

## Sailing in Mauritius

Explore the sea around Mauritius Island. Being a small island surrounded by a vast ocean, a large part of the daily life in Mauritius takes place on the sea. These marine activities, necessary and life sustaining in the old days, are relaxing and sportive highlights for the visitors of today. Skilled captains take you out at sea around the main isle or to some of the outer islands like Flat Island or Ile aux Phares, where you can swim, dive, snorkel, climb, explore or enjoy a delicious BBQ lunch meal. We offer various types of cruises, from daytrips in small pirogues (traditional fishing boats), leisure catamarans to entire weekends or romantic nights under the stars on deluxe catamarans or even a historic cruise on a two-mast schooner built in 1852. Catamaran tours of various sizes (capacity from 12 to 45 persons) are offered on an individual basis. There are trips for all – from family orientated to partygoers and fun lovers, we offer large catamarans hosting up to 45 persons or Pirate cruises with traditional Sega music and Mauritian barbecue on board. Do you want to share the boat with others or want it exclusively for your group of friends, your family, your honeymoon or wedding? Whatever you're up to and however you want the cruise to be – inform us and we shall arrange it. The choice is yours! A few samples of cruises provided by Maurisun Full day Pirate Cruise in the Southeast (max 20 passengers) Enjoy an unforgettable day at sea! Visit the nicest places in the southern lagoon on board the "Flor de la Mar". Swim in the lagoon, get a tan on the beach, and snorkel in a dreamlike underwater-world (snorkelling equipment provided). Along the way, you will visit the Grand River Southeast waterfalls, a main attraction, especially during wintertime when the water level is high. In summer, the cruise takes you to the outer islands through the crystal clear waters of the Lagoon off Vieux Grand Port. This area harbours many historic sites and provides you with a view on Mauritius from a different angle. The fact that only few tourist boats visit the islands regularly makes this the perfect spot to feel the magic and charm of the Mauritian South. Romantic and passionate Sega songs will accompany you on the way home. Departure: East coast from 09h30 with return around 16h00. Full day Dolphin Cruise to Ilot Benitier (max 25 passengers) Sail on a catamaran along the west coast from Le Morne to Tamarin Bay, watching dolphins and snorkelling on the reef or going for a picnic to the nearby island Ilot Benitier. Departure: west coast from Black River or Le Morn at 09h30, with return around 16h00. Full day cruise to Flat Island (12 - 45 passengers) Set sail from Grand Bay to the most visited island of the North. Motors are used when there is no wind or if it's blowing from the wrong direction. Drinks & snacks are served on board. On Flat Island, the passengers have the opportunity to explore the island, snorkel in the lagoon or just enjoy the beach. In the meantime the crew will prepare lunch, which will be served at 1 o'clock. Wine will be offered with lunch and coffee with the dessert. Afterwards, the passengers may relax on the beach or on the boat. Departure: North coast Grand Bay at 09h30 with retrun around 16h00. Sunset cruise (max 65 passengers) Watch the vibrant colours of a tropical sunset on this tour from Grand Bay to Coin de Mire Island while enjoying cool drinks (jungle juice, rum, beer & soft drinks) snacks and hot music. Return to Grand Bay at dusk. Departure: (winter) 17h00 and 17h30 (summer) with return approximately 2 hours Maurisun suggest

- That those sensitive to motion sickness take a pill about half an hour before departure.
- To respect the rules under the nature conservation act that was set up to protect the islands.
- To bring camera, sunscreen, raincoat, beach towel and a set of extra clothes along.