the Remote Resort
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*Welcome. We're thrilled to have you here with us and want to offer you the following tips and information to make your stay most enjoyable*

## COCONUTS

The resort is built on a former coconut plaintation so please beware of falling coconuts and stay on the path whenever possible.

## POWER & TORCHES

We enjoy 24 hour power using multiple generators. To rest, maintain and re-fuel our generators we switch between machines approximately 3-4 times per day so if you notice the power go off briefly this is a changeover. Very occassionally we need to do the kind of maintenance that requires us to turn off all generators. We will endeavour to call you in advance before such an outage. If you haven't heard from us and experience a power outage in your villa please call us on 8307909 as this may be specific to your villa. There are torches in your villa - please bring them to dinner to guide you home. The torches are dive torches so are also for your use if you join our night snorkel.

## WATER

All of our roofs catch rain water, we run a pipeline to a natural spring five kilometres away and we have desalinator machines to turn seawater into fresh water. All of our water goes through a full UV filter process making it drinking-quality water but for visitors we always recommend the bottled water provided complimentary. The bottled water will be replenished in your villa each day and is also available any time from the Bar. Bottled water is used for the mixing of all Kava at the resort.

## BLUE COCONUT

We will ring the bell or shake the shell jar on your steps before visiting your villa for service. If you prefer not to be disturbed, simply place the blue coconut on the steps of your villa.

## PHONE US

The phone is for your use to call us during your stay for anything you need. There are numbers stored in the phone for the Restaurant (804 8174), Housekeeping (976 4968), **Spa & Experience Bookings & Resort Manager (830 7909).**

## MEALS & ROOM SERVICE

Breakfast is from 7am-9.30am
Lunch from 11am-1.30pm
Dinner from 6pm-8.30pm
Call us from 7am – 7pm for room service (804 8174)

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We do our best to ensure all guests experience each of our special dining locations during their stay, with priority for special occasions such as weddings and birthdays. Should you have any special requests for dining locations please make these with our Managers and they will do their best to arrange these during your stay.

## HOUSEKEEPING

We offer daily villa cleaning and nightly turndown. For stays over three nights all linen and towels are changed halfway through your stay but if you'd like fresh towels or linen at any time please call our Houseekeeping team (976 4968).

## LAUNDRY

There are laundry bags hanging in your closet, please call us for pick up (976 4968). We endeavor to return your laundry within 24 hours. USD$10 per bag.

## MOSQUITOS

If mosquitos bother you during your stay please let us know and we will set up mosquito coils on your deck and bathroom and refresh them during the day. The restaurant also have coils available, just ask. We provide complimentary aeroguard spray in your villa and Pure Fiji lemongrass natural spray is available for purchase from the boutique.

## INTERNET

Internet is available in the Main Pavilion Restaurant & Bar and is complimentary. Please ask for a password at the bar. We have preloaded pocket wifi devices available to rent for USD$20 per night for up to 8GB of data per day across up to 5 devices.

## SNORKELING, KAYAKING & SWIMMING

For your own safety please do not go snorkeling, swimming or kayaking without letting one of our team know.

## TIPPING & STAFF ETIQUETTE

Tipping is neither required nor expected in Fiji. However, if you'd like to leave a tip for the Remote Staff we will add this to the Staff Christmas Fund. You can do this by adding cash or a credit card charge onto your folio before departure. Please do not offer the Remote team any alcohol during your stay or upon your departure. Our liquor licencing and employment contracts do not permit our team to store or drink alcohol.

## BOUTIQUE ITEMS

In the loft in the Main Pavilion you can find a small selection of items for purchase including sunscreen, toiletries, first aid supplies, medicines and gift items. These can be added to your folio.

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## COMPLIMENTARY INCLUSIONS

Bottled water, french press coffee and tea are available in your villa or from the restaurant, with our compliments.

Wifi is available complimentary in the bar/restaurant.

Complimentary resort activites include snorkel gear, kayaks, SUP, volleyball, hike to the peak, weekly village visit, weekly coconut & pina colada show and weekly chef's cooking demo (see schedule attached to your welcome letter for the days and times of these weekly experiences).

## EXPERIENCE BOOKINGS

Our Managers are available to help you plan your stay and to offer tips and suggestions based on the tides, weather and your preferences.

