

## Our Global Distribution Partner’s Importance to us

Imagine making a commission on referrals with the help of a tech-first program. A program that not only links your customers to relevant deals and content but gives you the tools to make your commission. We are talking about the Meridian Adventure Dive Affiliate Programme.

### WHAT IS THE AFFILIATE PROGRAMME?

A simple, easy-to-use web page template has been developed for Dive Companies to advertise travel packages to the resort.

Your customers stay on your domain while they 'Book Now', meaning:

- You can keep and extend your loyal customer base
- At no cost to you and no need for large group bookings
- You bundle the bookings to give clients the best value
- You earn with the Free Independent Traveler

Most of all – it genuinely is risk-free. We are dedicated to supporting the dive distribution chain and WANT you to make your commission.



### MAD TEAM

Sarah Fitchet

## A Word From The Marketing Team

Team Member: Sarah Fitchet

As the year draws to a close there are so many things to reflect on. From welcoming new and old guests back to the resort, to new partnerships developed and built on.

Unique sighting like the elusive dugong, incredible sightings like the oceanic mantas, Pygmy seahorse and huge groups schooling barracuda. Every day in raja Ampat has just been incredible, amazing and unbelievable

It's been a great and busy year and we wish you all a great festive season. See you underwater.

## A Word From Our General Manager

General Manager: Krishna Vermeulen

Raja Ampat Tourism continues to make conservation efforts to remain a priority tourist destination. One of the efforts made recently is by placing 2,630 units of tetrapod-type breakwaters on Fani Island. Fani Island is the outermost island in the Pacific Ocean, with enormous potential for abrasion. Unlike other parts of Indonesia, the weather in Raja Ampat is relatively stable all year round; however, there are seasonal patterns, including the windy season. In this period, the usually calm can get rough due to a southerly wind.

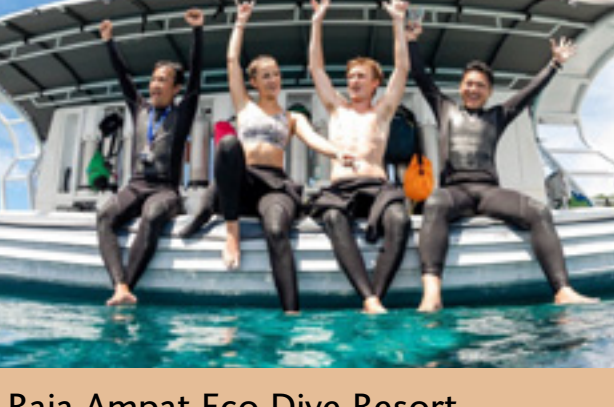


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Krishna Vermeulen, our General Manager, is excited to welcome all divers to Raja Ampat.



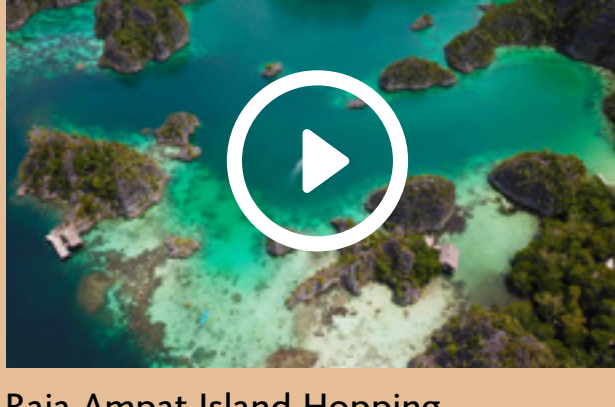
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### Raja Ampat Eco Dive Resort

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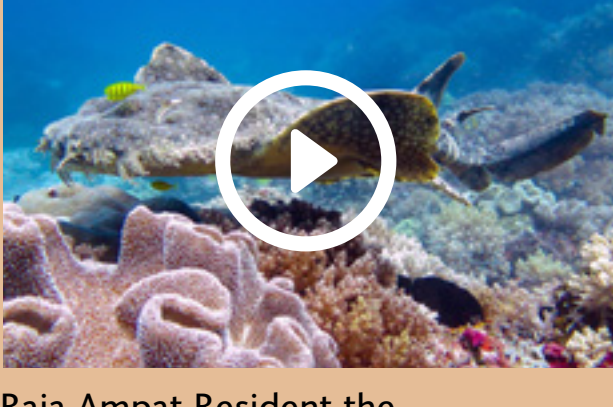
Meridian Adventure Dive Resort in Raja Ampat has exciting news to share – We're incredibly proud to announce that our dive resort is now an official PADI Eco Dive Center.



### Raja Ampat Island Hopping

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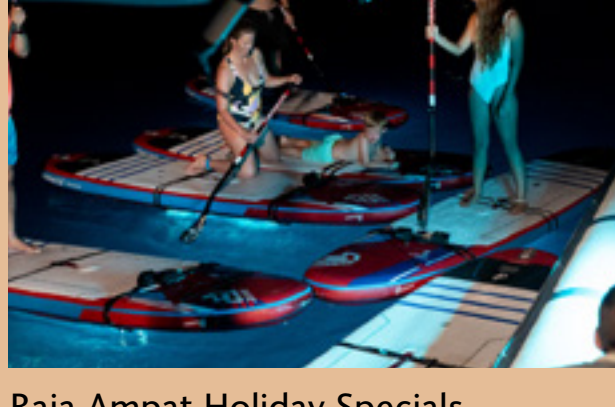
Raja Ampat is renowned for its world-famous dive sites, and it is also considered one of the most beautiful island chains in the world, making island hopping a bucket list item you must tick off when visiting.



