

Timor-Leste Adventure Packages

8D Explore Timor-Leste – from AUD \$1580pp



Note to traveller:

It is most important to be flexible, stay positive and be willing to accept all challenges that arise. In developing countries remote area, please do not compare with the standards you are used to back home. The trek to Ilikere-kere rock painting although is a short one but it's quite challenging as it's very steep. Ensure proper comfortable shoes and bring plenty of water.

Packing list:

- *Torch light, sunglasses, headgear*
- *Some of your own food supply*

Prepare yourself to experience the very basic of life!!

Itinerary and flight detail:

Flights from Darwin to Dili and Dili to Darwin every day (apart from Sundays)

DAY 1 15.30hrs	Darwin – Dili – Baucau Upon arrival at Nicolau Lobato International airport, meet and greet by Island local agent) representative and transfer to Baucau, Timor-Leste’s second largest city, just a 3hours drive from Dili, the drive offers spectacular views along the coastline and rugged cliffs. The cool pleasant climate and outstanding beaches will greet you. The city has many Old Portuguese buildings, wonderful colourful markets and unspoilt beaches.
Overnight	Poussada de Baucau
DAY 2 07.00hrs 08.30hrs	Baucau – Com (B) Breakfast at the hotel Depart Baucau, along the North Coast via Manatuto, passing through various seaside fishing villages on the way. Enjoy delicious food at Poussada de Baucau or popularly known as Pink Palace. Continue the drive east via Lautem to Com Village. Visit fossilized monkey’s lagoon in the afternoon for a chance to see the giant clam fossils and the monkey community. Walk about the village to see local weavers stall selling colourful Tais; traditional hand woven cloths
Overnight	Com Beach Resort
DAY 3 07.00hrs 08.00hrs	Com - Tutuala Beach – Jaco (B) Breakfast at the hotel after breakfast depart to Tutuala past several large villages and numerous tombs line the roadside, identified with sacrificial totems of buffalo horns. Catch a glimpse of spirit house where the locals gather and mingle. Stop at Portuguese Poussada before a short trek to Ilikere kere rock paintings which date back 3,500 years (25min trek). Head down to Tutuala’s beach and check in at Eco Lodge. Lunch at Eco Lodge After lunch take a trip to beautiful and pristine Jaco Island on an outrigger. Late afternoon head back to Tutuala Beach.
Overnight	Lakomore Eco Lodge / Valu Sere <i>(Lunch and dinner available at the lodge at extra cost of USD 6.00 – USD 10.00 per person depending on your budget. It is advisable to let us know your budget for lunch</i>

and dinner so that we could pre arrange with the lodge)

DAY 4 07.00hrs	Tutuala - Jaco (B) Breakfast at the lodge Today is yours to enjoy swimming, snorkelling or fishing. You may arrange an outrigger again to go to Jaco Island for snorkelling at an extra cost of USD 6.00 paid direct to villagers.
Overnight	Lakomore Eco Lodge / Valu Sere
DAY 5 08.00hrs 16.00hrs	Tutuala - Dili (B) Depart to Dili same route with lunch at Baucau. Expected to arrive Dili with a stop to Cristorae and St. John Paul statue before check in at the hotel.
Overnight	Hotel at Dili
DAY 6 07.00hrs 07.15hrs 07.30hrs	Dili – Atauro (B/L/D) Breakfast at the hotel Transfer to Casa Europe Jetty Depart to Atauro Island.
	Travel through the Wetar Straights where 3 areas are well known for the Dolphin and whale activities. Disembark at Barry’s Place, an eco lodge just 50meters walk from the beach. Settle down at your accommodation before enjoying a Village tour on a Tiga Roda; a local transportation, including a visit to Boneca de Atauro.
12.00hrs	Traditional buffet lunch The rest of the break is yours to enjoy snorkelling, swimming or discover Scuba if you are not already a diver. Hiking, fishing, beachcombing or simply relaxing.....
Overnight	Barry’s Place
DAY 7 08.00hrs 09.30hrs	Atauro – Dili (B) Traditional Timorese breakfast Depart to Dili. The rest of the day is yours to explore Dili.....
Overnight	Hotel in Dili
DAY 8 12.30hrs 18.10hrs	Dili – Darwin (B) Transfer to Airport Home sweet home

About accommodation in Atauro:

Barry's Place is a solar powered simple hut which provides foods, water and wifi facility. It is advisable to let them know what meals you would like to have in advance. There are 2 traditional shared toilets in Barry's Place.

If you want to taste wood fire-pizza, hop on tigaroda to bring you to Manucoco, an Italian restaurant located at Villa town. It offers very delicious homemade pizza and gnocchi that you can't find elsewhere. Please order in advance and let Barry's know if you plan to skip dinner at the lodge.

The Eco Lodge is a simple hut, electricity will be available from 7pm to 12midnight and water fresh water shower is considered luxury and it's only available at Lakomore Eco Lodge.

***Boneca de Atauro** is a women cooperative that makes Timorese dolls, animals, woven bags, hats and embroidery. The funds raised by the cooperative will be shared equally between the members.*