

## Stingray - The Ship

Stingray is a solid wooden boat and combines traditional Maldivian boat-building with modern engineering. 9 comfortable cabins (4 with double and 5 with twin beds) are all equipped with air conditioning and en-suite hot-water showers. All cabins offer external portholes.

**Check out our newest video below!**



### Technical Details

Construction Year: 2002  
Length: 101 ft.  
Width: 29 ft.  
Cruising Speed: 11 knots  
Nautical Equipment: GPS, Radio, GSM  
Water Supply: On board desalination plant  
Power: 230V / 24h from 2 generators  
Dinghy: 56 ft. dive dhoni with air compressor, fully equipped for scuba diving  
Extra Diving boat (Dhoni): 40 HP Outboarder

### Language spoken on Board:

English

### Features:

Recliners  
Onboard bar

### Emergency Equipment:

First aid box, medical oxygen, fire extinguishers, life vests

### Additional Information:

#### Stingray video May 2013

**Internet** can be available via 3G and via dongle (charges of upto \$20 per week). The connection speed however cannot be guaranteed - given the boat will be on sea and may travel in areas where satellite signal is not picked up.

A charging station is provided on the main deck, 220volts / 24h  
Adapters are available  
Power sockets in all rooms

Saloon features a TV, Video, DVD, HiFi and comfortable Bar

Deck features sun recliners, mattresses and partial rooves.

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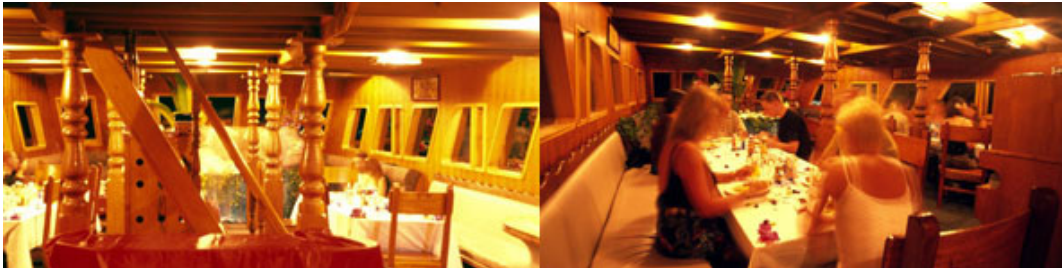
## Stingray - Rooms

Nine comfortable, air-conditioned double cabins, each with external portholes are located on the lower deck. All cabins have a private en-suite shower (hot water) and toilet. Four double and five twin bed cabins are available.



### Rooms:

Number of Rooms: 9  
Air Conditioning: Yes  
Exterior Windows: Yes  
En-Suite: Yes  
Hot Water Shower: Yes  
Power supply: Yes  
Room Service: Yes  
Towel Service: Yes



### Additional Information:

Charging sockets 220 volts / 24h are available in all rooms adapters are provided

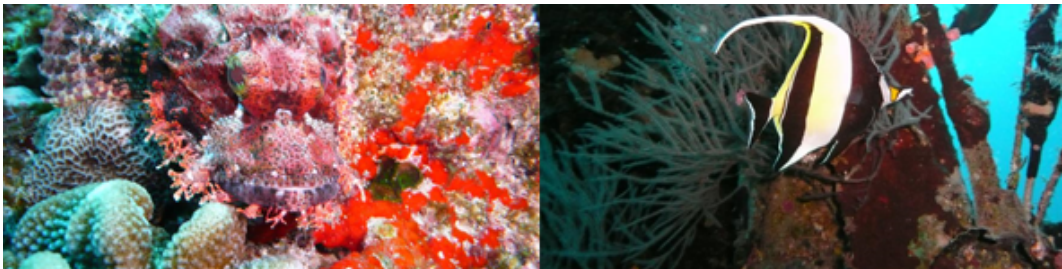
## Stingray - Diving

It is our goal to show you the most beautiful dive sites of the Maldives. To do that, we need to take seasonal conditions, available time and weather forecasts into account. Please trust our experienced crew to choose the best possible route and to maximize the liveaboard's advantage of mobility in every situation. Fixed routes would mean to ignore the insider knowledge offered by our crews. At the beginning of every safari a rough route will be announced, followed by daily, more detailed briefings about the next day's route. Before every dive you will be thoroughly briefed and shown a map of the dive spot.