Please see our **weekly experiences schedule** included in your welcome letter and let us know what you're interested in joining. Excursions are available outside of this schedule subject to boat availability at the listed price (Ultimate Experience upgrade applies only to the scheduled excursion times).

Please note that **dive** bookings have a 24 hour cancellation policy (8am the day before). Last minute dive bookings can be made up to 4pm the day prior (subject to availability).

For **spa** bookings please call 830 7909 to make your bookings and feel free to note if you have a preference for a particular spa attendant.

Experience bookings phone 830 7909.

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# DESIGN YOUR OWN AN ALL-INCLUSIVE STAY

Please visit us at the Bar if you'd like to purchase any Ultimate upgrades on your day of arrival.

Any upgrades to Ultimate must be purchased for all nights of your booking, regardless of arrival and departure times.

Alternatively, you are welcome to choose from our menus a la carte.

## ULTIMATE GOURMET

Ultimate Gourmet includes all meals during your stay, including our snacks and picnic menus.

If chosen, Ultimate Gourmet must be added for all persons in the villa for every night of their booking.

**USD$120 per person, per night including tax**

## ULTIMATE SPA

Ultimate Spa includes your choice of one 60-minute spa treatment per night, starting on your day of arrival.

If chosen, the Ultimate Spa must be paid for every night of your booking. Ultimate Spa is transferrable between persons in the same villa and multiples may be purchased.

**USD$45 per person, per night including tax**

## ULTIMATE EXPERIENCES

Ultimate Experiences includes all of the experiences on the weekly schedule attached to your welcome letter in your villa.

If chosen, Ultimate Experience must be paid for every night of your booking. It does not have to be purchased for all persons in the villa. Ultimate Experiences is not transferrable between persons.

**USD$63 per person, per night including tax**

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# UPGRADE TO ULTIMATE BAR

Enjoy unlimited selections of the following beverages from the bar or your minibar.

If chosen, Ultimate Bar must be added for all persons in the villa for every night of their booking.
Alcoholic beverages are only for persons 18 years+

**USD$63 per person, per night (18 years+), USD$31 per person, per night (up to 17 years)**

## Breakfast Cocktails

Mimosa

Bloody Mary

## Cocktail of the Day

Please see the blackboard behind the bar for the Cocktail of the Day

## House Sparkling & White Wines

Trapiche Rose Sparkling Wine, Chile

Sileni Cellar Selection, Sauvignon Blanc, New Zealand

Sileni Cellar Selection, Chardonnay, New Zealand

Sileni Cellar Selection, Pinot Gris, New Zealand

## Non-alcoholic Beverages

All non-alcoholic beverages are also included – fresh and bottled juices, soft drinks, smoothies, sparkling and still bottled water, espresso, cappuccino, latte, mocktails, etc

## House Red Wines

Sileni Cellar Selection Pinot Noir, New Zealand

Sileni Cellar Selection Merlot, New Zealand

## Local Beers

Fiji Bitter

Fiji Gold

Fiji Premium

Vonu

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"Two roads diverged in a wood, and

I –

I took the one less traveled by,

And that has made all the difference."

- ROBERT FROST

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# WELCOME TO THE REMOTE RESORT

## MENU OF EXPERIENCES

The Remote Signature experiences have been custom-crafted to celebrate the best the Rainbow Reef has to offer. The experiences offered each day are dependent upon the weather, tides, boat availability and local happenings. For every experience we will pack towels and bottled water for you. For your safety on the boat please do not enter the water before your snorkel guide completes your safety briefing and the captain gives the all-clear to enter the water.

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# RESORT EXPERIENCES

## HIKE TO THE PEAK

You can get to the Peak by walking over the path that heads up over the hill (the road is beside the main pavilion). Keep going on this path past the staff quarters and at the very top of the hill before it starts going down to the back bay you will see a path off to the right. Take this path and head along the ridgeline to the peak where you'll find some chairs to take a break and enjoy the view. We recommend joggers. The walk to the peak only takes about 15 minutes but is a steep incline before the ridgeline.

*Complimentary*

## HOUSE REEF SNORKEL (OFF-JETTY)

The house reef stretches the full length of the resort. Take off and return from the jetty. Snorkel gear is available at the firepit deck for your use. For your safety please let one of our team know before you snorkel the house reef. If you're a beginner one of our team will be happy to give you an introduction and snorkel with you.

