

# SUGAR BEACH

A VICEROY RESORT • ST. LUCIA



SCUBA &  
WATERSPORTS

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# WONDERLAND BENEATH THE WAVES

Beneath the waves, Saint Lucia is an aquatic wonderland filled with mystery and dazzling underwater wildlife. For both novices and PADI qualified dive masters alike, the island has various watersports activities and many wonderful diving sites boasting spectacular coral formations, fascinating shipwrecks and reefs teeming with tropical sea life.

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# WATER



# SPORTS

## NON-MOTORIZED

The following equipment is available free of charge from your Water Sports Pavillion, near the Jetty:

- Kayak (single and two seater)
- Paddle Boats (two and four eater)
- PaddleBoards
- Wind Surfing
- Hobie Cat

Our expert staff is available to provide you with individual training classes for sailing and wind-surfing (\$25 per session). To sign-up, please contact one of the Water Sports attendants.

### Special Offer:

A 2 Hour Kayak trip to Coral Garden Reef - at the base of Gros Piton, this reef offers above and below water an amazing landscape.

This reef starts off in the shallows and won't go too deep as the majority of the reef is as deep as 50ft, with a few sandy patches. Unusual sargassum trigger fish can be spotted in the deeper area. Time for snorkeling included.

The trip leaves Sugar Beach at 13:30 and returns at 15:00.

Cost is \$25 per person (excluding service charge), minimum 2 persons. Please register with one of the Water Sports attendants.



## MOTORIZED

A plethora of motorized water sports activities are available to choose from:

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|------------------------|-------|-----------------|
| • Water/Mono-ski       | 10min | \$35.00         |
| • Wake-board           | 10min | \$35.00         |
| • Kneeboard            | 10min | \$35.00         |
| • Banana Boat (min. 4) | 10min | \$20 per person |
| • Mega-wind            | 10min | \$20 a seat     |
| • Tubing               | 10min | \$20 per tube   |

Price excludes 10% service charge.



## SNORKELING

Snorkeling is one of the most popular activities since ancient times, with the first references dating back to Aristotle in his "Parts of the Animals" (referring to divers using "instruments for respiration" resembling the elephant's trunk). Sugar Beach, A Viceroy Resort, is no different due to the cordoned off marine preservation area located at the foot of Petit Piton, off our beach. Fins, masks and snorkel can be signed out at the Water Sports Cabana.

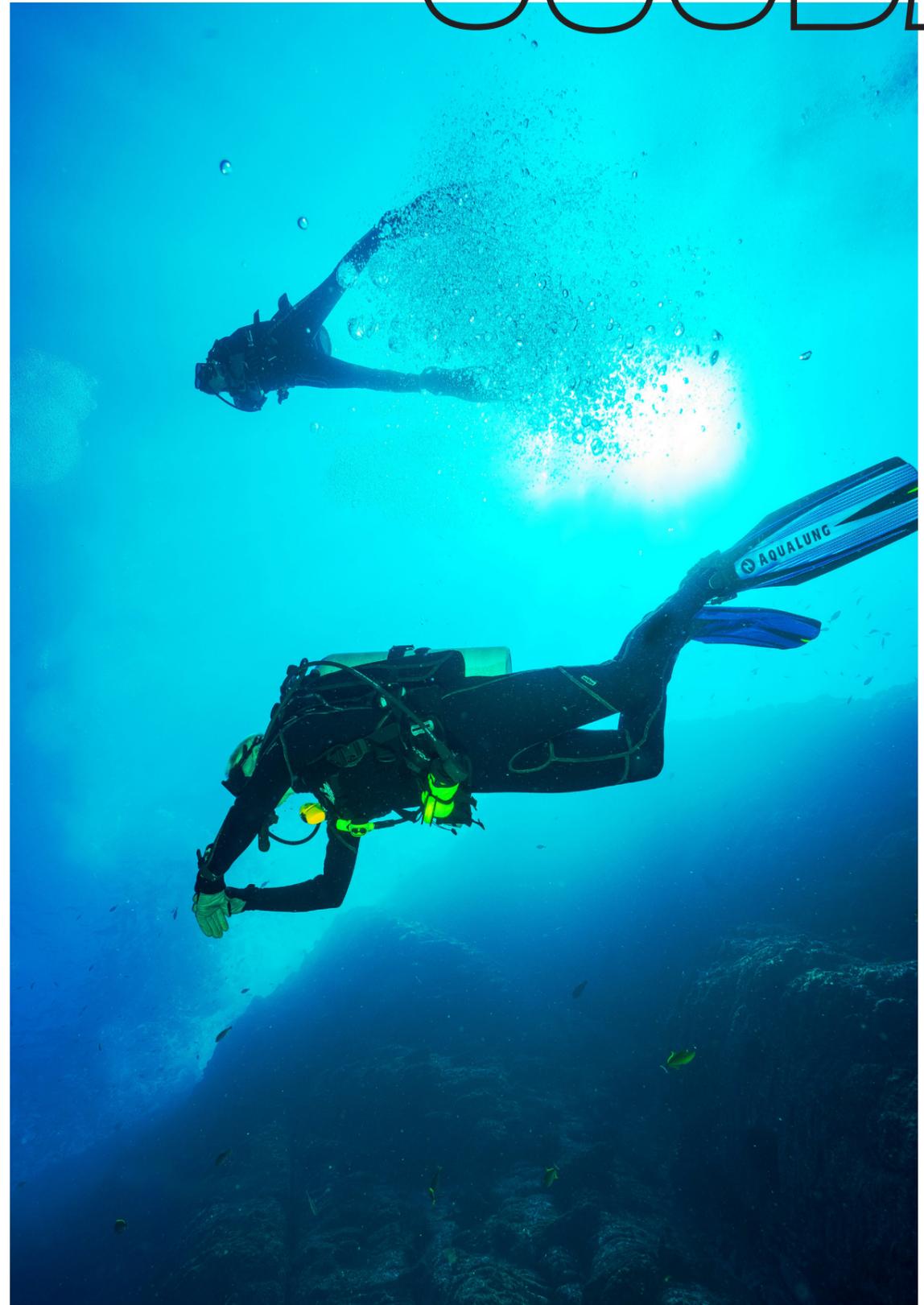
We also offer Snorkeling excursions to various dive sites. Fees apply. Please register at the Water Sports Cabana.

