



Packing Checklist for Matava Resort

Documents

- Airline Tickets and itinerary
- Passport (valid for at least 6 months)
- Cash and Credit Cards
- Insurance
- Dive certification, log book and insurance (if intending to dive)
- (copies of above –carried separately in case of loss)

Essential Packing –Clothes

- Sport sandals (Teva's) or flip flops
- Comfortable hiking shoes
- Shorts (quick drying)
- T-shirts
- Lightweight shirt for sun protection
- Long sleeved sweatshirt (winter evenings)
- Swimwear / beach towel
- Long trousers (lightweight –plane and transfers)
- Underwear
- Lightweight waterproof jacket
- Hat or cap for sun protection

Essential Packing –Other than clothes

- Prescription glasses and spare (+ hard case)
- Personal medications, including something for motion sickness if you need it
- Head torch –essential for the resort (Petzl make some great / tiny LED ones).
Bring enough batteries (and be prepared to take them away with you as well)
- Sunglasses and retaining strap (good quality polarized is preferable)
- Sun block (waterproof SPF 15 minimum and probably higher)
- Toiletries
- Insect repellent (can be bought at the resort)
- Camera (charger / spare battery). We can charge batteries during the day on solar power –bring a spare so you have one charging and one in use.
- Water bottle (for hikes and day trips)
- Ziplok freezer bags to keep things dry and organising gear

Other Useful Items

- Neck wallet / bum bag etc
- Binoculars
- Laptop computer
- iPod
- Reading Material
- Notebook / pens
- Antiseptic cream, anti-itch cream, Imodium, band aids, tweezers etc with your toiletries



Dive Gear

- Certification card, log book and insurance certificate
- Regulator –1st stage, 2nd stage, alternate air source (essential) and SPG
- Computer
- Wetsuit (as a rough guide: January/March –3mm shortie; July/October – 3mm or 5mm long; Rest of year –3mm long)
- DIN to A-clamp adaptor if needed
- Booties
- Mask
- Snorkel
- Fins
- U/W torch and batteries (take batteries home)
- Mesh Bag
- Safety sausage and whistle / Dive Alert

U/W Photo Equipment

- Camera and housing
- Ports
- Strobes
- O-ring grease
- Lenses (and appropriate ports)
- Filters
- Spare media cards
- Leads for downloading
- Batteries (+ spare set for all kit) and chargers

Diving Spares

- Batteries
- Fin strap
- Mask / mask strap
- Camera/Housing O-rings