Your Vanuatu Dive Holiday Guide

Moso diving, island maps and practical advice from Abyss.



A diver and turtle in the Moso region. Wildlife sightings and dive sites vary.

Warm-water reefs. Evenings by the harbour.

Watch for turtles above the reef, explore coral-covered wrecks and return to Reflections Retreat on Efate each evening. An Abyss instructor travels with the group from Sydney and works with the local dive team, so you have support before departure and throughout your holiday.

4 NIGHTS | **7 GUIDED DIVES** | **THURSDAY TO MONDAY**

THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON
Arrive	**3 dives**	**2 dives**	**2 dives**	**Explore & fly**
Transfer and welcome dinner.	Two by day; night dive and BBQ.	Reefs, time ashore and shared dinner.	Final dives and farewell dinner.	Local outing and journey home.

Indicative programme: conditions, flights and group needs can change the sequence and sites. Monday has no diving; the final dive and flight must allow the required surface interval.

See current departures, prices and availability

Could this be your next trip?

Newly certified, travelling alone or bringing a partner? Start here.

Newer divers are welcome

Open Water certification or a recognised equivalent is the entry level; Advanced is not required. Tell us when you qualified, when you last dived and how confident you feel. We will discuss suitable preparation and any extra support.

Come without a buddy

Meet the group before departure at Ramsgate. We help arrange dive buddies and discuss twin-share room matching. A suitable room match is not guaranteed; confirm the room and any single-room cost before paying.

Bring a non-diving partner

Ask us about a suitable non-diver package for your dates. Confirm rooming, meals, activities and transfers. Snorkelling, boat places and childcare should only be treated as included when confirmed in writing.

Hire what you need

You do not need to buy a full dive kit. Tanks and weights are included; ask for a quote for the rest. Tell us about night-dive nerves or a long break from diving so we can plan the right preparation together.

INCLUDED IN THE ADULT DIVER PACKAGE

Your stay	Four nights twin-share at Reflections Retreat on Havannah Harbour, Efate.
Your diving	Seven guided dives, including a planned night dive; tanks, weights and between-dive snacks.
Your meals	Continental breakfasts and four dinners, including the night-dive barbecue.
Your support	An Abyss instructor from Sydney, pre-trip meeting and buddy support.
Your extras	Nominated group-flight airport transfers, a planned Monday local experience and trip T-shirt.

Specific dive sites and wildlife encounters depend on conditions. Routes stay within your training and agreed limits; wreck entry is not required.

Ask whether this trip suits me

Check full inclusions and terms

Know the full cost before booking.

Use current quotes for your dates, room and equipment needs.

STANDARD ADULT DIVER PACKAGE

A$1,995 per person

Twin-share, land-only.
A$500 deposit forms part of the price.

Reference price checked 22 November 2026. Departure prices and offers can change. Confirm the current package and booking terms before paying.

ONE TRAVELLER • AUSTRALIAN DOLLARS	YOUR QUOTE
Package for your chosen departure	
Return flights and checked / dive baggage	
Personal equipment hire	
Travel insurance suitable for your planned diving	
Lunches, extra drinks and personal spending	
Single-room supplement, if applicable	
Extra nights, transfers and optional activities	
Contingency allowance	
TOTAL HOLIDAY BUDGET	

Avoid double-counting: subtract any deposit already paid when calculating your remaining balance. Request a written quote for hire, room supplements and extra transfers.

Book in the right order

Choose your departure and confirm suitability, rooming and costs. Reserve your place, then wait for written confirmation of the departure, accommodation and nominated flights before buying airfares.