### Special Offer:

Night snorkelling off Sugar Beach's National Marine Reserve. US \$35 per person (excluding service charges), minimum of 4 person required - private snorkelling possible.



# SCUBA





# A PARADISE FOR DIVERS

Saint Lucia is a paradise for divers. The island forms the tip of an underwater volcano where both beginner and experienced divers can rejoice in a stunning variety of coral, sponges and sea fauna. There are too many dive sites to list. However, our professional dive team has put together an exhaustive list of dives sites that should keep you busy for a while!

*All dive sites are located within a distance of 5-20 mins.*



## SCUBA DIVING - DIVE SITES

### **Trou Diable**

Creole for “Devil’s Hole”, Trou Diable is a fascinating location. One of the largest plateau dive areas, it is also known as one of the healthiest reefs you’ll ever dive on. Barrel Sponges and well-developed coral heads with schools of Chromis and Grants in profusion.

### **Pinnacles**

Also Known as the Keyhole Pinnacles, which is located outside the bay of Soufriere. The dive site has four spectacular peaks that rise from depths to within a few feet from the surface. Trumpet fish, filefish, blennies, and other fish make this their home. Seahorses are sometimes found on this dive.

### **Superman’s Flight**

Located at the base of the Petit Piton, this dive site is well known for its underwater beauty and also currents. Part of Superman II was filmed there and that’s why it got its name. Huge barrel sponges and lovely soft orange sponges make this a tremendous dive. When the current is present this is a perfect site for drift diving.

### **The Staircase**

Named because of its formation, this dive is a great and beautiful site. Another untouched site which makes it an ideal home for a diverse aquatic life. Turtle of different sizes are also found on this site. The coral life is very healthy and fascinating.

### **Piton Wall**

Situated in the Jalousie Bay, this dive site has a wonderful wall that drops down to hundreds of feet below. Home to much aquatic life of different sizes. Seahorses are also known to be seen on this dive.

### **Piton Wall II**

The continuation of Piton Wall going into Superman’s Flight. Because this reef is untouched by divers it makes the site very beautiful with aquatic life and corals.

### **Sugar Beach Reef**

Within “walking” distance from the beach, this is our home reef. With easy access from the dive shop to the water, this dive is appropriate for beginners and newly certified divers.

### **Jalousie**

Lots of schooling fish of various sizes and color. Located at the base of the Gros Piton this site is about five minutes dive from the dive shop. A vast range of different corals and sponges can be seen as well.

