

BONAIRE

July 25- August 1, 2026



Diving Bonaire

Bonaire, a Dutch Caribbean island just north of Venezuela, is one of the world's top diving destinations—renowned for its vibrant reefs, crystal-clear waters, and easy access to over 80 dive sites, many of which begin just steps from shore. Glide past groves of elkhorn coral, explore the iconic wreck of the *Hilma Hooker*, or drift through the pilings at Salt Pier as tarpon flash through schools of baitfish. Shore diving is effortless, with yellow stone markers guiding you to each site, while boat dives offer access to pristine sites around Klein Bonaire, known for soft coral forests and elusive seahorses.

Buddy Dive Resort enhances the experience with convenient drive-thru tank pickup, unlimited shore diving, guided boat trips, and full-service equipment rental—giving you the freedom to dive on your schedule, at your pace.



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Included

- ✱ 7 nights at Buddy Dive Resort
- ✱ 9 Boat Dives
- ✱ Unlimited Shore Dives
- ✱ Free Nitrox
- ✱ Rental Vehicle per Condo
- ✱ Transfers in Bonaire
- ✱ Wifi
- ✱ Breakfast
- ✱ Group leaders

Not Included

- ✱ Airfare
- ✱ Bonaire Entry Fee (\$75)
- ✱ Marine Park fee (\$40)
- ✱ Divemaster Tips

Add Ons & Upgrades

- ✱ Single Rate
- ✱ Certification Dives
- ✱ Advanced Diver Course

Diver Accident Insurance

- ✱ Required



Buddy Dive Resort

Set along the calm, reef-lined shores of Bonaire's western coast, Buddy Dive Resort is a diver's haven where comfort and convenience meet Caribbean adventure. Spacious studio, one-, two-, and three-bedroom apartments offer ocean or garden views, each featuring air-conditioned bedrooms, private bathrooms, full kitchens, and breezy porches or balconies. Between dives, relax by one of two swimming pools, enjoy oceanfront dining at the resort's two restaurants, or grab a drink at the beach bar. With easy access to shore diving, daily boat trips, and your own rental truck included, Buddy Dive delivers a seamless, flexible, and fully immersive dive vacation.

More about Bonaire

What's the diving like in July?

July brings warm, calm conditions ideal for diving. Water temps average 84°F with great visibility and little current. Expect turtles, rays, reef fish, and thriving coral reefs—plus sunny skies and long beach days.

Where exactly is Bonaire?

Bonaire is a Dutch Caribbean island just north of Venezuela. Surrounded by a protected marine park, it's famous for easy shore diving, calm waters, and abundant marine life.

How do I get to Bonaire?

Fly into Bonaire International Airport (BON). United and JetBlue offer non-stop flights from Newark and JFK. American and Delta connect through Miami and Atlanta. Airport transfers to Buddy Dive are included.

Is Bonaire safe?

Yes—Bonaire is considered one of the safest islands in the Caribbean. With a welcoming local community, low crime rates, and a focus on eco-tourism and marine conservation, it's a safe and comfortable destination for solo travelers, families, and groups alike. As always, common-sense travel precautions are recommended.

Pricing Information

- **Total Price Per Person:** \$1,600 Diver, Double Occupancy (estimated)
- **Total Price Per Person:** \$1,400 Non-Diver, Double Occupancy (estimated)
- **Trip Leader:** Tim Haviland, NAUI Instructor