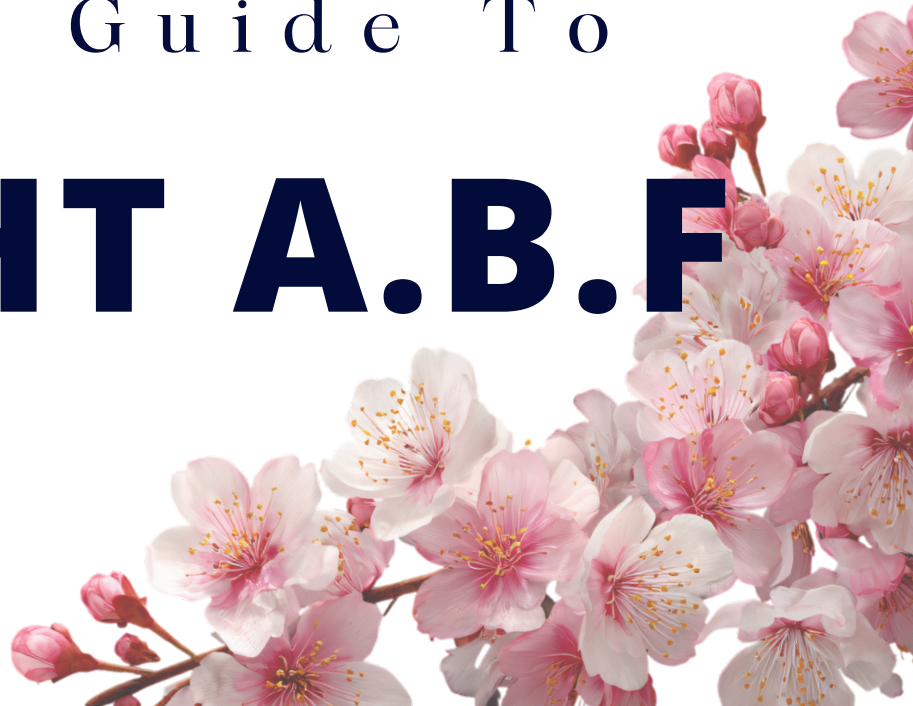




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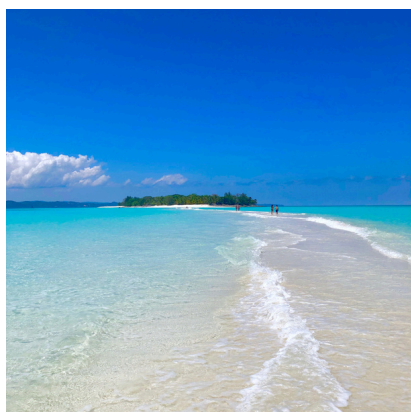


YACHT A.B.F

WELCOME TO A.B.F

Yacht A.B.F offers a relaxed, barefoot-style island-hopping experience around the Nosy Be archipelago. Life onboard is informal, comfortable and centred around the sea — expect swimming stops, snorkelling, beach landings, sunsets at anchor and flexible routing depending on weather and tides.

These notes are designed to help you know what to expect before travelling.



ROUTE AT A GLANCE

Your typical cruising area includes the Nosy Be archipelago, with possible stops at:

- Nosy Iranja
- Nosy Antsoa (Lemur Island)
- Nosy Tanikely (Marine Park)
- Nosy Komba
- Additional islands such Claudine Island



YACHT A.B.F



ARRIVALS

On arrival at Nosy Be Airport:

- On arrival at Nosy Be Airport, you will:
- Clear immigration and purchase your visa.
- Withdraw Ariary cash if needed.
- Meet your transfer representative outside arrivals.
- A driver or representative will be waiting with either your name or the yacht name.