### **Coral Garden**

This reef starts off in the shallows and won't go too deep as the majority of the reef is as deep as 50ft, with a few sandy patches. Unusual sargassum trigger fish can be spotted in the deeper area.

### Lesleen M Wreck

A 165ft steel freighter that was sunk in 1986 for the purpose of diving. It is covered with deep sea fans and sponges with a variety of reef fish. School of fish can be found in and around the wreck, as well as Moray Eels, Frogfish, Lobsters and much more.

### Grande Caille

Creole for "Large Reef" or "Big House", Grande Caille is known as a very dramatic site. Deep water Gorgonians, Sea Whips, Huge Brain Corals and Barrel Sponges in pristine condition can be seen here.

### Turtle Reef

A crescent-shaped reef that drops quickly from a plateau to a sandy turtle grass bottom. Located in the bay of Anse Chastanet, it starts off in the shallows at about 15ft of water with large boulders, continuing to the main reef at about 40ft where it then drops off to over 150ft. Spectacular Pillar Corals and huge Barrel Sponges can be seen. You are very likely to see Hawksbill and Green Turtles as it is adjacent to turtle grass beds.

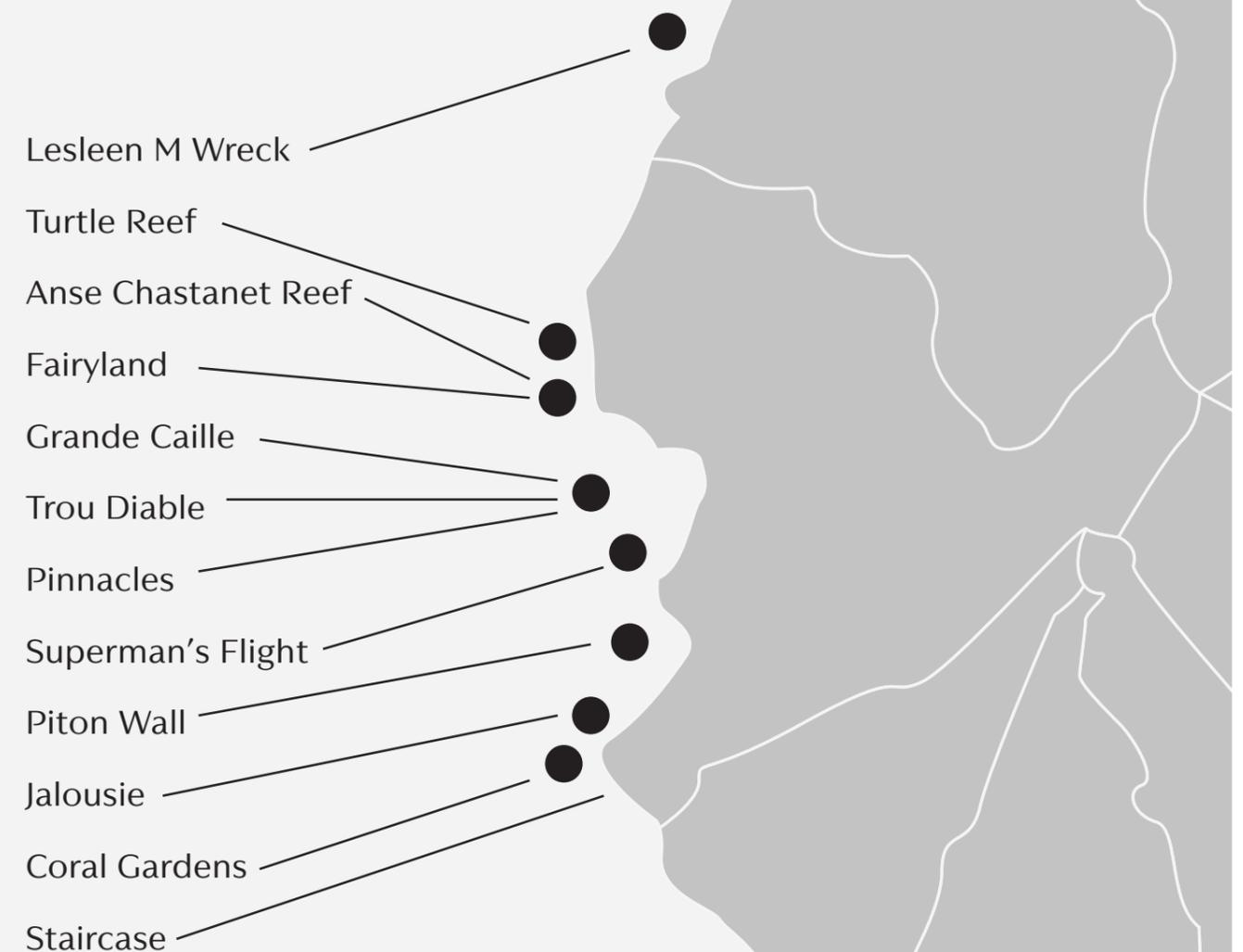
### Anse Chastanet Reef

A plateau between 5 and 25ft that drops down to over 145ft. The reef is covered in gorgonians, soft coral and sponges. Since it's a marine reserve, the reef is covered with a variety of marine life such as Moray Eels, Parrotfish, Blennies, Crabs and big schools of Needle Fish. For photographers, this is the chance to use your macro lens.

### Fairyland

This tremendous dive site is the continuation of the Anse Chastanet Reef. Starting off at about 40ft, the reef then slopes down to beyond. A very large plateau area is covered with beautiful soft corals and huge barrel sponges. Big schools of Horse Eye Jacks and Creole Wrasse make this reef their home. You can also see hawksbill turtles in different sizes. To the end is one of the most colourful walls around. When a current is present, this dive is ideal for drift diving.

# ST. LUCIA DIVE LOCATIONS



# PRICE GUIDE

## SCUBA

Discover Scuba	\$90
Shore Dive	\$65
Boat Dive	\$85
Boat Dive (2 Tank)	\$110
Wreck Dive	\$85
Night Dive	\$95
Scuba Tune-up / Refresher	\$125
Underwater Explorer	

### Dive Packages

6 Dives	\$300
10 Dives	\$400

