

# **TAHITI AND THE FRENCH POLYNESIA**

# 11-day, 9-night 5-star voyage to 6 of French Polynesia's breathtaking Society Islands

From approximately \$5,495 plus air

Set sail for the idyllic islands and *motus* of French Polynesia on this spectacular 9-night cruise. Enjoy unmatched small-ship sailing amid the emerald-green peaks, chalk-white atolls and blue lagoons of the Society Islands with a wide variety of optional excursions. Explore the South Pacific's history, culture, and topography on Tahiti; Mo'orea; Ra'iatea; Taha'a; Bora Bora; and Huahine. This exceptional itinerary also includes 2 nights in the 5-star INTERCONTINENTAL TAHITI in Pape'ete and round-trip economy-class air from Los Angeles. Extend your time in paradise with the Mo'orea Post-Program Option.

#### 2024 Departure

January 16 to 26

#### 11 Days

- 1-2 Depart home city/Pape'ete, Tahiti, Society Islands
- 3 Pape'ete/Embark the WIND SPIRIT
- 4 Mo'orea
- 5 Ra'iatea
- **6** Ra'iatea/Taha'a
- **7-8** Bora Bora
- **9** Huahine
- 10 Pape'ete, Tahiti/Disembark ship
- **11** Return to home city

# **Itinerary Highlights**

- Tour Tahiti's scenic west coast and visit the Mara'a Grotto with its freshwater pools and small caves.
- Enjoy an optional excursion that includes a scenic drive through a landscape of ancient volcanic peaks and stop at Belvedere Point for views of Mount Rotu'i.
- Visit the Richard B. Gump Pacific Research Station and Atitia Outreach Center and then attend
  - an onboard lecture by naturalist Frank Murphy from the Gump Research Station.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup> Included Economy-Class Air from Los Angeles; upgrades to premium economy or business class are at an additional cost. Low Air Add-Ons are available from select cities.

- Savor a beach barbecue lunch on a private motu, where you can also swim, snorkel, or kayak.
- Enjoy an optional tour of Bora Bora on an open-air truck to discover relics left behind by the U.S. military in WWII—all while admiring the colors of the area's famous lagoon.
- Explore Tahiti's East Coast with a visit to the former home of American author James Norman Hall, best known for *Mutiny on the Bounty*.

### All-Inclusive

- Transfers and luggage handling abroad if you made your air arrangements through Gohagan & Company. (If you made your own air arrangements, transfers and luggage handling is not included.)
- Round-trip economy air from Los Angeles to Papeete, with Low Air Add-Ons available from select cities.
- Experienced, English-speaking local guides for included excursions.
- Gratuities to shipboard personnel local guides and drivers on included excursions and transfers.
- Complimentary bottled water in your suite or stateroom and on excursions.
- Hospitality desk aboard the ship.
- Experienced Gohagan & Company Travel Directors at your service.
- Automatic \$250,000 flight insurance policy for each participant ticketed on flights by Gohagan & Company.

All program features are contingent upon final brochure pricing. Gohagan & Company reserves the right to correct errors or omissions and to change any and all fares, fees, promotions, and surcharges at any time.

### WIND SPIRIT

**Exclusively Chartered** 

## 5-Star, 4-Masted Sailing Yacht

- Only 74 suites and staterooms, each with an ocean view.
- Two elegant restaurants, created in partnership with the James Beard Foundation.
- Complimentary snorkeling and kayaking equipment.
- Robust list of optional excursions to enhance your South Pacific cruise.

# Mo'orea Post-Program Option

Extend your sojourn in French Polynesia for 2 nights and stay in the deluxe HILTON MO'OREA LAGOON RESORT & SPA. Enjoy magnificent sunrises and sunsets from your spacious beachfront or overwater bungalow. Observe abundant, colorful marine life on a reef excursion and experience the exotic fusion of fresh local seafood and French Polynesian flavors. Enjoy the hotel's overwater Toatea Bar, magnificent views, turquoise lagoons, and wide array of watersports. This option includes accommodations, breakfast daily, and a round-trip ferry between Tahiti and Mo'orea.

The Post-Program Option is available at an additional cost. Details will be provided with your reservation confirmation.