Check your cover

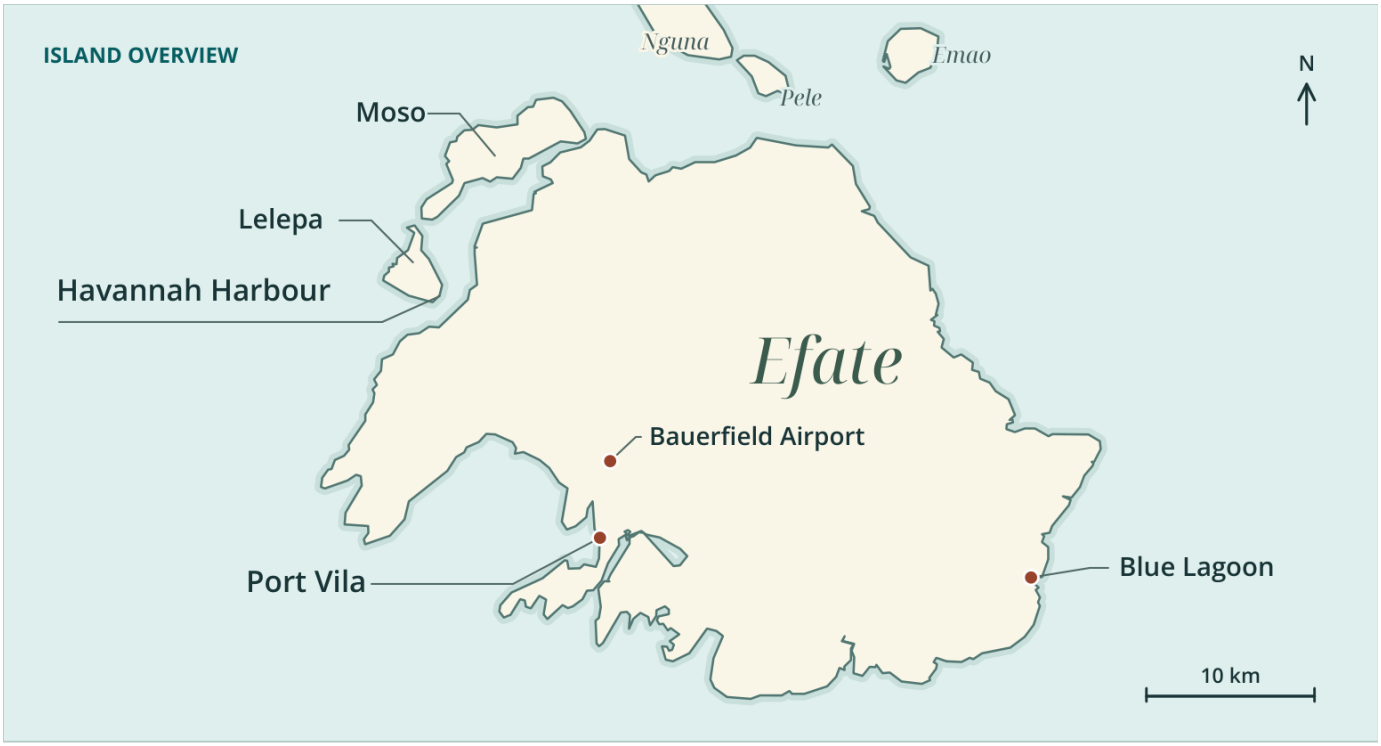
Ask your insurer to confirm cover for your certification, planned depths and activities, overseas treatment, evacuation and cancellation. Read the trip payment and cancellation terms before paying.

PLAN THE LAST DIVE AND FLIGHT TOGETHER

For multiple days of no-decompression diving, DAN recommends at least 18 hours before flying for divers without symptoms. Allow longer if advised by your computer or dive team. Read DAN guidance.

Get to know Efate.

Fly into Port Vila. Stay on Havannah Harbour. Dive around Moso.



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Where you will stay

Reflections Retreat is on the Efate side of Havannah Harbour, rather than in Port Vila or on Moso Island. The islands of Moso and Lelepa lie offshore to the north-west; Port Vila is a separate outing from your retreat base.

Arriving with the group

Airport transfers are included for the nominated group flights. Confirm the meeting point with Abyss before departure. Different flights, extra nights or an extended stay may need separately priced transfers.

Documents and packing

Carry your certification, any required medical clearance, travel insurance details and booking confirmations. Check current entry rules for your passport and airline baggage allowances. Confirm hired gear and sizes at the pre-trip meeting.