## PADI

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Beginner Discover Scuba Dive (Resort Course)	\$90.00	10+
Bubble Maker	\$100.00	8-9

### CONTINUING EDUCATION COURSES

Check out dive	\$90.00	10+
Refresher course/Scuba Review	\$125.00	10+
Scuba Diver Course	\$300.00	10+
Open Water course	\$550.00	10+
Open Water Referral	\$350.00	10+
Adventure course	\$300.00	10+
Advance course	\$400.00	12+
Rescue Diver course	\$500.00	12+
Dive Master Course	\$800.00	18+

### SPECIALTY DIVES

-Invasive Lionfish tracker	\$200.00*
-Perk performance buoyancy	\$220 .00
-Boat Specialty	\$220.00
-Deep Specialty	\$320.00

Excl. 10% service charge and 10% tax

-Drift Specialty	\$220.00
-Night Specialty	\$320.00
-Fish identification Specialty	\$220.00
-Underwater photography Specialty	\$220.00
-Underwater naturalist specialt	\$220.00
-Wreck specialty	\$320.00
-Oxygen Provider Specialty	\$100.00
-Dive against Debris	\$150.00

US\$ plus 10% Vat and 10% service charge

## NON-MOTORIZED

Kayak (single and two seater)	Free
Paddle Boats (two and four eater)	Free
PaddleBoards	Free
Wind Surfing	Free
Hobie Cat Kayak trip to Coral Garden Reef	Free

## MOTORIZED

Water/Mono-ski	10min	\$35.00
Wake-board	10min	\$35.00
Kneeboard	10min	\$35.00
Banana Boat (min. 4)	10min	\$15/\$20 per seat
Mega-wind	10min	\$20 a seat
Tubing	10min	\$20 per tube

## SNORKELING

Snorkel	\$25 per person (min. 4 person)
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\*Certification Cost (\$200.00)  
Plus 10% VAT & 10% Service Charge

PADI Invasive Lionfish Tracker Specialty  
Lionfish Tracker

Prerequisites: PADI Open Water Diver  
Minimum Age: 15 years

The lionfish is an invasive species in the western hemisphere. It has no natural predators and is quickly becoming a plague threatening the coral reef and ecosystem it invaded. This specialty is an introduction to invasive lionfish tracking, to familiarize divers with the skill, knowledge, planning, organization, procedures, techniques, problems, hazards and the enjoyment of the invasive lionfish management diving. It is intended to serve as a safe and supervised introduction to invasive lionfish tracking.

Maximum Depth:  
- Open Water Diver: 18 metres/60 feet  
- Advanced Open Water Diver: 30 metres/100 feet

PADI Elearning link:  
<https://apps.padi.com/scuba-diving/elearning/purchasecourse.aspx>