

GENERAL INFORMATION

THE CENTER

Kuredu Island Resort is home to Prodivers' PADI 5 Star Instructor Development Centre, one of the largest and longest running diving and snorkelling operations in the Maldives (since 1988). Prodivers offers a full range of daily excursions and courses catering for beginners and experienced divers and snorkelers alike.

- Fully stocked snorkel equipment rental section, complete with underwater digital cameras.
- 75 fully serviced sets of diving equipment (including Mares regulators and BCDs)
- Diving and snorkelling equipment also available in children's sizes.
- Underwater Lamps, Suunto Vyper dive computers and 3mm shorty wet suits available for rent.
- Facilities to cater for up to 250 divers, including a private equipment and rinsing room.
- "Rebreather Friendly" centre, with BUDDY Evolution CCR units available.
- Under water scooters (Apollo) for rent.
- Two air-conditioned classrooms, holding up to 30 people.
- Separate shop offering diving and snorkelling related articles for purchase

THE DIVING

- Daily boat trips up to 7 times a day, Mon.-Sun.
- Regular full day, early morning, lunchtime and night dive boat excursions throughout the week.
- Independent diving is available at the house reef and night dives can be done every night.
- Kuredu's house reef is complete with its very own shipwreck, just 60 meters from the entry point.
- A special tank service is available where we transport your tanks to and from the house reef.
- The daily boat-trips, to almost 50 different dive sites, take between 10 and 60 minutes. There are never two boats at the same dive site at the same time and we try to have a maximum of 10 14 divers on each boat.
- With more than 50 dive sites on offer, variety is the key theme. Whether it's a calm and relaxed shallow dive, or an adrenalin fuelled drift dive or channel crossing, we cater for all wishes. We also have access to the only dive site in the Maldives with 2 shipwrecks at the same site.
- The Lhaviyani Atoll is an area of the Maldives renowned for its abundant fish life. With a relatively low number of divers visiting the sites (compared to other Atolls in the Maldives), the dive sites amaze in terms of the quantity of fish life.

SAFETY

Safety is a paramount concern and in addition to the high level of safety procedures in operation across all of our activities, we also operate a Hyperbaric Chamber. The 2 man decompression chamber is fully operational 24 hours / 7 days a week, with a resident European diving doctors on site.

THE DIVING EDUCATION

- Kuredu Prodivers is a 5-star Instructor Development Center and all diving education is conducted within the PADI standards. Instructor Courses are run twice per year.
- PADI Open Water Diver, Advanced OWD, Nitrox and different speciality courses start every week.
- We teach in numerous languages including English, German, French, Spanish and Italian.
- Rebreather Courses are available on request
- Prodivers has developed its own PADI Distinctive Specialty Courses, namely the Sea Turtle Diver and The Maldivian Shark & Ray Diver

THE SNORKEL CENTER

As a service to all our guests in the resort, 3 snorkel guides run guided house reef tours and daily half and full day excursions to the house reef and over 40 snorkel sites (by boat). In addition to offering snorkelling and free-diving courses, we have also developed a special Manta Ray Course designed specifically for snorkelers.