*Complimentary*

## KAYAK / SUP

Kayaks and SUP's are available for your use. The best spot to get on them at any tide is the jetty. Please let us know before you go kayaking and wear life jackets for your safety. We recommend turning right from the resort and exploring Sau Bay next door or turning left and heading into our Back bay. For when it is too rough for sea-kayaking out the front our Back Bay is often still very calm. We can move the kayaks to the back for you and you can walk over the hill to the back when you're ready, just ask.

*Complimentary*

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# RESORT EXPERIENCES

## WEEKLY COCONUT & PINA COLADA SHOW

The Remote team is delighted to present a Coconut 101 where we will show you the many ways the humble coconut tree is used in everyday Fiji life. The show begins with the creation of our very own Remote Pina Colada with pineapples freshly picked from the garden and coconut milk fresh from the tree.

*Please see the weekly schedule for day and time. Complimentary*

## WEEKLY CHEF'S COOKING DEMONSTRATION

Learn the key local ingredients and cooking techniques of the islands with our local Chefs.

*Please see the weekly schedule for day and time. Complimentary*

## WEEKLY VILLAGE VISIT

Vunikura Village is a remote and traditional Fijian village. We take a weekly visit to Vunikura Village to partake in the traditional Meke performance. Females need to wear clothing that covers their shoulders and knees to show respect for the local customs/culture. Hats and sunglasses should be removed before entering the village. The resort makes a donation to the village for this visit so no donations from guests are necessary.

*Please see the weekly schedule for day and time. Complimentary*

*A private Village tour to Vunikura Village outside of the weekly schedule is available for USD$50 except Sundays*

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# SIGNATURE EXPERIENCES

## RAINBOW REEF SNORKEL TOUR

A guided snorkel tour on the Rainbow reef, the soft coral capital of the world and home to over 25 dive and snorkel sites featuring colorful fish and marine life in warm, tropical waters. Two sites will be chosen on the day based on conditions. *2.5 hours*

*USD95 per person **
*(* Included in upgrade to Ultimate Experiences at day/time per weekly schedule)*

## TAVEUNI INSIDER DAY TRIP

The day begins with a 30 minute boat ride over to Taveuni. The Taveuni Insider includes:

The **180 degree Meridian line**. The date line runs right through Taveuni meaning that each new day starts exactly here.

A 1 hour drive to the **Bouma Waterfalls**. The scenic drive will take you along the coastline of Taveuni past the airport and through Bouma village. At the heritage park you will see the entrance to the trail which will guide you through the rainforest full of rare tropical birds and island foliage. The walk to the first waterfall is 10 minutes and generally flat. The second and third waterfalls are a medium-steep incline but are well worth it for the views if you have time (at a good pace the 2nd falls is 40 minutes and the 3rd falls is another 1.5 hours).

**Waitavala Natural waterslide**. This rockslide is a natural wonder of Taveuni. It is best visited at times of the year when there is high rainfall and also on the weekend and school holidays when the Fijian kids are there to show you how it's done.

Cost includes boat and car transport, guide, park entrance fees.

*USD175 per person **
*(* Included in upgrade to Ultimate Experiences at day/time per weekly schedule)*

*The Bouma Waterfall trip is also available on your day of departure if you have the afternoon flight from Taveuni USD63 per person * Please note that in this case we will not be able to send towels with you.*

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# SIGNATURE EXPERIENCES

## HIDDEN BEACH CASTAWAY DAY

The hidden beach is just around the corner from the resort into the back bay. It has a coral-sand beach and reef right off shore. Select your lunch from our picnic menu and let us know what drinks you'd like and we'll drop you off with your picnic at 11am. Pack your snorkel gear and reef shoes. We'll be back to pick you up by boat between 2.30 and 3pm. Exclusive use for one villa per day.

*USD50 per villa **
*(* Included in upgrade to Ultimate Experiences at day/time per weekly schedule)*

## KIOA ISLAND SNORKEL TOUR

Opposite the resort is the Island of Kioa which offers a number of snorkel sites including Black Magic, Liz's reef and Vunikura Marine Park. Each Kioa snorkel includes two snorkel sites chosen based on the conditions on the day. *1.5 hours*.

Option to add Kioa beach castaway picnic (see castaway section)

*USD45 per person **
*(* Included in upgrade to Ultimate Experiences at day/time per weekly schedule)*

## KIOA ISLAND BEACHES CASTAWAY DAY

Kioa Island features many beaches perfect for castaway beach picnics within 15-25 minutes from the resort. All have beaches with a mix of sand and coral and some have house reefs off the shore. We will drop each villa on a separate beach and while these are not private beaches to the resort, the beaches on Kioa Island are quite remote and most often you'll enjoy the entire beach to yourself.