### Raja Ampat Resident the Wobbegong Shark

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Are you asking if a Wobbegong bite? They sure do... Lying in wait on the ocean floor, the Wobbegong can open its mouth wide and expand its throat to suck in crustaceans and fish as they swim by. Seeing these guys swim is a rare sighting.



### Raja Ampat Holiday Specials

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## Scuba Diver Magazine UK



### What to Pack for Raja Ampat

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Travelling to the remote islands of Raja Ampat from countries outside of Asia can be quite a trip and can even extend to 2 days of travelling, so it is essential to keep that in mind when packing your carry-on.



### How to Snorkel 101

Scuba Diver Mag UK

Snorkelling is a fun and relatively simple water activity that allows you to explore underwater environments and observe marine life. Here's a step-by-step guide on how to snorkel.



### Dive packages in Raja Ampat, Indonesia

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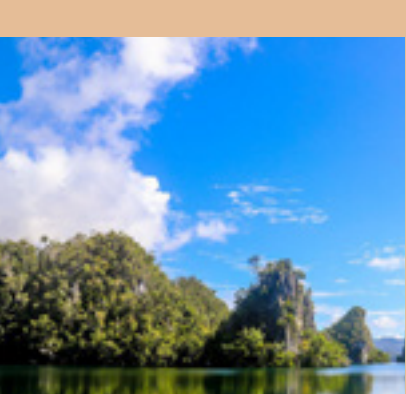
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### Why wear a wetsuit in the tropics.

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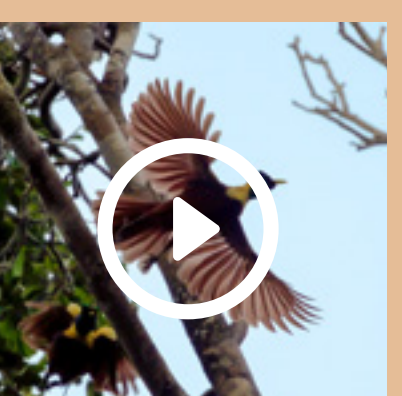
Wearing a wetsuit in tropical waters during scuba diving might seem counterintuitive since tropical waters are generally warm. However, there are a few reasons why divers might still choose to wear wetsuits even in warm climates.



### Carbon Footprint of Indonesia

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Indonesia faces challenges in addressing its carbon footprint but is also trying to mitigate emissions and transition to a more sustainable and low-carbon future.



### Raja Ampat Birds of Paradise

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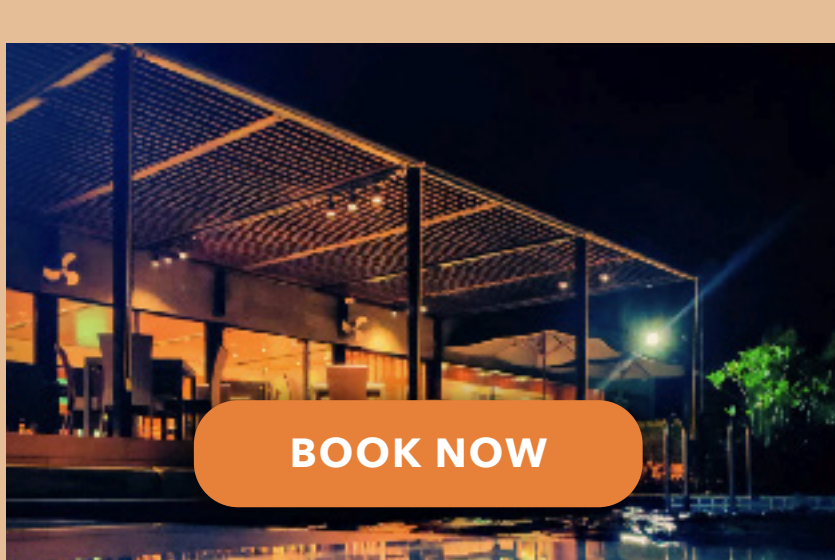
Over 250 species have been connected to the archipelago. The endemic species, Red Bird of Paradise or Cendrawasih Merah is found on the island of Waigeo and Meridian Adventure Dive loves taking guests out for a hike to view these majestic animals.



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## Divernet



### What makes Raja Ampat so Special

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Breath-taking Marine Biodiversity: Raja Ampat is often called the "Crown Jewel of Indonesia" or the "Last Paradise on Earth" due to its unparalleled marine biodiversity.



### Life of a Scuba Dive Master

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It's a role involving adventure, responsibility, and a deep connection to the ocean. Here's a glimpse into what such a life might entail.



### Raja Ampat Creature feature: Bigeye Trevally

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Trevally fish are known for their strong, streamlined bodies, which make them excellent swimmers.



### Stunning corals of Raja Ampat

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Coral reefs are diverse and complex marine ecosystems home to various corals, fish, and other aquatic organisms. Here's a guide to different types of corals and some of the fish that inhabit coral reefs.

## A Word From The Diving Team



### MAD MONTHLY

## Jo's Corner

The life of a scuba dive professional on a remote tropical island can be both exciting and fulfilling, offering a unique blend of adventure, teaching, and natural beauty. Your role is to teach individuals how to scuba dive or to take people out diving in a fun, safe and enjoyable environment. You have the privilege of introducing people to the breathtaking underwater ecosystems of Raja Ampat. You'll likely adapt to a slower pace of life, enjoying the beauty of your surroundings and the simplicity of island living. You'll interact with people from all walks of life as you take them scuba diving. Raja Ampat is the perfect paradise to be a scuba diver professional.

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