

DEPARTURES FROM PAPEETE 2012

Voy	Departure Date	Arrival Date	No. of Nights
01	04 February	17 February	13
02	25 February	09 March	13
03	17 March	30 March	13
Special 10% Discount †			
04	07 April	20 April	13
05	28 April	11 May	13
06	19 May	01 June	13
07	09 June	22 June	13
Special 10% Discount †			
08	30 June	13 July	13
09	21 July	03 August	13
10	11 August	24 August	13
11	01 September	14 September	13
12	22 September	05 October	13
Special 10% Senior Discount ‡			
13	13 October	26 October	13
14	03 November	16 November	13
15	24 November	07 December	13
16	15 December	28 December	13

† 10% discount on the fare (excluding taxes) for all passengers booking suites, deluxe and standard cabins

‡ 10% discount on the fare (excluding taxes) for Seniors over 60 years old booking suites, deluxe and standard cabins

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**CRUISE TO THE TUAMOTU AND MARQUESAS ISLANDS
ON THE FREIGHTER CRUISE VESSEL ARANUI 3**

FARES 2012



*Fares per person in £ sterling on a full board basis for 13 nights cruise
including local and port taxes, guided excursions,
all meals (including wine – 1 bottle between 4) and booking fee*

	Fare Per Person	Sole Use
SUITES:		
Large outside cabins, air conditioned with queen size bed, balcony, refrigerator and private facilities with bathtub (forward facing - E,F,K,G)	£4,955	£7,390
Large outside cabins, air conditioned with queen size bed, balcony, refrigerator and private facilities with bathtub (aft facing - A,B,C,D, 1,2,3,4)	£4,770	£7,110
Large outside cabins, air conditioned with queen size bed, no balcony , refrigerator and private facilities with bathtub (forward facing – J,H)	£4,645	£6,925
DE LUXE “A” CABINS:		
Large outside cabins, air conditioned, with queen size bed, refrigerator and private facilities with bath tub	£4,180	£6,230
DE LUXE no. 14 CABIN:		
Large outside cabins, air conditioned, with queen size bed, refrigerator and private facilities with shower	£3,795	£5,600
STANDARD CABINS:		
Outside cabins, air conditioned, with two lower berths and private facilities with shower	£3,565	£5,250
"C" CLASS:		
Air conditioned dormitory with upper and lower bunk beds and shared facilities	£2,120	-



Fares are subject to change in accordance with exchange rate fluctuations.



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Voy	Departure Date	Arrival Date	No. of Nights
01	12 January	25 January	13
02	02 February	15 February	13
03	23 February	08 March	13
Special 10% Discount †			
04	16 March	29 March	13
05	06 April	19 April	13
06	27 April	10 May	13
07	18 May	31 May	13
08	08 June	21 June	13
Special 10% Discount †			
09	29 June	12 July	13
10	20 July	02 August	13
11	10 August	23 August	13
12	31 August	13 September	13
Special 10% Senior Discount ‡			
13	21 September	04 October	13
14	12 October	25 October	13
15	02 November	15 November	13
16	23 November	06 December	13
17	14 December	27 December	13

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2014 PREVIEW

A 10% Early Booking Discount on 2013 fares will apply to the following 4 voyages for all bookings made before 31 December 2012

01	11 January	24 January	13
02	01 February	14 February	13
03	22 February	07 March	13
04	15 March	28 March	13

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	Fare Per Person	Sole Use
SUITES:		
Large outside cabins, air conditioned with queen size bed, balcony, refrigerator and private facilities with bathtub (forward facing - E,F,K,G)	£5,295	£7,895
Large outside cabins, air conditioned with queen size bed, balcony, refrigerator and private facilities with bathtub (aft facing - A,B,C,D, 1,2,3,4)	£5,095	£7,600
Large outside cabins, air conditioned with queen size bed, no balcony , refrigerator and private facilities with bathtub (forward facing – J,H)	£4,965	£7,350
DE LUXE "A" CABINS:		
Large outside cabins, air conditioned, with queen size bed, refrigerator and private facilities with bath tub	£4,470	£6,655
DE LUXE no. 14 CABIN:		
Large outside cabins, air conditioned, with queen size bed, refrigerator and private facilities with shower	£4,055	£5,985
STANDARD CABINS:		
Outside cabins, air conditioned, with two lower berths and private facilities with shower	£3,740	£5,515
"C" CLASS:		
Air conditioned dormitory with upper and lower bunk beds and shared facilities	£2,225	-



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FRENCH POLYNESIA CLIMATE



The French Polynesia weather is typically tropical. Summer, between December and April, is hotter and more humid with a higher rainfall and the risk of tropical storms. Winter is between May and November and is cooler and drier. The Marquesas islands in the north (closer to the equator) are noticeably warmer than the main island of French Polynesia and the Austral and Gambier Islands in the south (further from equator) are noticeably cooler and a jumper is necessary at night and early morning. The main island of French Polynesia and also Moorea are both high volcanic islands and accumulate clouds around its mountain peaks creating more rain and humidity in the south eastern side of the islands (windward or facing south-east trade winds). Similarly, the western sides are much drier and protected from the trade winds making it feel hotter. Small coral islands tend to feel cooler with constant sea breezes although they have less shade from the sun and receive little rainfall.

Summer - December to April

The summer rainy season begins in December and lasts until April. During this time it can become hot and humid (29°C by day) with bright sunny mornings and late afternoon downpours around the larger islands. As the heat accumulates over the Pacific Ocean during this season, depressions can form bringing with them torrential downpours, strong winds and the occasional tropical cyclone. This 'rainy season' is a good time to come to experience the lush vibrancy of the countryside. The down side is high humidity, sticky nights and more mosquitoes.

Winter - May to October

By midwinter in July the average daily temperature is a very pleasant 25°C. Temperatures become pleasantly cool at night (19°C) and a light jumper may be necessary in the evenings and early mornings.



	Temp °C		Temp °F		Humidity %		Rain (mm)
	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	am	pm	
January	33	22	91	71	82	77	250
February	32	21	89	69	82	77	244
March	32	21	89	69	84	78	430
April	32	21	89	69	85	77	140
May	30	21	86	69	84	78	100
June	30	20	86	68	85	78	78
July	31	18	87	64	83	76	51
August	30	20	86	68	83	77	42
September	30	21	86	69	81	75	52
October	31	21	87	69	79	76	89
November	31	21	87	69	80	76	150
December	31	22	87	71	81	78	248

