

PAPUA NEW GUINEA

SPRIT, 10 DAYS



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SPIRIT, your gateway to the worlds best kept secret.



LENGTH: **35.0M / 114'10"**

BEAM: **10.8M / 35'5"**

DRAFT: **2.4M / 7'10"**

BUILDER: **NEW ZEALAND YACHTS LIMITED**

CONSTRUCTION: **COMPOSITE**

CONFIGURATION: **MULTI HULL**

YEAR: **2005**

CRUISING GUESTS: **12**

OVERNIGHT GUESTS: **12**

STATEROOMS: **5**

CREW: **7**

ENGINES: **2 X CAT 3412E, 1400 BHP**

MAXIMUM SPEED: **18 KNOTS**

CRUISING SPEED: **10 KNOTS**

FUEL CONSUMPTION: **160 LITRES/HR**

Recently refitted throughout and looking magnificent. Luxury Wavepiercer SPIRIT is an exceptionally impressive and smooth-riding super yacht. SPIRIT's superior design and styling turns heads and catches even the most discerning eye. Ideal for entertaining, this tri-deck offers much exterior social areas and a surprisingly voluminous interior, far more than you would believe for a 35 meter. The main deck has a spacious aft deck complete with comfortable seating and an alfresco dining option. The Master stateroom has doors leading to a personal outside space, making the stateroom light and inviting. Having a third deck, SPIRIT offers perfect views day or night, with a central wet bar & bar stools, 2 large sun pads & partial shade there is nowhere else you would rather be.



“Awesome boat and top crew, you can feel the synergy on board.”



Island Hopping - Vibrant Wreckage & Reef Dives - Enchanting Hot Springs - Incredible Fishing Locations



Papua New Guinea has an incredibly diverse culture as well as having some of the best fishing and diving that the world has to offer. A visit to this fascinating destination would not be complete without sampling the underwater world and this truly amazing culture. January to March is the wet season, though this area can be dived, fished and cruised all year round. Temperature varies little, hovering around the 87°F mark with water temperature being around the same. Underwater visibility 80 to 130 ft.

The above route offers the perfect balance of diving, snorkelling, fishing, cultural and historic experiences along with jaw-dropping scenery.

1 ALOTAU, MILNE BAY PROVINCE

After meeting Captain Martin at the airport, you will be transferred to M/Y SPIRIT, anchored off Alotau in the calm sheltered waters of Milne Bay.

You will be introduced to your crew, given a tour of your home for the next week and thoroughly briefed on the safety procedures on board the yacht.

Depending on the time available the yacht may relocate to a nearby anchorage where you will be free to enjoy the yachts facilities and toys at your leisure.

Alternatively a shore excursion to the local village will be on offer.

Lunch and dinner will be served at your convenience.



SAMARAI ISLAND GROUP

After a leisurely breakfast we will cruise to the Samarai Island Group. Today Samarai Island is somewhat of a living museum, given its tiny size you can explore the island and its colonial architecture easily on foot. Across the water on Logea Island, opportunities exist to hike to its glorious white sandy beaches. There are skull caves easily accessed on Logea and nearby Doini.

Diving and snorkelling opportunities abound. A large Manta Ray cleaning station sits just off Dioni and nearby Dek Dek Island pictured here gives you perfect access to the thriving reef system and pristine uninhabited white beaches.



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DEBOYNE LAGOON

Today will see us depart early to head east towards Deboyne Lagoon. Friendly villagers sail canoes around the lagoon, fishing and trading between villages. Several Japanese Zero fighters were ditched in the lagoon in WWII, providing exciting easily accessible snorkelling in the shallows. Lots of opportunities for diving, snorkelling and fishing around the lagoon with the nearby islands of Nivani, Panaeati and Panapompom beckoning.



5-6 CONFLICT ISLANDS

Twenty one uninhabited and pristine islands make up the Conflict group. With the numerous reefs, cays and islands available for swimming, snorkelling, diving and fishing and just the sheer remoteness of this pristine location begs itself for exploration. Perhaps today a beach barbeque with our freshly caught fish.



D'ENTRECASTEAUX ISLANDS

A collection of volcanic continental islands just to the north of Milne Bay itself, the islands provide a diverse array of attractions. On Ferguson Island the Dei Dei Hot Springs are accessed via a short jungle walk. To the east there are fantastic opportunities to see rare Birds of Paradise. Dive and snorkel off the reefs of Dobu Island or walk through the villages of Dobu and immerse yourself in the unchanging island life...



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TUFI FJORDS

Whilst not strictly fjords in the true sense of the word they are certainly as dramatic. With a maze of cliff faces descending vertically into the ocean surrounding Cape Nelson, it is a truly magnificent location to finish your PNG experience. Incredible displays of local culture can be experienced in Tufi, not to mention some of the best diving and fishing locations on the planet! Scenic helicopter rides over this dramatic landscape can be organised, and walks ranging from a few hours to a few days overnighing in villages on the way can be arranged. Kayaking and paddle-boarding these pristine calm bodies of water offers amazing interaction with the local villagers.

DEPARTURE DAY

Today will see you depart M/Y SPIRIT with what we hope are great memories of truly unforgettable experiences...



WATER SPORTS

There will always be a qualified crew member to guide and instruct you in the use of Spirits water sports equipment. In the interest of safety all water sports will be supervised.

The following equipment and activities are readily available:

- Scuba Diving
- Snorkelling
- SUP
- Surfing
- Kayaks
- Fishing
- Wakeboarding
- Water skiing
- Inflatable towable toys
- Hiking
- Selection of wetsuits, dive skins and rash protection
- Scuba Diving is available for certified divers with insurance in place.
- Instructor accompanied Scuba Diving is available for non-certified divers.
- Kiteboarding is available for IKO certified kilters.

Kiteboarding lessons are available but need to be booked in advance.

We have a selection of wetsuits, dive skins and rash protection on board, however we suggest if you have your own then bring them along as you will be far more comfortable!

