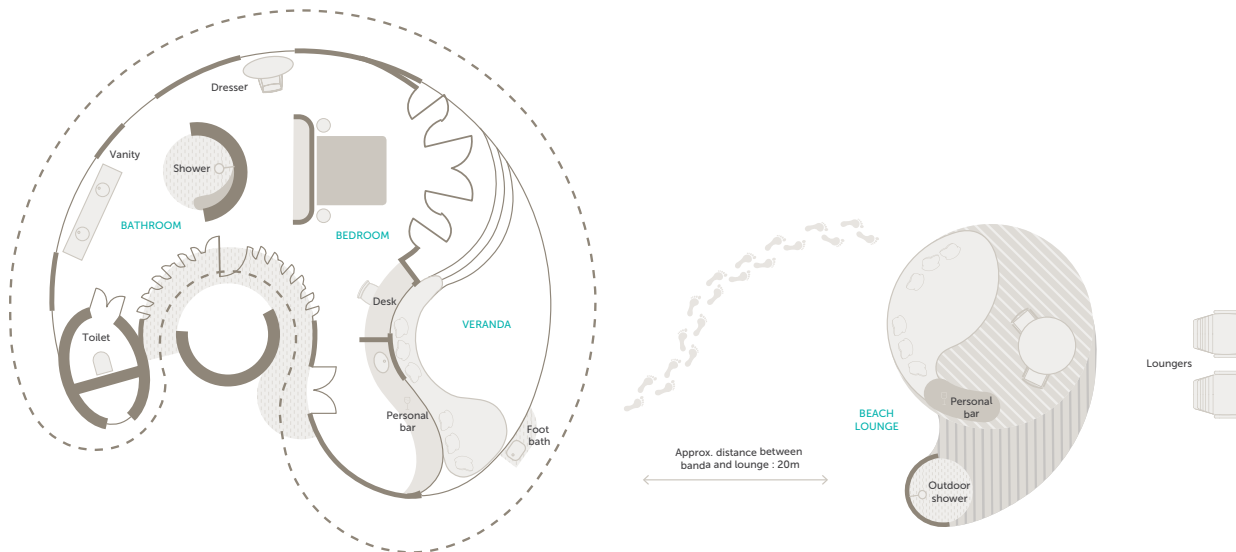


INTIMATE ISLAND CHARM

Mirroring the spiraling form of the nautilus seashell, each Banda enthuses tranquillity. Opalescent colours with dusty pink hues are elegantly framed, paying homage to the ocean's precious coral. Cultural traditions infuse understated luxury, with locally sourced brass, marble, ceramics, and Omani antiques, creating a vibrant space immersed in natural elegance.

ROOM FACILITIES

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| Room size | 126 m ² (1 356 ft ²) |
| Private veranda | Yes, as well as private Beach Lounge with ocean views |
| Private plunge pool | No, ocean front |
| Personal bar | Yes |
| Personal coffee station | Yes |
| Air conditioning / heating | No |
| Overhead fans | Yes |
| Mosquito nets | Yes |
| Marshall music player | Yes |
| Bath | No |
| Indoor shower | Yes |
| Outdoor shower | Yes, at Beach Lounge |
| Separate WC | Yes |
| Telephone | In-room telephones are available, with intermittent GSM mobile reception |
| Hairdryer | Yes |
| Internet access | Yes |
| In-room safe | Yes |
| Plug type | 220V AC (plug points in rooms) Plug type G British – BS 1363 |
| Twin bed option | Yes, however, beds are within the same bedframe |
| Double bed option | Yes |
| Wheelchair accessibility | Not recommended |



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FAMILY BANDA

1 beachside Family Banda / Max. 2 adults and 2 children

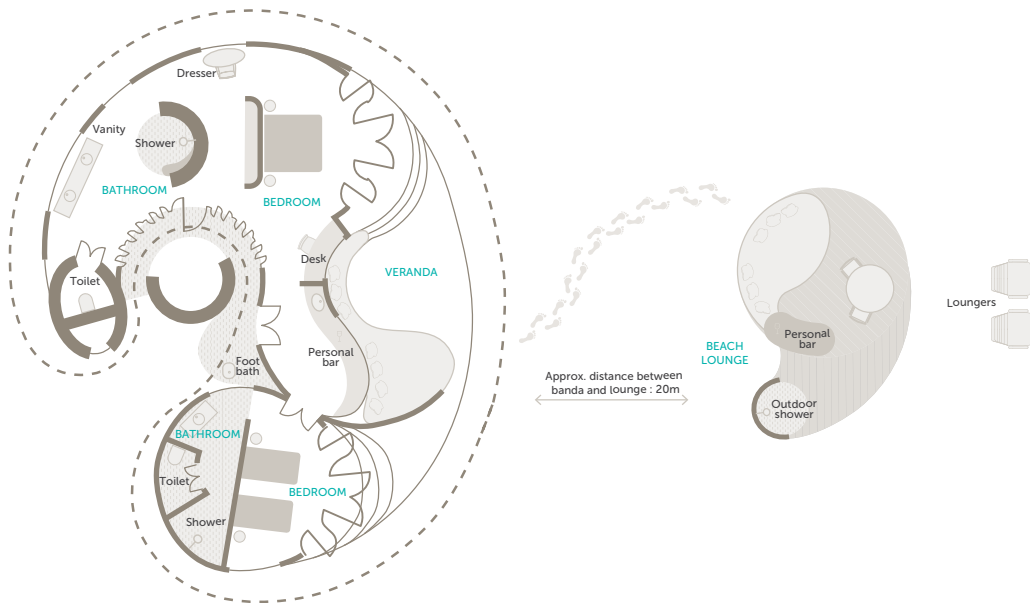


AN ISLAND FAMILY RETREAT

Alongside the comforts and elegance of a regular Banda, the Family Banda boasts an additional smaller ensuite room perfect for children. Curated as the ideal space for an unforgettable family island escape, this spacious haven offers the perfect balance between shared bonding moments and essential privacy.

ROOM FACILITIES

| | |
|----------------------------|--|
| Room size | 180 m ² (1 938 ft ²) |
| Private veranda | Yes, as well as private Beach Lounge with ocean views |
| Private plunge pool | No, ocean front |
| Personal bar | Yes |
| Personal coffee station | Yes |
| Air conditioning / heating | No |
| Overhead fans | Yes |
| Mosquito nets | Yes |
| Marshall music player | Yes |
| Bath | No |
| Indoor shower | Yes |
| Outdoor shower | Yes, at Beach Lounge |
| Separate WC | Yes |
| Telephone | In-room telephones are available, with intermittent GSM mobile reception |
| Hairdryer | Yes |
| Internet access | Yes |
| In-room safe | Yes |
| Plug type | 220V AC (plug points in rooms) Plug type G British – BS 1363 |
| Twin bed option | Yes, however, beds are within the same bedframe |
| Double bed option | Yes |
| Wheelchair accessibility | Not recommended |



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