*USD90 per villa; or USD50 per villa if added to Kioa Snorkel tour **
*(* Included in upgrade to Ultimate Experiences at day/time per weekly schedule)*
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# SIGNATURE EXPERIENCES

## NUKUNI SNORKEL TOUR

The Nukuni Bay area stretches in front of the resort for approximately 1 kilometre and includes Christmas Reef and Palette Reef. *1 hour.*

*USD45 per person **
*(* Included in upgrade to Ultimate Experiences at day/time per weekly schedule)*

## NIGHT SNORKEL

Did you know some of the most amazing underwater happenings are at night? Grab your villa torch and join the team for an unforgettable night snorkel on the house reef. Meet at the Jetty with your snorkel gear. *30 minutes*

*USD35 per person **
*(* Included in upgrade to Ultimate Experiences at day/time per weekly schedule)*

## MANTA RAY SNORKEL TOUR

Snorkeling with the Manta Rays just off Rabi Island is a breathtaking experience. This opportunity is time-specific as the mantas feed on plankton being carried by the strong current at the changing tide. The boat ride is approximately 40 minutes followed by a lot of jumping in and out of the water to catch a glimpse of the Mantas. Kindly refrain from touching the Manta Rays. *3 hours.*

*Seasonal May - October*
*USD140 per person **
*(* Included in upgrade to Ultimate Experiences at day/time per weekly schedule)*

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# SIGNATURE EXPERIENCES

## DUKUNIBAR WATER POOLS & RED ROCK BEACH

Located approximately 40 minutes by boat from the resort, Dukunibar is a very remote, boat-only-access village that is home to just 40 residents. Following a 10 minute hike up the hill behind the village (medium difficulty due to unclear path and slippery rocks) you'll find cascading water pools. After a refreshing dip in the fresh water we'll rejoin the boat for a short ride to Red Rock beach to enjoy the swimmable beach there. Please note that this is a shared beach experience but with three expansive stretches of beach to enjoy you will still be able to walk and find your own piece of paradise. *5 hours.*

*Seasonal November – March*
*USD95 per person **
*(* Included in upgrade to Ultimate Experiences at day/time per weekly schedule)*

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# PREMIUM EXPERIENCES

## DIVING

There are over 25+ dive sites in the Rainbow Reef region and the specific sites for each day will be decided by the dive master based on the tide, currents and conditions.

Pre-booked diving is subject to a 24-hour cancellation policy (8am the day prior). Last-minute dive bookings (up to 4pm the day prior) are subject to availability of space on the dive boats.

## CERTIFIED DIVERS

2-tank dive on the Rainbow Reef (8am- approx. 12.30pm)

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| 1 Day | USD$199 per person + optional gear rental USD$19 per person per day |
| 2 Days | USD$386 per person + optional gear rental USD$19 per person per day |
| 3 Days | USD$560 per person + optional gear rental USD$19 per person per day |
| 4 Days | USD$721 per person + optional gear rental USD$19 per person per day |
| 5 Days | USD$870 per person + optional gear rental USD$19 per person per day |
| 6 Days | USD$1,007 per person + optional gear rental USD$19 per person per day |

Optional gear rental is USD$19 per person, per day and includes BCD, Regulator, Wetsuit, Dive Computer, Mask/Fins

## DISCOVER SCUBA & PADI DIVE COURSES

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| **Discover Scuba** (orientation to scuba diving, followed by 1 ocean dive. 4-5hrs) | USD185 |
| **2-tank dive (non-certified diver)** following a Discover Scuba course you may continue to dive with the same dive group to a depth of 12 metres, accompanied by Instructor. Includes gear rental | USD270 |
| **PADI Open Water Referral** (Incl 4 dives. PADI e-learning and confined water/pool sessions completed before arrival) | USD427 |

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# PREMIUM EXPERIENCES

## REMOTE FISHING CHARTER

The Somosomo straits and outlying areas feature Marlin, Sailfish, Wahoo, Walu, Mahi-mahi, Ginat Trevally, Barracuda, Skipjack Tuna, Dogtooth Tuna and Yellow fin Tuna.