Your everyday essentials

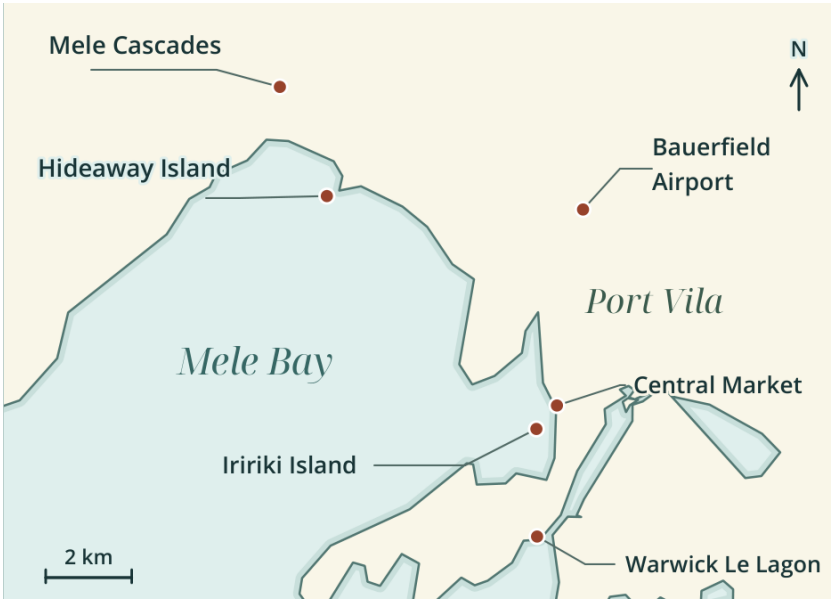
Bring a sun shirt, hat, sunscreen, insect repellent, dry bag and water bottle. Pack a layer for the boat and suitable footwear. Keep travel documents and essential medicines accessible during the journey.

Check current entry, health and travel advice

Port Vila & Mele Bay

Ideas for extra nights or free time agreed with your trip leader.

OPTIONAL • SEPARATE COSTS These outings are not part of the standard seven-dive programme. Allow travel time and confirm availability before making plans.



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Getting around

Ask your host to arrange a registered taxi and agree the fare and return pickup. Shared minibuses display a B plate: confirm the destination and current fare before boarding, and allow time for other stops.

Carry small vatu notes and coins. Ask about card surcharges and check opening hours before leaving the retreat.

A market morning

Start with the Central Market for local produce and a taste of laplap. Consider Rossi or the Waterfront Bar & Grill for a meal nearby. Ask the team what is currently open and worth visiting during your stay.

A snorkel or waterfall outing

Consider Hideaway Island or Mele Cascades if you have extra time. Confirm access, transport, entry fees and conditions. These visits need a separate plan and are not substitutes for an included dive or scheduled group activity.

A poolside afternoon

Iririki and Warwick Le Lagon are possible day-visit options. Check current day-pass access, inclusions and prices directly before travelling. Allow for transport and any food or drinks outside the pass.

An extra Friday evening

The Beach Bar in Mele Bay is known for its Friday fire show. Check the current programme and book ahead. The Abyss weekend usually has its night dive and BBQ on Friday, so consider the show for an additional Friday.

Visitor maps for Efate and Port Vila

Check The Beach Bar programme

More time around Havannah

Island outings, waterside lunches and a reason to stay a little longer.

OPTIONAL • EXTRA TIME & SEPARATE COSTS Island tours and restaurant visits below are not included. Arrange them around the confirmed diving and flight programme.



Meet the right boat

For any independently arranged outing, confirm the exact landing, departure time and return transfer. Moso Landing is on Efate. Agree road transfers and fares before you leave your accommodation.

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Moso or Lelepa by day

An extra day can make room for a locally guided island outing, snorkelling or a village visit. Ask which reefs, beaches and other stops are operating. Confirm entry fees, meals, equipment and transfers with the operator.

Lunch beside the water

Ask about Wahoo Seafood & Grill or On the Rocks at M Resort. For a visit to The Moso, check current day-pass rules, age limits and boat transfers. These are separately arranged meals and outings.

An east-coast extension

Blue Lagoon, Eton Stream and Banana Bay are ideas for an extra day with a driver. First check your group itinerary: Monday already includes a planned Blue Hole or equivalent local experience. Avoid paying twice for overlapping plans.

A thoughtful visitor

Cover up over swimwear in villages, ask before taking photographs and respect customary land and access fees. Agree school visits in advance. Your local guide can explain the welcome, customs and places you may visit.

Make Moso your next dive holiday.

Check current dates, prices and availability

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