### Diving:

Guided Dives: Yes  
PADI Instructor: Yes  
PADI Courses: Yes  
Dives per Day: 3  
Enos System: Yes  
Dive Dhoni: Yes  
Equipment Rental: Yes



### Important Information for diving guests:

- Please remember to bring your logbook and diving certificate.
- A medical diving fitness check is recommended, but not compulsory.
- The first dive is always a so-called check-dive, which is compulsory for all divers.
- Dives are guided by an experienced PADI instructor and a dive master.
- Experienced divers can dive independently after the check dive.
- PADI courses can be held (please pre-book)
- Diving equipment is kept on the accompanying dive vessel (Dhoni)
- Oxygen, a DAN emergency case and a mobile phone are available on the Dhoni in case of emergency.
- Compressors are stored on the Dhoni, meaning that there is no noise pollution for guests on the liveaboard while bottles are re-filled between dives.
- All divers must adhere to the Maldivian diving regulations: no decompression dives, always stay with your dive buddy, never dive deeper than 30m if you are a PADI Advanced Open Water Diver (or equivalent) and never dive deeper than 18m if you are a PADI Open Water Diver (or equivalent).
- The last dive will be offered 24hrs before the end of the cruise.
- The use of a diving computer is compulsory.
- English is the official language on board.
- A 21-day DAN diving insurance policy can be obtained on board.
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During a 7-night cruise there are 17 dives, during a 14-night cruise there are 35 dives

## **Route:**

It is our aim to show you the most beautiful dive spots in the Maldives. In order to do this, it is necessary to adapt our routes according to the season, available time and current weather reports. That is why our ships do not follow fixed routes, but rather tailor each safari route to make the best possible dive trip. Please trust our experienced crews to choose the right route; every ship's crew has years of experience in diving in the Maldives and they know how to make the most out of each cruise. At the start of each safari, a rough route will be confirmed, followed by daily briefings on what specific dive sites will be visited. Before each dive, you will be thoroughly briefed and shown a map of the dive site.

## **Required dive certification:**

The minimum requirement is a PADI Open Water Diver certificate or equivalent, which will allow you to dive to a maximum of 18m. This is the depth when a lot of the best dive sites begin to be really interesting, which is why we encourage our guests to obtain a PADI Advanced Open Water Diver certificate or equivalent before or during the cruise. This will allow you to dive to a maximum of 30m and fully explore the Maldives' best dive spots. Divers who have not dived for a while can do a PADI Scuba Review course to refresh their skills.

**Lost diver tracking** system available on board

## Stingray - Service

MS Stingray offers excellent service and comfort. You will find music, video and DVD facilities in the saloon as well as a large sofa beside the dining tables. Books, playing cards and various board games are available.



### Service:

TV / DVD / HiFi in Salon: Yes

Fishing Gear: Yes

Island Visits: Yes

Beach Barbeque: Yes

Male Visit: Yes

Internet: Yes

Onboard payment options:



### Stingray offer - included in price:

- Accommodation in air conditioned cabins with outside window, en-suite shower (hot water) and WC. Daily cleaning. Towels provided.
- Full board meals: breakfast and lunch buffet. Dinner: Starter and salad buffet, main meal and desserts are served.
- Tea, coffee and chilled water (desalinated) are available free of charge at all times.
- Up to 3 guided dives per day including one night dive per week (one week 17 dives, two weeks 35 dives)
- Snacks will be served after every dive
- Tanks: 12 lt Aluminium DIN/INT, lead belts, security balloon, extra diving boat, instructor and dive guide (Padi), 15lt Aluminium cylinders can be ordered (US\$ 10 per day)
- Use of fishing gear- local style, including hook, fishing line, weight and baits.
- Island hopping, snorkelling service and pick-nick on uninhabited island (depending on actual weather and availability of uninhabited island).
- Male visit (sightseeing and shopping in Maldives capital) is offered on last day evening
- Airport Meet and Greet, transfer Airport Male to and from the boat on cruise start and end days, until noon.

**check in time:** about 09:00 am - meeting point is Male airport exit of arrival hall.

**check out time:** latest 09:00 am AM - transfer back to Male airport

In case your flight arrives later on cruise start day, please contact us for individual transfer arrangements.



# Stingray Liveaboard

[www.maldivesdivetravel.com/viewshipdetail/Stingray](http://www.maldivesdivetravel.com/viewshipdetail/Stingray)

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## Stingray - Food

It never ceases to amaze our guests what delicious meals Stingray`s experienced chefs create in the confined space of a ship kitchen. Stingray`s many regular guests are great fans of the Sri Lankanese chef. All meals are served as buffets and, naturally, freshly prepared. The menu offers a wide choice of European and Asian food. If possible, the chef will cater for special dietary requirements (please let us know when you book).



**Food:**  
Full Board



### **Additional information:**

The bar is located in the spacious salon and offers chilled drought beer, a choice of excellent wines, cocktails and other alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages. Drinks at the bar are not included in the package price.

Afternoon snacks such as sandwiches and cakes are included in the package price.

Tea, coffee and chilled water are available at all times.



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We are happy to answer your questions!

**We speak English and German.**



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## Available Cruises

Available cruise dates and prices as per day of printing this brochure: August 21, 2018, 2:40 pm

Date	Nights	Free beds	Rate p.n.	Total p.p.
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Please note, cruise dates and prices are subject to change withouth further notice.