Join our team for a shot at the big one on one of the resort boats fully-equipped for fishing (outriggers, rods, reels, game chair, lures, etc). Subject to availability of boat and fishing guide.

*3 to 5 hours USD375 per villa; 5 to 8 hours USD500 per villa*

## PROFESSIONAL FISHING CHARTER

Fishing Charter with Professional Fisherman John Llanes and Sea Dancer

The Sea Dancer is a custom-built fiberglass that offers versatility for all angling techniques. Length Overall 32ft (10 meters). Beam: 9 ft. or 2.8 meters. Enclosed Cabin includes a V-Berth and Head. Engine, Electronics, and Safety- 2014 150hp Yamaha. Electronics include GPS, Depth recorder and Fish Finder.

Outfitted with- Reelax Fighting Chair to accommodate big game fishermen that is removable for a flush deck for those anglers that prefer a large casting platform for light tackle or fly fishing. Safety Bow rail for sight casting.

Fishing Gear- 2- 130's Shimano, 4- 50's Shimano and Penn, 2- 80's Shimano, 8 Shimano Casting rods and reels. Bucket Seat for fighting chair, stand up fighting belt, flying and stick gaffs, 10 Rod holders and Outriggers. For Popping, Jigging, Fly Fishermen and Blue Water Hunters bring your own fishing outfits.

John Llanes has fished commercially and professionally. He is an all-round fisherman for Big Game, light tackle, reef, and shoreline fishing.

*Half Day (up to 4 hours) USD850; Full Day (8 hours) USD1,435*

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# RENEWAL OF VOWS CEREMONY

How time flies! Celebrate everything you've done together with a very special and intimate ceremony and celebration made for two, including:

Ceremony location on the jetty, main beach at the resort or peak at sunset (approx. 6pm depending on the time of year)

A bouquet and buttonhole (seasonal, tropical flowers)

An eternity circle of flowers

A renewal ceremony performed by a member of the Remote team

A team member to take photographs (your camera)

A bottle of sparkling wine and
single tier renewal cake.

*USD250*

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# the remote spa

*Spa experiences are provided on your villa deck or inside your villa. We recommend wearing your bathing suit (bottom only) underneath a towel or sarong/sulu tied at the back.*

## Ultimate Spa

Ultimate Spa includes your choice of one 60-minute spa treatment every day of your stay, starting with your day of arrival.

USD45 per person, per night
*If chosen, Ultimate Spa must be added for every night of your booking*

## Massage

*This soothing massage is aimed to release stress and tension from your body using the Fijian bobo techniques and pure aromatic essential oils.*
30 minutes USD38
60 minutes USD75

## Pure Fiji Facial (60 minutes)

*Boost dehydrated skin with Pure Fiji scrub, masque and serum. This blend will rejuvenate and nourish skin.*

USD75

## Sugar Glow (60 mins)

*With naturally occurring alpha hydroxy agents in raw sugar cane, combined with the deep moisturizing and nourishing properties of cold-pressed virgin coconut and drift nut oils, this natural body polishing treatment enhances your skin's own natural rejuvenation.*

USD75

## Coconut Body Scrub (60 minutes)

*Restore your skin to a healthy glow with this exfoliating and hydrating treatment using Pure Fiji's coconut scrub.*

USD75

## Dilo (pronounced dee-lo) Body Wrap (60 minutes)

*Known as 'the tree of a thousand virtues', Dilo enhances the skin's own repair mechanism and soothes pain from sunburn.*

USD75

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# LATE DEPARTURES

If you'd like to stay at the resort until you need to go the airport for your flight you are more than welcome! Please check out of your villa by 10am (give us a call to collect your luggage when it's ready). Your boat will depart the resort 2.5 hours prior to your flight departure time for Taveuni or 3 hours prior to your flight departure time for Savusavu to ensure you are at the airport before domestic check in closes (1 hour prior to departure).

If you'd prefer to squeeze in an extra adventure on Taveuni Island or in Savusavu we can arrange departure between 9 and 10am depending upon boat availability.

For lunch in Taveuni, we recommend Tramonto or Aroha. For lunch in Savusavu, we recommend the cafes at the Copra shed. Fees apply for additional taxi fare and waiting time and these must be paid direct to driver in cash (we can give you a quote beforehand).

For both Taveuni and Savusavu departures, remember you need to be at the airport at least 1 hour before your flight as this is when domestic check in closes.

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