What to wear on arrival day

- Light clothing
- Shorts or trousers that can get wet
- Easy-to-remove shoes or sandals

BAR & DRINKS

Complimentary

- Bottled water (1.5 litre)
- Tea & coffee

Charged separately

- Non alcoholic beverages
- Alcoholic beverages

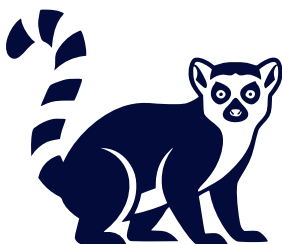
Guests are welcome to bring their own bottle alcohol.

- Corkage: None

EMERGENCY

Emergency Contacts & Medical

- There is a hospital and some clinics on the island of Nosy Be and in addition to that A.B.F. crew have the contact details of a local Doctor.





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INCLUDED VS EXCLUDED

Included

- All meals prepared by your private chef
- Tea, coffee, 1.5L water
- Basic snorkelling equipment is available however if you are an avid snorkeller and require specialised equipment it is advisable that you bring your own.
- Dinghy transfers
- Fuel & crew fees
- Bedding, towels, amenities

Extras (paid onboard)

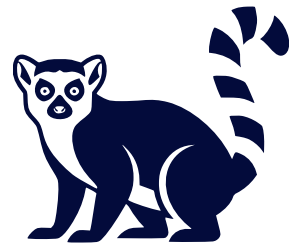
- Bar drinks
- Soft drinks
- Park and marine reserve fees



WATER SPORTS & EQUIPMENT

Sports & Water Equipment

- Snorkelling equipment
- En route fishing
- Kayak
- Fishing gear (basic and not specialised as this is not a professional fishing vessel)



GOOD TO KNOW

- Water: Please drink bottled water only.
- Footwear: No shoes are to be worn on board.
- Climate Control: The vessel is equipped with fans, but please note there is no air conditioning.
- Audio: The onboard sound system is Bluetooth-compatible.
- Catering: A.B.F aims to meet your dietary requirements as best as possible. However, please keep in mind that produce is sourced locally and certain items may not always be available on the island. Please ensure any special requirements are communicated to us in advance.

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EXCURSIONS & ACTIVITIES

Common excursion options include:

- Nosy Iranja 10 000Ar
- Nosy Antsoa (Lemur Island) 35 000Ar
- Nosy Tanikely (Marine Park) 40 000Ar
- Nosy Komba 10 000Ar
- Nosy Fanihy 10 000Ar
- Claudine Island 5000Ar

⚠ Excursion options may change if your route changes.

Please note that these prices are subject to change, as they are not determined by MadagascAT or the yacht.

Park Fees

- Estimate €25 per person (combined)
- Individual park fees are subject to change

Payment

- Paid in cash

MONEY & TIPPING

Tipping Notes

- Tipping is appreciated but not compulsory
- MadagasCaT recommends between 12€ and 15€ per crew member per day on charter.

Final Tab & Payments

- Payment method: Cash only Euro/ Malagasy Ariary

⚠ Credit cards are not accepted onboard.



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POWER & WIFI

Power & Charging

- 12-volt and 24-volt outlets
- Plug type: South African (SA) three & two-prong
- Bring adapters if you use non-SA plugs

Wi-Fi / Signal

- Wi-Fi is available but is signal dependent
- Best treated as a bonus, not a guarantee



PACKING CHECKLIST

Essentials

- Passport & copies
- Cash (Euro + Ariary)
- Reef-safe sunblock ☀️ (most commonly forgotten)
- Insect repellent (not supplied)
- Hat & sunglasses
- Light rain jacket
- Swimwear

Nice to Have

- Dry bag
- Personal snorkel/mask (if fussy about fit)
- Fishing gear (if planning casting fishing)
- Rash vest & rock shoes
- Motion sickness tablets (just in case)





FINAL NOTES

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Embark on an unforgettable sailing adventure through Madagascar's island-dotted waters aboard **Yacht A.B.F**, a **Fontaine Pajot Lipari 41** that blends effortless comfort, relaxed elegance, and a touch of fun — just as her name suggests. After years of sailing and seven boats later, owners **Stu and Claudine** have found their "Absolutely Bloody Final" yacht
We wish you calm seas and an exceptional journey.



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